

The Regional Municipality of Waterloo

Community Services Committee

Summary of Recommendations to Council

The Community Services Committee recommends as follows:

1. That the Regional Municipality of Waterloo direct staff to develop a Homelessness Master Plan detailing the strategies and resources necessary to end homelessness in the Region of Waterloo.
2. That the Regional Municipality of Waterloo authorize Staff to prioritize and implement interim housing solutions, to support those experiencing homelessness in the Region of Waterloo, in the following order:
 1. Expansion of the Transitional Housing Program, including an Indigenous-focused and led site;
 2. Expansion of the Home-Based Support Program;
 3. Expansion of the Emergency Shelter Program; and
 4. Permit a managed Hybrid Shelter/Outdoor Model.

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