**Guildford Community Advisory Committee (CAC)**

A Guildford CAC is currently meeting quarterly* to discuss any concerns related to the Guildford Shelter. It formed in November 2016 and began meeting monthly prior to the Shelter opening in February 2017. This committee would begin meeting every two months if the supportive housing is approved, as a resource to support the successful integration of the new building and residents into the community.

*The committee felt meeting quarterly was sufficient due to the smooth operations of the shelter.

“This shelter has become an “ASSET” to our neighborhood. Our issues of loitering, trespassing and substance abuse has been reduced on our property to almost zero! I recognize the excellent management of Lookout Society, superb supervision, and overall assistance to the future of their guests!” Peter, resident of a local strata and CAC member

### Purpose

The CAC is guided by a Terms of Reference that keeps the committee focused on its purpose:

- to provide feedback from the community to Lookout regarding any potential impacts of the shelter
- to help ensure open communication between Lookout and the community
- to fulfill the Lookout commitment to provide a well-managed emergency shelter program, which is a valued resource in Guildford

### Membership

Membership includes organizations and individuals most impacted by a new service or housing. For the Guildford Shelter, this is:

- the local elementary school
- Fraser Health
- local strata councils
- local businesses
- community members who have expressed interest or concern about shelter operations.

BC Housing, RCMP and Lookout Housing + Health Society sit on the committee, which is led by the City of Surrey.

### Outcomes

- No significant issues to date. Concerns were brought forward prior to the shelter opening, specifically impacts on the surrounding area including the park users and elementary school. Each member is asked at each meeting to report any issues that they are aware of related to the shelter and to date there have been no significant issues.

- Support for the shelter. Through relationships built around the CAC table, some members have taken the opportunity to support the ongoing work of the shelter by donating needed items.
Lookout Housing and Health Society would operate the housing and provide support services to residents. They are experienced with operating supportive housing in Surrey as well as outreach teams, community resource centres, medical and dental clinic, food bank, HIV and Hep C supports, social enterprises, and peer and employment programs.

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Health Services
- Intensive Case Management Team
- Rig Dig Needle Pick-Up
- Mobile Harm Reduction Outreach