



**CD-1 Rezoning: 2009-2037 Stainsbury Avenue** Public Hearing – July 5, 2022

# **Existing Site and Context**





# **Site and Surrounding Zoning**





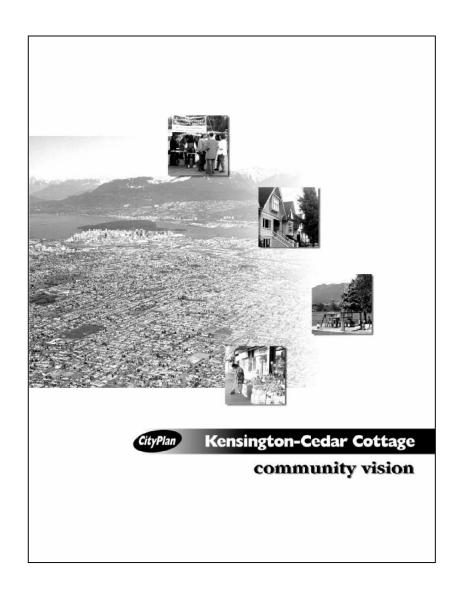
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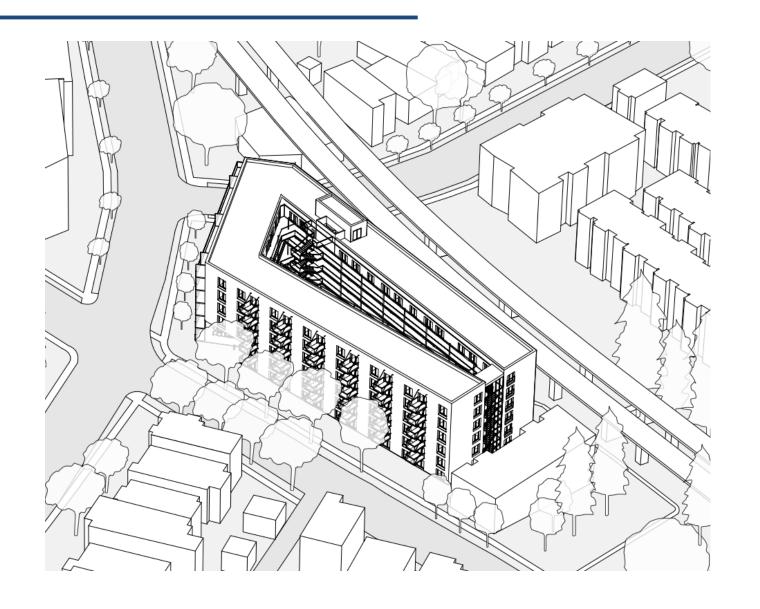
# **Policy Context**





# **Proposal**

- Application submitted:
  December 3, 2021
- 6-7-storey residential building
- 123 social housing units
- 3.53 FSR recommended
- Building height of 23.4 m (76.8 ft.)
- ~194 construction jobs created



# **Proposal**

- 46% family units, including:
  - 28% two-bedroom units
  - 13% three-bedroom units
  - 5% four-bedroom units
- Courtyard form
- Indoor and outdoor amenity at-grade
- Driveway access from Hull Street



## **Proposal**

### Vienna House

- Memorandum Of Cooperation (MOC) with City of Vienna
- Passive House certification
- Partnership between BC Housing, VAHA and More Than a Roof Housing Society (MTR)
- MTR approved as non-profit partner by Council on June 9, 2020





# **Housing Affordability & Rental Rates**

		20% of Units		50% of Units		30% of Units	
		RGI Deep Subsidy <sup>1</sup>		Rent-Geared-to-income <sup>2</sup>		Market Rents	
	Proposed Unit Size (sq. ft.)	Monthly Rent Range	Max Annual Income	Monthly Rent Range	Max Annual Income	Monthly Rent Range <sup>3</sup>	Max Household Income Served <sup>4</sup>
Studio	398	\$375-495	\$19,814	Up to \$1,438	\$57,500	\$1,200-1,500	\$77,430
1-bed	574	\$375-495	\$19,814	Up to \$1,438	\$57,500	\$1,500-2,000	\$77,430
2-bed	758	\$570-660	\$26,400	Up to \$1,725	\$69,000	\$2,000-2,500	\$120,990
3-bed	1,060	\$660	\$26,400	Up to \$2,000	\$80,000	\$2,500-3,200	\$120,990
4-bed	1,400	\$700	In receipt of IA	Up to \$2,212	\$88,500	\$3,000-3,500	\$120,990

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> BCH CHF RFP – Low income residents selected from BC Housing's Housing Registry who are in receipt of Income Assistance or where income is less than the Deep Subsidy threshold established by the BC Housing Limits will be established by BC Housing based on the TRC payable by tenants in receipt of IA or basic Old Age Security and Guaranteed Income Supplement

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> BCH CHF REP - Residents will be selected from BC Housing's Housing Registry to reflect a blend of incomes falling between the applicable HIL and Deep Subsidy level.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The intention is to rent these units at or below the market rent for a similar unit in the community.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Based on the BC Housing definition of "Low and Moderate Income Limits" in 2022, the definition of which is subject to change on an annual basis.

### **Public Consultation**

Postcards Mailed January 20, 2022

Postcards distributed	990
Questions	69
Comment forms	176
Other input	2
Total	247

City-hosted Virtual Open House January 24, 2022 to February 13, 2022



### **Comments of support**

- Affordable, social housing
- Building height, density, location
- Building design
- Passive House certification

#### **Comments of concern**

- Building height, density, massing, location
- Building and site design
- Parking
- Loss of community garden
- Community amenities

## Response to Feedback

### Building height, density, massing, location

 Proposed building is in keeping with neighbouring developments; provides an appropriate transition from Victoria Drive to lower-scale residential forms to the east

### **Building and site design**

Courtyard form responds to site challenges; rezoning conditions to enhance liveability

### **Parking**

Near to transit and will meet the Parking By-law

### Loss of community garden

Staff are working with the Garden Society to secure an alternate location

### **Community Amenities**

Strategies to meet demand will be reviewed as part of future Capital Planning

### **Conclusion**

- Application for social housing may be considered under the Kensington-Cedar Cottage Community Vision
- Application advances City's social housing targets under the Housing Vancouver Strategy
- Staff support application subject to conditions in Appendix B

