



# Exploring Effective Solutions to Homelessness

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## THE CANADIAN ALLIANCE TO END HOMELESSNESS

CAEH leads a national movement of individuals, organizations and communities working together to end homelessness in Canada.

[caeh.ca](http://caeh.ca)



### Advocacy

The CAEH advocates for the federal and provincial policy changes needed to end homelessness.



### Data & Policy

Revolutionizing the way communities and governments use data to end homelessness.



### Allied Networks

The CAEH supports several allied networks working toward our shared mission of ending homelessness.



### National Conference on Ending Homelessness

Join us for the 2024 National Conference on Ending Homelessness, Oct 29-31, 2024 in Ottawa.

[conference.caeh.ca](http://conference.caeh.ca)



### Built for Zero Canada

Helping a core group of leading communities end chronic and veteran homelessness.

[bfzcanada.ca](http://bfzcanada.ca)

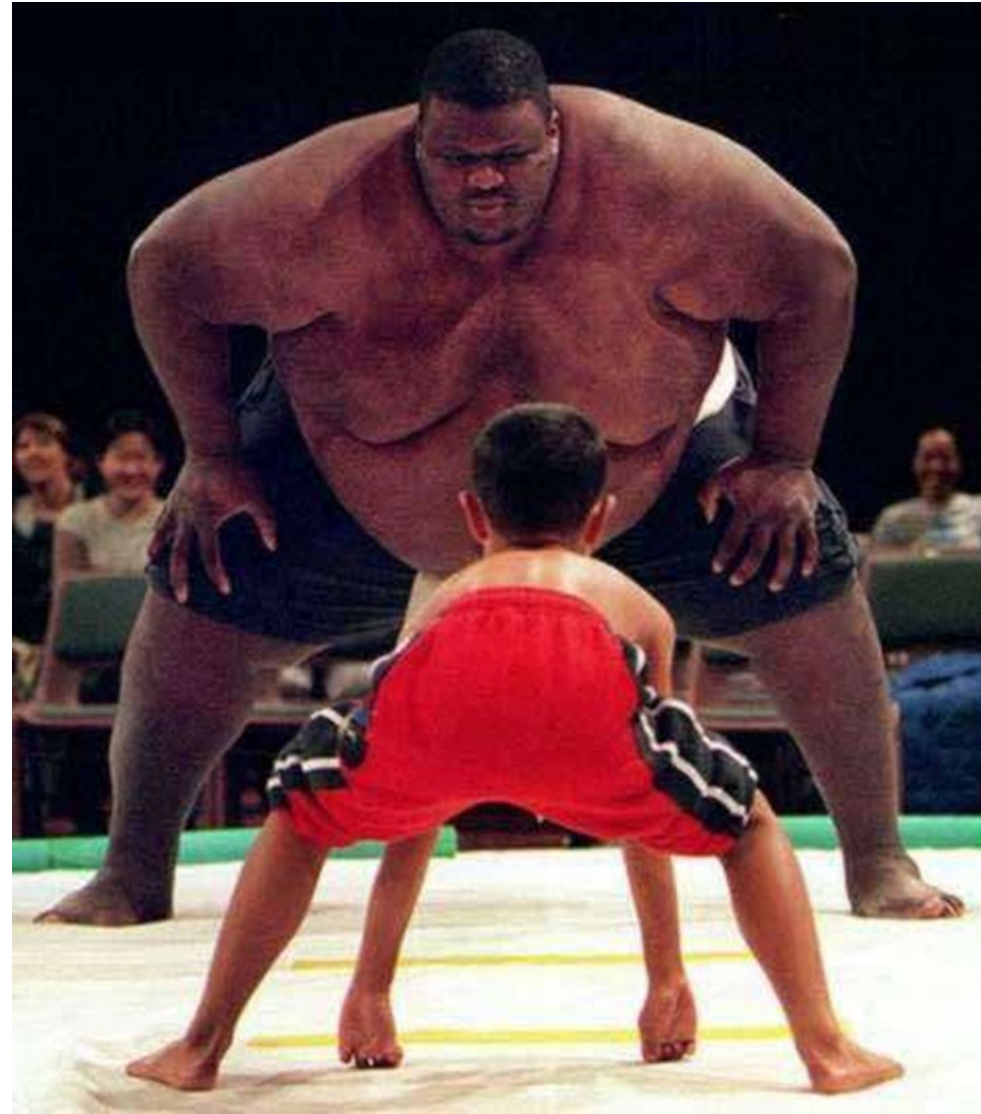


### Training & Technical Assistance

Helping communities and organizations end homelessness with expert training and technical assistance.

[training.caeh.ca](http://training.caeh.ca)

