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Ms. Pat Angnakak
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Dear Ms. Angnakak:

Thank you for your email of November 25, 2015, concerning funding for a new long-term elder care facility in Nunavut.

Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation is interested in your proposed project. I have referred your contact information to Sandra Turner, our Affordable Housing Consultant for Nunavut. Sandra will be in touch in the near future to take a formal application for Seed/PDF funding, which is used in the initial stages of project development.

Thank you for bringing this important matter to my attention.

Sincerely,

Evan Siddall
President and Chief Executive Officer



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Qikiqtani Inuit Association

January 7, 2016

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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing as President of the Qikiqtani Inuit Association, to express my support and to encourage the development of an elder's center in Iqaluit. This facility will be considered a territorial wide elder care for all Nunavummiut.

There is a growing need for elder care within our territory. Specifically, in the area of long term care beds, dementia care beds, assisted living accommodation, a hospice, and elders programs and services, including rehabilitation.

Our culture and values include respect for our elders but, the reality shows many do not get sufficient access to health care and other important services which can jeopardize their safety at times.

Currently, there is a shortage of services in Nunavut including proper institutions to provide long term elder care.

I strongly support this project and urge you to give this the priority it needs for the benefit of our elders.

Best regards,

Pauloosie (PJ) Akeeagok
President



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Nunavut Housing Corporation
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Société d'habitation du Nunavut

January 8, 2016

To Whom It May Concern,

The Nunavut Housing Corporation (NHC) is committed to supporting housing initiatives for Elders in Nunavut.

To this end, the Corporation is prepared to enter into an agreement with a non-profit organization, once created, for the transfer of NHC-owned lots 395, 396, 397, 398 and 399 in Iqaluit, Nunavut, for the sole purpose of constructing an assisted living facility for Elders.

This agreement will be predicated on the condition that the land must be returned to the NHC if it cannot be used for the specific purpose outlined.

A formal transfer agreement will be drafted when the non-profit organization can provide the NHC with a detailed proposal describing the structure of the organization and its proposed operations.

If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact me directly at 867-975-7200 ext 7201 or lkimball1@gov.nu.ca.

Sincerely,

Lori Kimball
President and CEO,
Nunavut Housing Corporation



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QIKIQTAAALUK CORPORATION

January 25th, 2016

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Attention to:

Mrs. Pat Angnakak

Co-chair of Sailivik Society

Email: pangnakak@assembly.nu.ca

Letter of Interest Regarding Sailivik Society's Elder Care Facility Project in Iqaluit

Ref: January 12th, 2016 Iqaluit City Council Meeting

Dear Mrs. Angnakak,

Qikiqtaaluk Corporation has been following with interest Sailivik Society's proposal to have built and run a long-term care facility for elders, with a community-daycare center, in Iqaluit. QC believes the project is both timely and important and supports Sailivik Society's approach which seeks to ensure the elders' social inclusion and wellbeing.

It is our understanding that Sailivik Society is currently looking for a land parcel for the project and has initiated discussions with the Nunavut Housing Corporation and the Qikiqtani Inuit Association in that regard. In light of this development, QC would like to propose a meeting to explore options for possible locations on QC's Inuit Owned Land property currently available as well as look at ways in which our organizations could cooperate, under Sailivik's direction, in the development and the construction of the elder care facility in Iqaluit. I believe that QC's involvement, on account of its skills and experience, could accelerate the start date and ensure the successful completion of the project.

As you might be already aware, QC is owner and managing partner of Larga Baffin in Ottawa and is also a partner in other facilities such as the Sanavallianiᑕ Iqaluit Media Centre, a partnership with Inuit Broadcasting Corporation (IBC), NCC and Atuqtuarvik Corporation in Iqaluit.

We look forward to the opportunity of discussing the further development of this project with you at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely,

Harry Flaherty

President & CEO

Qikiqtaaluk Corporation

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To Whom It May Concern:

The Iqaluit City Council is in principle supports the proposal to build a new Elders Facility in the City of Iqaluit.

Elders play an important role in our society and it is a sad reality that many of Elders do not have access to adequate housing, health services and/or other services that they may require.

One of the most pressing needs in our society is for infrastructure that can provide long term care for Elders. A new Elders Facility could help address the growing needs of our elders in Iqaluit and across Nunavut.

The Iqaluit City recognizes this project has value and that in order for the project to proceed that it will likely require a feasibility and/or business case developed. As such, the council is prepared to support the Sailivik Society in securing funds in order to assess the viability of such a facility in Iqaluit.

Sincerely,

Mayor Redfern

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February 4, 2016

Pat Angnakak
MLA Iqaluit Niagunngu
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Dear Pat Angnakak:

Thank you for taking the time out of your busy schedule to update me about the Sailivik Society and your ambitions to move it forward.

I know there are many elders in our community and my riding that could benefit from a long term elder care facility. I fully support what you are doing and especially the fact that you are including 12 dementia beds and 6 hospice beds in that facility. I campaigned back in 2013 ready to ask for something like to happen. If there is anything I can do to assist you in seeing this through, please don't hesitate to ask me.

With the energy you are providing to see this through, as well as the support from your board, I commend you in the fight for better services for our elders here in Iqaluit.

Sincerely,



Monica Ell-Kanayuk
MLA for Iqaluit Manirajak



Pat Angnakak
MLA for Iqaluit-Aggu
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February 26, 2016

Dear Ms. Angnakak,

I am writing to you in support of your initiative to establish an elder care centre in Iqaluit.

As a fellow Member of the Legislative Assembly and representative for Iqaluit-Tasiluk, I understand the importance of providing care and comfort to the many elders living in Iqaluit and the territory at large.

This initiative to build a modern residential elders' facility in Iqaluit will bring many benefits to elders who require additional care outside of their home, and contribute more widely to an inclusive and sustainable community.

I would like to congratulate you on your efforts to date in moving this project forward, and wish to lend my support to this initiative. Please let me know if there is any way I can be of assistance.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'G. Hickes'.

George Hickes

MLA Iqaluit-Tasiluk