

Communiqué

September 28, 2026

The Requirements, Recommendations and Guidelines in this Communiqué are applicable to the social housing providers administered by the City of Hamilton.

Social Housing Providers	Applicable
All Providers Under Housing Services Act, 2011	Yes
Not for Profit Providers Under Housing Services Act, 2011	Yes
Co-Operative Providers Under Housing Services Act, 2011	Yes
Providers in receipt of Rent Supplements	Yes
Access to Housing	Yes
Requirement	No
Recommendation	No
Guidelines	No

SUBJECT: Housing Administration Officer Portfolio Update

Please see the upcoming Housing Administration Officer (HAO) portfolio changes, which will take effect on January 1st, 2027. In addition to supporting workload balance and equity across portfolios, these changes will provide all HAOs with experience across the full range of housing sectors within our portfolio.

To support a smooth transition, Housing Providers will have an opportunity to meet and network with the HAOs at the Housing Provider Meeting on November 6, 2026.

Work transitions will occur throughout the balance of the year, with portfolio assignments taking effect in January 2027. There will also be opportunities for HAOs to be introduced to Board members as part of this transition process.

We look forward to supporting you through this change and to continuing the important work we accomplish together in serving our housing communities.

Summary of changes:

Housing Administration Officer (HAO)	New Portfolio – effective January 2027
Godfred Okyere-Koranteng (ext 7373)	• 272 Caroline Street Co-Op • Ancaster Village Non-Profit Homes • Corktown Co-Operative Homes Inc • Ebony Group Community Homes of Hamilton • Halam Park Co-Operative Housing • Hamilton East Kiwanis Non-Profit Homes / Local 1005 Community Homes Inc • McGivney Community Homes • Meridian Co-Operative Homes Inc • Stoneworth Co-Operative Homes Inc • Stoney Creek Community Homes • Tabby Town Co-Operative

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George Gambioli (ext 4840)	• Andes Heritage Co-Operative Inc • Artaban Non-Profit Homes Inc • Glanbrook Non-Profit Housing Inc • Good Shepherd Non-Profit Homes Inc • Hamilton Baptist Non-Profit Homes Corp. • Los Andes of Hamilton Co-Operative Inc • McMaster Community Homes Corporation • Southern Lights Co-Operative Homes Inc • The Ukrainian Villa of the Resurrection Church in Hamilton • Victoria Park Community Homes • Wesley Community Homes Inc • Women’s Community Co-Operative Inc
Carin Finch (ext 4837)	• ITCA Community Involvement Inc • Lions Freelton Villa Non-Profit Housing • LIUNA (Hamilton) Association • Ontario Aboriginal Housing Services • Sacajawea Non-Profit Housing Inc • Slovenian Society of St. Joseph Hamilton • Sons of Italy (Hamilton) Housing Corporation Rent Supplement Program – for all providers, with funding through: • COCHI • Commercial

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	• HPP • OCHAP
Kelly Harrington (ext 6285)	No changes

This Communiqué will be posted shortly on the [City of Hamilton's Housing Provider Information webpage](#).¹

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¹ <https://www.hamilton.ca/people-programs/housing-shelter/housing-services/housing-provider-information>