



## News Release

### Chief Executive Officer Appointment

November 9, 2017

The Board of Directors of Homeland Housing is pleased to announce the appointment of Raymond Cormie as their new Chief Executive Officer effective January 2, 2018.

Mr. Cormie is replacing Dennis Magnusson, Executive Director, who is retiring after a career of fifty three years, forty five of those years as an Executive Director with extensive experience in health and housing in the four western provinces. Dennis has been the Executive Director of Sturgeon Foundation, Westlock Foundation and the newly established Homeland Housing since the fall of 2011. The Board of Directors and staff wish Dennis and his wife Carol health and happiness in their well-deserved retirement.

Raymond Cormie has spent the past eighteen years in the continuing care sector in Edmonton and Calgary. Raymond's career started as a recreation therapist in long term care and has evolved into a variety of management and leadership roles. For the past seven years Raymond has served as the Chief Executive Officer of the Father Lacombe Care Society in Calgary. Father Lacombe Care Society provides supportive living, long term care and adult day programs for 475 residents and clients. Raymond is also a member of the Alberta continuing Care Association and other related credentials.

Raymond is keen to assume his new role, provide leadership and work with others to strengthen and enhance programs and services as well as pursue capital projects throughout the region for Homeland Housing and the communities we serve.

The Board would also like to thank Recruitment Partners Inc. who conducted this senior level search and secured Raymond. Their collaborative and consultative approach instilled confidence in the board that Homeland Housing would secure a top candidate.

Thank You

Gord Putnam

Chairman of the Board

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