

MEMBER VALUE STATEMENT



CO-OPS PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING VALUE TO THEIR MEMBERS:

- **Affordable and secure housing** — having housing that is affordable with an ongoing lease.
- **Maintenance** — co-op housing is well maintained.
- **Influence** — members have a say in how the co-op is governed, and how resources are used.
- **Accountability** — co-op leadership is accountable and transparent.
- **Connection** — feeling connected to members of your co-op and being part of a supportive community.

CEHL PROVIDES THE FOLLOWING VALUE TO MEMBER CO-OPS:

- **Accountability** — CEHL leadership is accountable and transparent.
- **Communication** — CEHL shares important and relevant information with members co-ops, in ways that are easy to access and understand.
- **Co-op resources and support** — member co-ops are provided with resources, policies and support, along with accurate and consistent advice.
- **Training for members** — CEHL supports learning and growth for members to be able to manage their co-ops.
- **Maintenance** — co-op housing is well maintained.
- **Houses for members** — CEHL manages a property portfolio, that allows co-ops to access new properties, or hand-back properties that are too expensive to maintain or no longer needed. CEHL secures funding and develops new housing that enables co-ops to grow.
- **Advocacy** — CEHL represents co-ops to the wider community and advocates for co-op housing.