

Housing co-ops and elections

We love our co-op homes. At election time, co-op members make sure that candidates know why we do!

We open our doors so we can ask candidates to

Open the Door to Co-op Housing



We register to vote

- Help newcomers and youth register



We invite our local reps

- We offer a tour of the co-op*
- We invite them to the bbq, movie night, spring clean-up
- We tell them why we love our co-op home



We discuss the co-op issues with each other

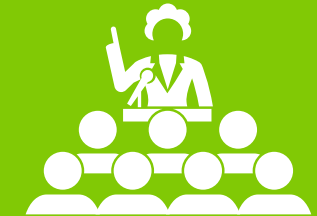
- CHF Canada posters are up!
- Brochures are handed out!



When candidates knock, we open our doors!

When we talk about our home, candidates leave with a strong impression about the power of co-ops.

- We share our own story about why the co-op is important (why we moved in, a special moment with a neighbour)
- We ask them to support building new co-op homes



We hold Meet the Candidates events

- We arrange a location and date with other co-ops in our riding*
- We ask questions about co-op housing issues

What is your stance on...

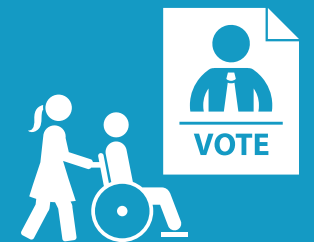
At my housing co-op...

My co-op neighbours and I want to know...

We go to their events!

- Candidates learn that we're active, and we pay attention

We help each other vote



- We drive members with mobility challenges
- We set "Let's vote together" times
- We hold a children's event so parents can go vote after work

It's time for politicians to work with us to **Open the Door to Co-op Housing!**