

# Boyle Street Community Services' Mission is to End Chronic Homelessness.

**For over 50 years, Boyle Street Community Services has supported individuals and families experiencing homelessness and poverty in Edmonton.** Boyle Street has been harnessing our innovative expertise in health and healing and reimagining how services in the core of Edmonton could be delivered more effectively. *okimaw peyesew kamik* / King Thunderbird Centre is the culmination of that vision.

## ***askiïy, nipiïy, and asiniïy***

### **INTERDISCIPLINARY MODEL OF CARE DENS**

Experiencing poverty means facing many barriers to reaching your goals. The interdisciplinary support model in *okimaw peyesew kamik* / King Thunderbird Centre provides wraparound care (culture and ceremony, mental health and addiction supports, nursing, occupational therapy and social workers) to everyone it serves with a specialized team equipped with supports and services that match their needs.

## ***itê ka-skinôh-tamâke***

### **THE PLACE WHERE PEOPLE COME FOR HELP**

The majority of those who will receive services at *okimaw peyesew kamik* / King Thunderbird Centre require timely support to meet their immediate needs. These include housing referrals, ID services, system navigation, hygiene products, and other supports. By streamlining our service offerings into a space designed to facilitate meeting those needs, individuals can receive the support they need and be on their way.

## ***iskotêw and okimaw peyesew***

### **MAIN FLOOR AND SECOND FLOOR CULTURAL ROOMS**

Access to spiritual care through culture and ceremony is fundamental to the healing journey for the Indigenous communities served by this world-class facility. The design of *okimaw peyesew kamik* / King Thunderbird Centre was guided by Indigenous Elders and Knowledge Keepers in our community, reflective of those we serve, and honouring Treaty Six Territory.





## Housing

Trinity Manor, a 38-unit apartment complex owned by Boyle Street and adjacent to *okimaw peyeseew kamik* / King Thunderbird Centre will continue to provide below-market housing. It symbolizes our organizational commitment to creating and maintaining diverse housing options for those we serve.

## Committed to Community

We believe in the power of collaboration with local businesses and residents to ensure that our efforts to support those experiencing poverty and homelessness have a positive impact on our surrounding community. We will honour the commitments we have made and continue to build meaningful and lasting relationships with our neighbours.

Despite great challenges we believe unhealthy cycles can be broken, new opportunities created, and, through healing, health restored.



***Thank you to our partners for their collaboration and dedication.***

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