

## BYLAW 2025-07

# A BYLAW OF THE TOWN OF CANMORE, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, TO AUTHORIZE COUNCIL TO LEND MONEY TO CANMORE COMMUNITY HOUSING CORPORATION (the "CORPORATION")

**WHEREAS** pursuant to sections 265(1) of the *Municipal Government Act*, RSA 2000 c.M-26, a municipality is permitted to loan money to one of its controlled corporations or a non-profit organization;

**AND WHEREAS** the Town of Canmore views the development of affordable housing in Canmore as beneficial to the community and wishes to support such development;

AND WHEREAS the Corporation is a non-profit organization that is wholly owned by the Town of Canmore;

**AND WHEREAS** the Corporation has requested assistance in its housing development project from the Town of Canmore, through the provision of a loan;

**AND WHEREAS** the Town wishes to enter into a loan agreement whereby the Town shall lend the Corporation \$12,000,000 (the "Loan");

**AND WHEREAS** the Corporation will use the Loan for the construction of a residential development which will be a purpose-built rental complex at 100 Palliser Lane;

**AND WHEREAS** the principal amount of outstanding debt of the Town of Canmore at December 31, 2023 is \$37,312,622, and no part of the principal or interest is in arrears;

**AND WHEREAS** as of December 31, 2023, the Corporation owes the Town of Canmore \$5,218,153. None of the principal or interest is in arrears;

**AND WHEREAS** the Council of the Town of Canmore considers that the money loaned to the Corporation under the Loan to be used for a benefit that will benefit the Town of Canmore by providing further rental unit accommodations in the Town of Canmore.

**NOW THEREFORE,** The Council of the Town of Canmore, in the Province of Alberta, duly assembled, enacts as follows:

#### TITLE

1. This bylaw shall be known as "Loan Bylaw 2025-07 – Canmore Community Housing Corporation 100 Palliser Lane".

#### THE LOAN & PURPOSE

- 2. Council hereby authorizes the Town of Canmore to enter into a loan agreement with the Corporation for the purposes of construction at 100 Palliser Lane, in the Town of Canmore.
- 3. Prior to the Town of Canmore advancing any funds to the Corporation pursuant to the Loan, the Town of Canmore and the Corporation will enter into a written loan agreement consistent with the terms of this Bylaw (the "Loan Agreement").

- 4. The chief administrative officer is hereby authorized to execute all necessary documents to affect the loan to Canmore Community Housing Corporation.
- 5. The rate of interest to be paid on the loan will be 2.57% per annum, for a term of 3 years commencing from the time the Town of Canmore advances the Loan to the Corporation under the Loan Agreement (the "Term").
- 6. The Loan shall be repaid in one-lump sum repayment, inclusive of principal and interest, on or before the expiry of the Term.

### THE SOURCES OF THE LOAN

7. The source of the money to be loaned is the Town's cash and investments per the Town's financial statements.

#### ENACTMENT/TRANSITION

- 8. If any clause in this bylaw is found to be invalid, it shall be severed from the remainder of the bylaw and shall not invalidate the whole bylaw.
- 9. This bylaw comes into force on the date it is passed.

FIRST READING: February 11, 2025

SECOND READING:

THIRD READING:

Approved on behalf of the Town of Canmore:

Sean Krausert Mayor Date

Cheryl Hyde Manager, Municipal Clerk's Office Date