

HNA Webinar

Association of Municipalities of Ontario

Wednesday, August 14th



Purpose & Overview

- **Purpose:**

- Provide an overview of the HNA Template and address questions from the municipalities

- **Agenda:**

- HNA Template Walk-Through
- H.A.R.T. Overview
- Question & Answer

Context

As a part of the CCBF renewal process, Infrastructure Canada (INFC) now requires all Single-Tier (ST) and Lower-Tier (LT) municipalities with a population of 30,000+ to create an HNA.

Following Budget 2022, Canada ties access to information funding to actions by provinces and municipalities to increase housing supply where it makes sense to do so.

HNA Template Overview



Section 1: Methodology

Research methodology overview

Must use data from the latest census
(except otherwise indicated)

Data fields highlighted in yellow are where
municipalities will have to source the data

Section 2: Community Profile and Trends

Tell your municipality's housing story via community and household profiles

Explain how population changes have impacted your municipality

Section 3: Household Profiles & Economic Characteristics

General overview of income, housing and economic characteristics of your municipality

Income categories can be calculated through H.A.R.T. methodology and CMHC data

Percentage of households that fall into each income category

Section 4: Priority Groups

Data on housing needs or challenges of priority populations in your municipality

Additional reporting on groups excluded from publicly available core housing need data sources

Section 5: Housing Profile

Demonstrate how housing changes over time through trends in changes to affordable and below-market housing

Should be expressed over the next 3 census periods

Section 6: Projected Housing Needs & Next Steps

How much and what type of housing is needed to meet the needs of the population in the next 10 years?

H.A.R.T methodology is recommended for creating projections by anticipated demographic, population and household projections.

Section 7: Use of HNA in Long-Term Planning

Understand how your municipality will use the HNA to inform long-term planning

Identify concrete actions to address gaps and linkages



H.A.R.T. Overview

H.A.R.T.

Overview of the
HNA
development
process

Best practices in
conducting an
HNA



Next Steps and Question & Answer

Questions?

Open floor for questions

Please submit your questions on the
“Question” function in Zoom

Next Steps

LT and ST municipalities with a population of 30,000 or greater must create an HNA by March 2025

Once an HNA is completed for a federal infrastructure program, a municipality will not have to complete another once, except to renew it every 5 years

AMO, ON, and HICC are collaborating to address data gaps