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COUNTY *of* KINGS

Municipality Awarded Additional \$595,000 through Federal Housing Accelerator Fund

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The Municipality of the County of Kings is one of 32 municipalities in Canada selected to receive additional funding through the federal Housing Accelerator Fund (HAF) program. The Government of Canada awarded the Municipality \$595,000 in new HAF support.

“Our government is removing barriers and cutting red tape to enable more housing in communities across Canada. We reward local governments that are delivering real results and building more homes faster. By reinvesting in proven success, we are helping more Canadians access the housing they need,” said Minister of Housing and Infrastructure Gregor Robertson in a Government of Canada news release published May 13.

You can read the full news release from the Government of Canada [here](#).

The new HAF funding will, in part, support an initiative that will focus on changing the Municipality’s Land Use By-law to allow for the construction of accessory (secondary) dwellings in more areas of the Municipality.

“The Municipality is pleased to receive additional Housing Accelerator Fund support from the Government of Canada to continue doing our part to encourage the development of more homes in Kings County. This hard-earned HAF funding is a direct result of the successful rollout of the Municipality’s robust Housing Accelerator Fund action plan and continued support from Kings-Hants MP Kody Blois,” said Municipality of the County of Kings Mayor Dave Corkum.

The Municipality was initially awarded \$5.9 million to be paid out over a three-year period ending in 2027. For more about the work supported by this funding, visit <https://www.countyofkings.ca/HAF>.