

Our History

New Horizon has been operating in inner-city neighborhoods since 1995. Founded by two new immigrants with a strong commitment to supporting the settlement and housing needs of refugees and newcomers, the enterprise began with a mission rooted in compassion and community service. Over time, its work expanded to include supporting housing needs for Indigenous communities in the inner city. New Horizon has evolved into a solid and reputable social enterprise specializing in small-scale construction, renovation, and property management. In recent years, the enterprise has expanded into real estate investment, with a focus on renovating and restoring abandoned houses in the inner city. This strategic growth aims to increase the availability of safe, affordable housing for vulnerable communities, including seniors, newcomers, and low-income families. This strategic growth has positioned New Horizon social enterprise as a key player in urban renewal and affordable housing solutions, reducing poverty and homelessness for vulnerable communities.

Our work include:

- **Community-focus** - restoring the heart of our cities by transforming neglected properties into affordable, dignified homes. We serve seniors, newcomers, Indigenous people and young people by creating stable housing that fosters opportunity, inclusion, and a better quality of life.
- **Business-Impact** - Delivering affordable and sustainable construction and property management solutions that generate both community value and business growth. By investing in the revitalization of inner-city neighborhoods, we aim to meet urgent housing needs while creating long-term returns.
- **Innovation-Driven** - Innovation in restoring and managing properties, offering modern, cost-effective housing for underserved urban communities. We build more than homes—we build foundations for better lives.
- **Real Estate Investment** - unlock the social and economic potential of inner-city real estate by redeveloping aging properties into affordable housing. We provide strategic solutions that benefit low-and middle-income residents while creating meaningful investment opportunities.
- **Employment and training opportunities** - we create a meaningful employment and job experience pathways for visible minorities and indigenous peoples, refugees and young people - contributing to economic empowerment and skill development.
- **Halfway housing** - we provide transitional housing and reintegration opportunities for young-adults coming out from correctional facilities. We help them break the cycle of offending and incarceration and assisting long term housing stability.
- **Temporary housing for Indigenous individuals** - travelling from reserves to Edmonton for hospital visits, medical check ups or treatment. We also provide transitional housing for individuals discharged from hospitals who need stable and safe place to recover.

Our work is driven by compassion and grounded in practical, sustainable economic solution based on combination of “business spirit” in mind and “social compassion” in the heart to achieve a common goal.