Partnerships Helping Us, Help Others

[Tapping Into Resources To Improve Service Delivery]
Great Partnerships
Share Common Goals
CRW’s Fluid Role

- Advocate for residents
- Our communities – promoting healthy and safe neighbourhoods
- Support Community Resources for tenants
- CHC Staff promoting solutions
Community Relations

- Work within CHC neighbourhoods, assisting diverse tenant populations.
- Neighbourhood/tenant issues, needs, requests.
- Building relationships, rapport and trust.
Inspired

“... We are inspired by the belief that through partnerships and community engagement, a better life for residents of social housing neighbourhoods could emerge, and builds upon our long range goals to further our vision and mission”

• Jim Steele, CEO, CHC
External Partnerships

Partnerships enables CHC to focus community improvements on:

- Capacity building in neighbourhoods
- Asset building
- Establishing an environment of learning
- Leveraging private and business
Ouellette Manor
Neighbourhood Watch Program

- Multi-agency and resident based Neighbourhood Watch Program, in a high rise.
- Watch groups are a foundation of community crime prevention; they can be a stepping stone to community revitalization.
Part of the Solution

- Improvements in safety, security & social activities.
- Neighbourhood Watch embraced & strengthened many things already in place.
- Community spirit, camaraderie with neighbours, stronger relations with law enforcement.
Community Beautification & Green Events
Community Events
Environment of Learning

- Co-op
- CUP
- Teachers College
- Mobile Reading
Partners in our Communities

- Ontario Early Years
- Grandview Youth Centre
- CUP
- Multicultural Council
- COAST Team
- Windsor Police Service
- Windsor Fire and Rescue
- Life After 50
- University of Windsor
- And many more
Summer Recreation

- In 7 neighbourhoods.
- In 2014 we had 446 children registered.
- Youth Program
- Offered a breakfast program (368 attended)

- Limited funding through the CHC public housing budget.
- Receive grants
Community University Partnership

- Began as a community based initiative for neighbourhood renewal.
- Includes several stakeholder organizations.
- Located in CHC communities.
- Benefits CHC residents.
- University Civil Engagement.
- Community/Resource Engagement.
- Field Education
Measuring Outcomes

- Social Return on Investment
- Observations
Partnering Success

1. Determine what you need but don't have.
2. Determine who has what you need.
3. Ask them for it, but, first make sure you have something they want or need.