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Reminder - National Housing Day Speaker Tomorrow

The City of Prince Albert would like to remind the media and the public about a speaker event being held in recognition of National Housing Day tomorrow afternoon (Wednesday, November 24, 2010) at 1:00p.m. at City Hall in the Council Chamber. All those interested are welcome to attend.

Stephen Cohlmeier of Cohlmeier Architecture Ltd. has been invited to speak on Pocket Housing, a successful affordable housing initiative in Winnipeg, Manitoba. Cohlmeier will share information on building small apartment blocks – coined Pocket Housing - as well as lessons learned during this project including the value of engaging developers on innovative solutions, optimizing the use of existing municipal lots and collaboration with community groups.

National Housing Day provides an opportunity to recognize the importance of housing in our communities, raise awareness, transfer housing information and celebrate the progress in advancing housing solutions.

This event is sponsored by the City of Prince Albert, Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) and the Saskatchewan Housing Corporation.

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