



# DOWNTOWN EASTSIDE PLAN

2014 - 2018 IMPLEMENTATION



## APPROVED HOUSING

FROM 2015-2018

**\$1.7**  
MILLION  
~ IN ~  
SRO UPGRADE  
GRANTS



**794**  
UNITS OF  
SOCIAL  
HOUSING  
(WITHIN DTES)

**569**  
UNITS AT SHELTER  
RATES INCLUDING

**130**  
TEMPORARY  
MODULAR  
HOUSING  
UNITS  
(WITHIN DTES)

CITYWIDE  
**4,390**  
UNITS OF  
SOCIAL  
HOUSING  
INCLUDING  
**1,247**  
UNITS AT  
SHELTER RATES

## TRANSPORTATION



**336**  
CHINATOWN  
DRAGON  
LIGHTS  
UPGRADED FOR  
ENERGY EFFICIENCY

STREET & SIDEWALK UPGRADES:

**26** NEW  
SIDEWALK  
RAMPS



**3** NEW  
CROSSWALKS



**5** NEW  
PEDESTRIAN SIGNALS



**SEPARATED**  
BIKEWAYS  
ADDED TO  
CAMBIE &  
BEATTY STREETS

## COMMUNITY



NEW NƏC'A?MAT CT  
**STRATHCONA**  
PUBLIC LIBRARY  
OPENED IN 2017

**\$6 MILLION+**

IN COMMUNITY  
SERVICE  
GRANTS  
TO DTES  
ORGANIZATIONS



**30** NEW  
CHILDCARE  
SPACES  
AT  
CROSSTOWN  
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

**570,000+**

MEALS SERVED  
PER YEAR  
TO DTES RESIDENTS



## LOCAL ECONOMY

### UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

DOWN TO



**9.2%**  
FROM 12.6%  
IN 2011

**5.3%**

INCREASE  
IN JOBS  
SINCE 2011



**21,105**

PEOPLE WORKING  
IN THE DTES

**\$3.7  
MILLION**

~ IN ~

GRANTS FOR  
SOCIAL,  
ECONOMIC  
&  
ENVIRONMENTAL  
OBJECTIVES



## HERITAGE

**\$300,000**

IN

HERITAGE FAÇADE  
REHABILITATION

GRANTS

**\$2.1  
MILLION**

IN

CHINESE  
SOCIETY  
BUILDINGS

GRANTS FOR CRITICAL  
BUILDING UPGRADES



## ARTS & CULTURE


**\$5.9  
MILLION**

~ IN ~

ARTS &  
CULTURE  
GRANTS



## PARKS & OPEN SPACE



**27**  
FOOT  
SURVIVORS'  
**TOTEM  
POLE**  
RAISED IN  
**PIGEON  
PARK**

**POND  
RENEWAL**  
AT  
**DR. SUN  
YAT-SEN  
GARDEN**

NEW **ANDY  
LIVINGSTONE  
PARK**  
PLAYGROUND



 **5**   
**NEIGHBOURHOOD  
BULLETIN  
BOARDS**

IN CHINATOWN,  
OPPENHEIMER,  
STRATHCONA,  
MACLEAN PARK, &  
VICTORY SQUARE

# DOWNTOWN EASTSIDE BASED ON 2016 CENSUS



GROWTH  
**1,800**  
(15% OF PROJECTION)

## POPULATION



POPULATION  
**18,500**  
IN 2011

PROJECTED GROWTH  
**12,000**  
IN 2041

## AGE

0-14  
YEARS:

**6.4%**

15-64  
YEARS:

**74.8%**

65+  
YEARS:

**18.8%**

## GENDER



MALE

**11,550**

FEMALE

**8,410**

2016 Census data does not account for non-binary.

## IDENTITY

**1,525**

RESIDENTS IDENTIFY AS  
**INDIGENOUS**

THAT WORKS OUT TO

**9.8%**

INDIGENOUS IN DTES VS.

**2.2%**

INDIGENOUS  
CITYWIDE

## HOUSING

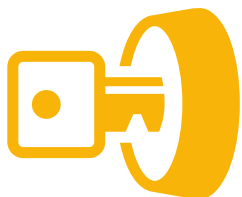
TENURE:

OWN

**21%**

RENT

**79%**



## INCOME

MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD

DTES

**\$23,359**

IN 2016

INCREASE FROM

**\$22,036**

IN 2011

CITYWIDE

**\$65,423**

## COMMUTE

**70%**

~ OF ~

PEOPLE



**WALK,  
BIKE OR  
TAKE TRANSIT  
TO WORK**