



# COMMUNITY HOUSING:

Help Make Affordable Homes for All Manitobans a 2025 Federal Election Priority

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## Empower Tenants & The Community with Your Voice and Expertise on Housing

Speak with tenants, family, friends, and board members about the importance of non-profit housing in the upcoming election. Share your organization's and your tenants' successes on social media and follow/tag us and our national peers at the [Canadian Housing and Renewal Association](#). Tag candidates in your riding.

Write an opinion article or letter to the editor to your local media, focusing on the human angle of those affected by the housing crisis and the people who the non-profit housing community serves.

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## Host a Community Event

Host a community event to showcase the value of non-profit housing within your community. It could be a forum, debate, or a casual BBQ or pancake breakfast. Invite all candidates and engage them in conversation on the [Housing Canada: Our Plan](#) priorities. You can find your local candidates [here](#).

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## Encourage Voting

Share information and resources with tenants to encourage voting turnout during the election. Tenants can confirm if they are registered to vote [here](#).

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## Meet with Candidates

Talk with candidates of all parties within your community to share why non-profit housing should be a priority through offering a tour, talking about successes, and telling them about your waiting lists. Show candidates how they can support non-profit housing by talking about your organization's own journey, funding, and support you have received from the federal government to make it a success. Tell them about the housing needs in the riding, you can find data on it [here](#). Share the [Housing in Canada: Our Plan](#) priorities with them.

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## Continue the Conversation

Stay involved after the election. Follow up with the elected MPs in your community and ask how they will follow through on their promises to prioritize non-profit housing. Invite the elected MPs to visit for a tour and coffee chat with residents.