

## Calling Ottawa Seniors

The **Village Canada Consortium (VCC)** is seeking the help of older adult singles and couples in Ottawa! We are proposing to build a **non-profit, intergenerational, age-friendly village** and we want your advice and ideas. Planned for the 23-acre hill site behind the RA Centre on Riverside Drive, this future community at **875 Heron Road** would offer a new model of affordable living, care, and connection for older adults in Ottawa. The village could accommodate as many as 2000 people.

A full spectrum of housing from independent apartments to communal accommodation, to assisted living and to 24/7 care, is envisaged. The VCC is a growing group of community seniors' groups, social and health services organizations, community institutions and associations. The presentation at this [LINK](#) summarizes the project.

We want to assemble a list of people who might be interested in living there in future or who just want to be supportive of an important effort to provide more housing and care options, at affordable costs, to seniors in their Ottawa communities. We will use the list from time to time to consult you on things such as housing design, unit sizes, price vs quality finishes, transportation preferences, green space design and gathering places and your eventual interests in accommodation rental or investment. This will be done through brief and simple questionnaires.

If you would like to contribute to this important community initiative, or may eventually have an interest in being involved or living there, please give us your contact information using this [LINK](#). It will not be used for any purpose other than consultation on Village Canada.