



# Scoping the Legislative Challenges

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# Overview



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Operating Environment**



**Strategic Renewal**

New Mission, Vision and Values



**Future Outlook**

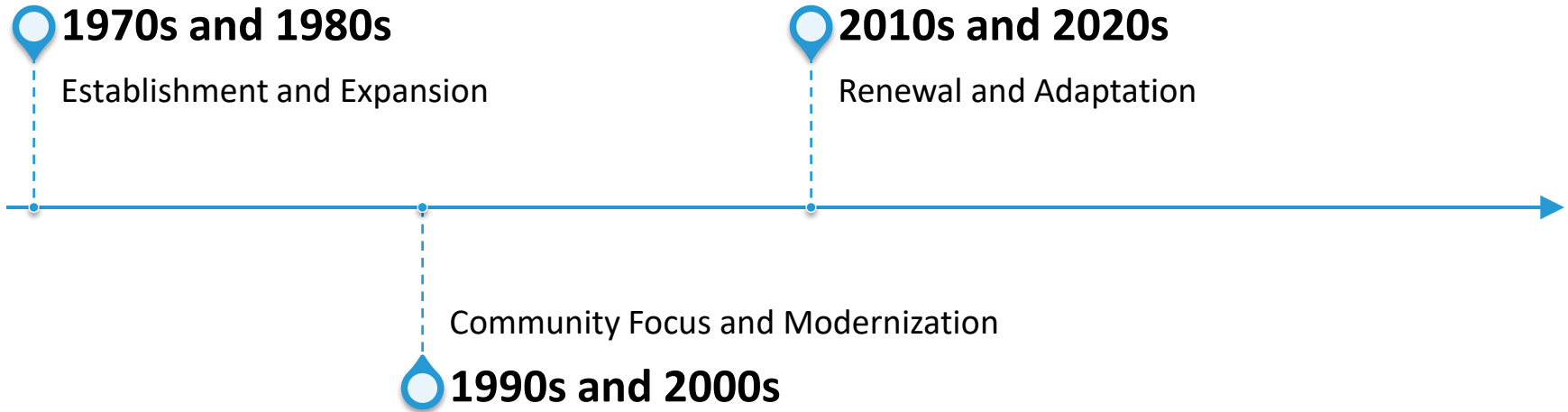


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# Operating Environment



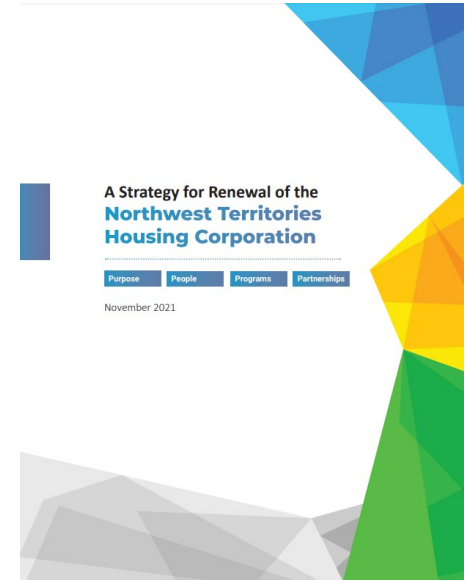
# Evolution of Housing NWT



# Strategic Renewal

# What is Strategic Renewal?

- ✓ New mandate and name
- 🤝 New approach to working with Indigenous Governments
- 📄 Program and Policy Review (42 Action Items)
- 👥 Driving changes to corporate culture
- 🏠 Establishment of NWT Housing Forum



# New Mission, Vision and Values

**Vision:** We are a respected partner in providing effective housing support for people in most need.

**Mission:** Increasing the wellbeing of individuals and communities by providing fair access to quality housing support for people in most need.

## Values:

- Client-focused
- Collaboration
- Accountability
- Innovation
- Reconciliation
- Sustainability



## Mission, Values and Vision

### Mission

Increasing the wellbeing of individuals and communities by providing fair access to quality housing support for people most in need.



### Values

#### Client-focused

- We are fair, respectful and compassionate.
- We recognize that everyone has a unique lived experience that may include past trauma.
- We communicate clearly and often.

#### Accountability

- We are accountable to our clients, to our employees, to our partners and to the public for our conduct and our use of public resources.
- We are transparent.
- We look for accountability in others.



#### Reconciliation

- We acknowledge the Indigenous inherent right of self-government.
- We engage with Indigenous governments on a government-to-government basis.
- We educate ourselves about the NWT's history of colonization.
- We strive for cultural appropriateness in our work.



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### Vision

We are a respected partner in providing effective housing support for people most in need.

#### Collaboration

- We look for and accept opportunities to collaborate.
- We recognize that greater success comes from working together.
- We take steps to build and maintain partnerships.

#### Innovation

- We strive to continue to improve.
- We are creative, adaptable and flexible.
- We measure our effectiveness.

#### Sustainability

- We look for environmental and fiscal sustainability in all aspects of our work.

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- Substantial federal funding received and opportunities provided by distinctions-based funding.
- Potential for Indigenous Governments to take on additional responsibilities for housing.
- Support Indigenous Governments in advancing their housing priorities.
- Support other partners and stakeholders, such as communities and NGOs.
- Housing NWT has extensive experience, resources and tools that can support the housing continuum

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- With a change in focus, the Strategic Renewal initiative has provided significant opportunity for us to work with our partners and improve the work that we do.
- This has included reviewing policies and programs
- Through Strategic Renewal, potential amendments were gathered from internal discussions over the past 3 years.
- Housing NWT will be conducting engagements with Indigenous Governments and other housing stakeholders to complete substantial updates to the Housing NWT Act

# Questions for Discussion

- What are your thoughts on the current direction of Housing NWT?
- As we move ahead with engagement on our legislation, how would you like these sessions to be delivered?



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