

# Chalmers News!

## The 5-Year Neighbourhood Plan 2019 – 2023



The Chalmers 5-Year Neighbourhood Plan outlines goals which the Elmwood community residents and partners can use to help guide activities that benefit the neighbourhood.

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These are goals important  
to people in Chalmers:

## Here is the 2019-2023, Neighbourhood Plan for Chalmers:



- ▶ Build on the success of Chalmers News!
- ▶ Increase local participation at all levels
- ▶ Improve website and social media
- ▶ Add community info signs & billboards
- ▶ Provide information tables at key sites
- ▶ Improve access to computers & resources
- ▶ Hear from residents at focus sessions
- ▶ Highlight Elmwood history

## Meeting Basic Needs of Community Members

- ▶ Build partnerships & plan actions to address poverty
- ▶ Co-sponsor services for newcomers
- ▶ Co-sponsor services for Indigenous peoples
- ▶ Co-sponsor training events for the community
- ▶ Lead & promote free special events





- ▶ Deliver Small Grant Funding
- ▶ Continue membership for Healthy Together Now
- ▶ Build membership for Per Capita Grant funding
- ▶ Complete Charitable Funding Plan



- ▶ Continue supporting Parent & Child Coalition
- ▶ Expand reading & writing programs
- ▶ Expand creative services for children & youth
- ▶ Support improved access to child care

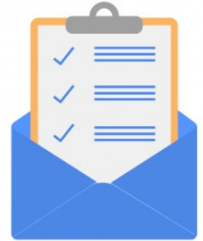


# IMPROVE HOUSING In Chalmers!

## Knowing about the

# HOUSING PLAN & HOUSING WORKER

- ▶ Share Chalmers housing brochure
- ▶ Send out housing newsletter
- ▶ Expand Chalmers Housing Committee



- ▶ Start 'Boost My Block' contest for beauty & safety
- ▶ Remove more bulky waste
- ▶ Raise awareness of City By-Laws
- ▶ Refer more safety issues to 311
- ▶ Clean up more graffiti
- ▶ Paint houses through Take Pride Winnipeg
- ▶ Plan a walking path on the Hydro line



## **Supporting** **LANDLORDS** **RENTERS** **AND** **HOMEOWNERS**

- ▶ Increase Rent Smart grads
- ▶ Keep working with Winnipeg Rental Network and Residential Tenancies Branch (RTB)
- ▶ Work to upgrade multi-family and duplex units
- ▶ Support Home Buyer Assistance families
- ▶ Continue Home Repair Workshops
- ▶ Co-host SEED Winnipeg Info sessions on saving money
- ▶ Plan for assisting derelict garage removals
- ▶ Help with Home Repair applications



## **Developing**

### **HOUSING PLAN GOALS**

- ▶ Include everyone in the housing plan
- ▶ Plan to improve key derelict lots
- ▶ Work to increase affordable housing
- ▶ Keep residents in Chalmers long-term

## GETTING READY TO WORK

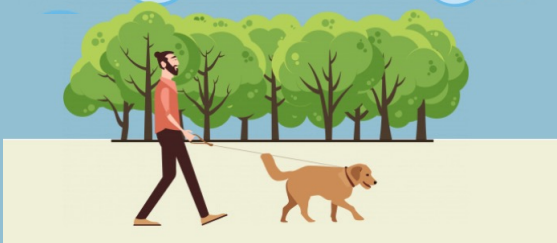
- ▶ Start programs to improve access to jobs
- ▶ Provide programs to build job skills



- ▶ Start Chalmers business coalition
- ▶ Research & start social enterprises



## IMPROVING SAFETY



- ▶ Host Safer Cleaner Chalmers workshops
- ▶ Work for basic services
- ▶ Work with Crime Prevention by Environmental Design
- ▶ Support families living with violence & addictions
- ▶ Add Street Connections needle deposit boxes
- ▶ Start a local harm reduction plan for community members with addictions

## **PARTNERING FOR SAFETY**

- ▶ Allow more access to safe spaces
- ▶ Work to reduce crime
- ▶ Start a safety charter



**WE'RE IN THIS TOGETHER!**



- ▶ Improve access to resources for mental health and wellness
- ▶ Provide equal access to health programs & services

## **GETTING AROUND**



### **ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION**



- ▶ Ensure equal access to buildings, parks and play spaces
- ▶ Renew Active Transportation Plan
- ▶ Start a Car Share program
- ▶ Improve walkability in neighbourhood





## GREENING CHALMERS



- ▶ Add beauty to build community pride
- ▶ Build local gardening skills
- ▶ Keep up green spaces, yards & gardens
- ▶ Showcase bakers, makers & growers
- ▶ Improve parks & green spaces



- ▶ Plan to secure food options
- ▶ Increase access to fresh fruits, vegetables & healthy food
- ▶ Support seniors with meals & getting around
- ▶ Offer lunches, breakfast programs, food banks & community kitchens to support families

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