

# **Community Workshop on the Kingston Model for Affordable Housing**

**Thursday, January 27, 2005  
Press Lounge, Portsmouth Olympic Harbour  
53 Young St., Kingston  
4:30 – 7:00 p.m.**

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## **Agenda**

- 4:30 – 5:00 p.m. Refreshments
- 5:00 – 5:30 p.m. Ed Starr and Christine Pacini, SHS Inc.  
Overview of the Kingston Model for Affordable Housing Development Recommendations
- 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. 3 Focus Group Discussions:
- Strategic vision and governance model
  - Tools and incentives to meet affordable housing needs
  - The Kingston Model and the Community
- 6:30 – 7:00 p.m. Feedback and Next Steps

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## **Focus Group Questions on the Kingston Model for Affordable Housing**

Following the opening presentation, participants will be organized into three discussion groups. The following questions will guide the discussion for each group. Please come prepared to participate in the group of your choice and to discuss the questions noted below. Please refer to the draft of the Executive Summary or the Kingston Model Report available at the City of Kingston website: <http://www.cityofkingston.ca/kmahd>

### **• STRATEGIC VISION AND GOVERNANCE MODEL**

1. Do you agree with recommendations 1-7, 41-42, in the Executive Summary Document?
2. Are there any recommendations you consider inappropriate?
3. Are there any that we may have missed that should be added?

### **• TOOLS AND INCENTIVES TO MEET AFFORDABLE HOUSING NEEDS**

1. Do you agree with recommendations 8-34, 43, in the Executive Summary Document?
2. Are there any recommendations you consider inappropriate?
3. Are there any that we may have missed that should be added?

### **• THE KINGSTON MODEL AND THE COMMUNITY**

1. Do you agree with recommendations 35-40, 44, in the Executive Summary Document?
2. Are there any recommendations you consider inappropriate?
3. Are there any that we may have missed that should be added?