# The challenge



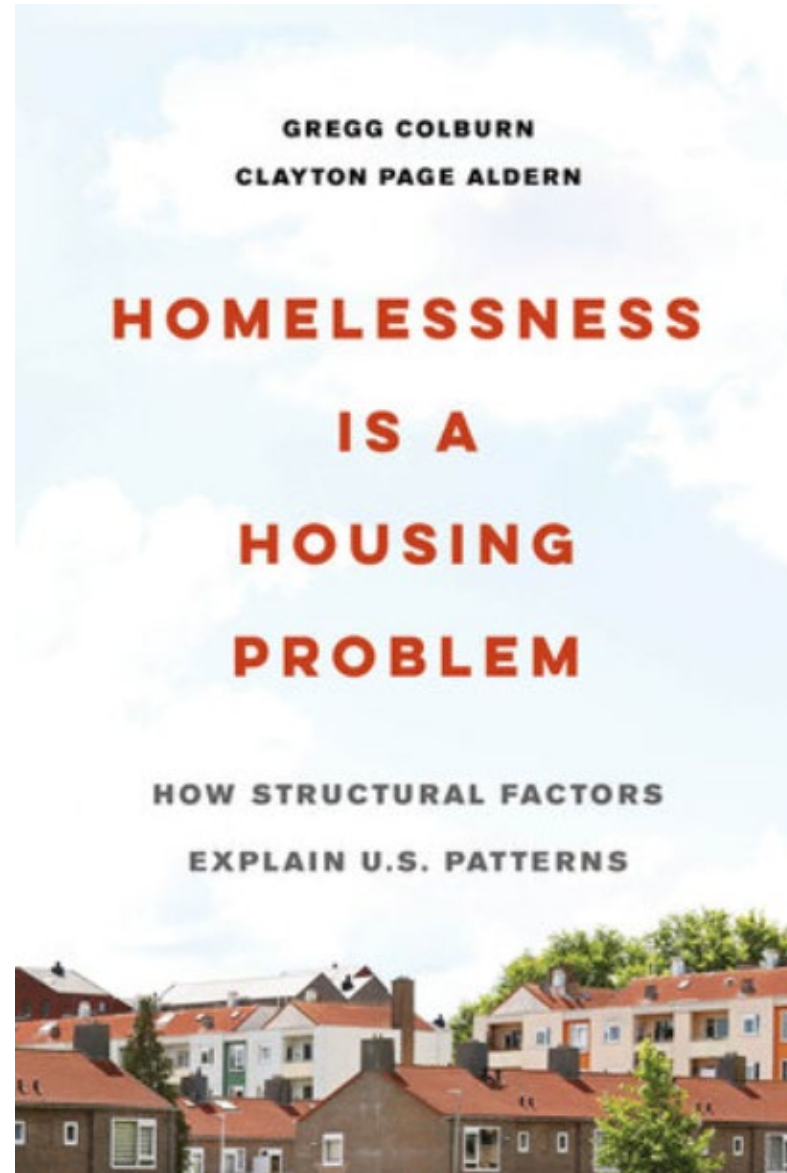
The loss of housing we're experiencing today is higher than that from our largest natural disasters



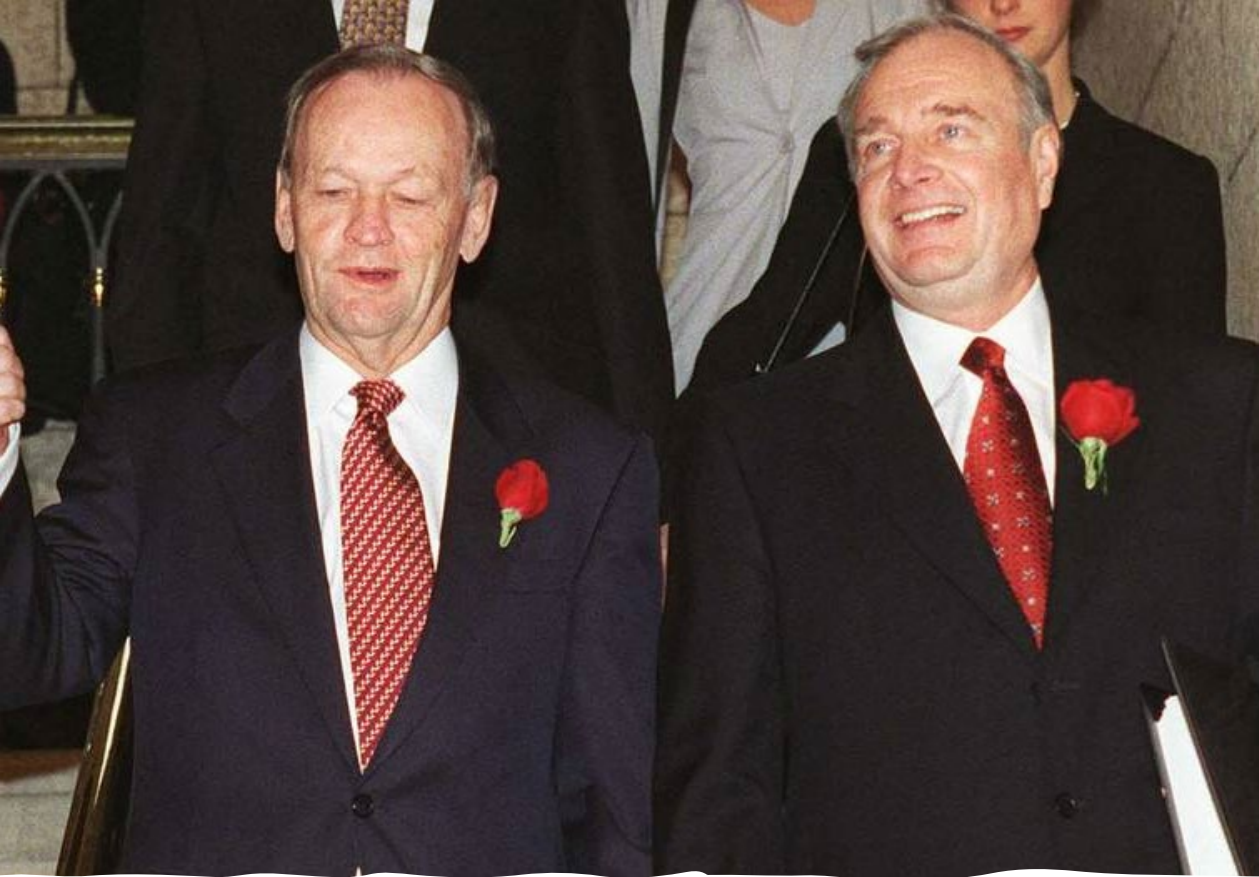
**Homelessness is not  
caused by mental illness or  
addiction – or any personal  
fault or failing**

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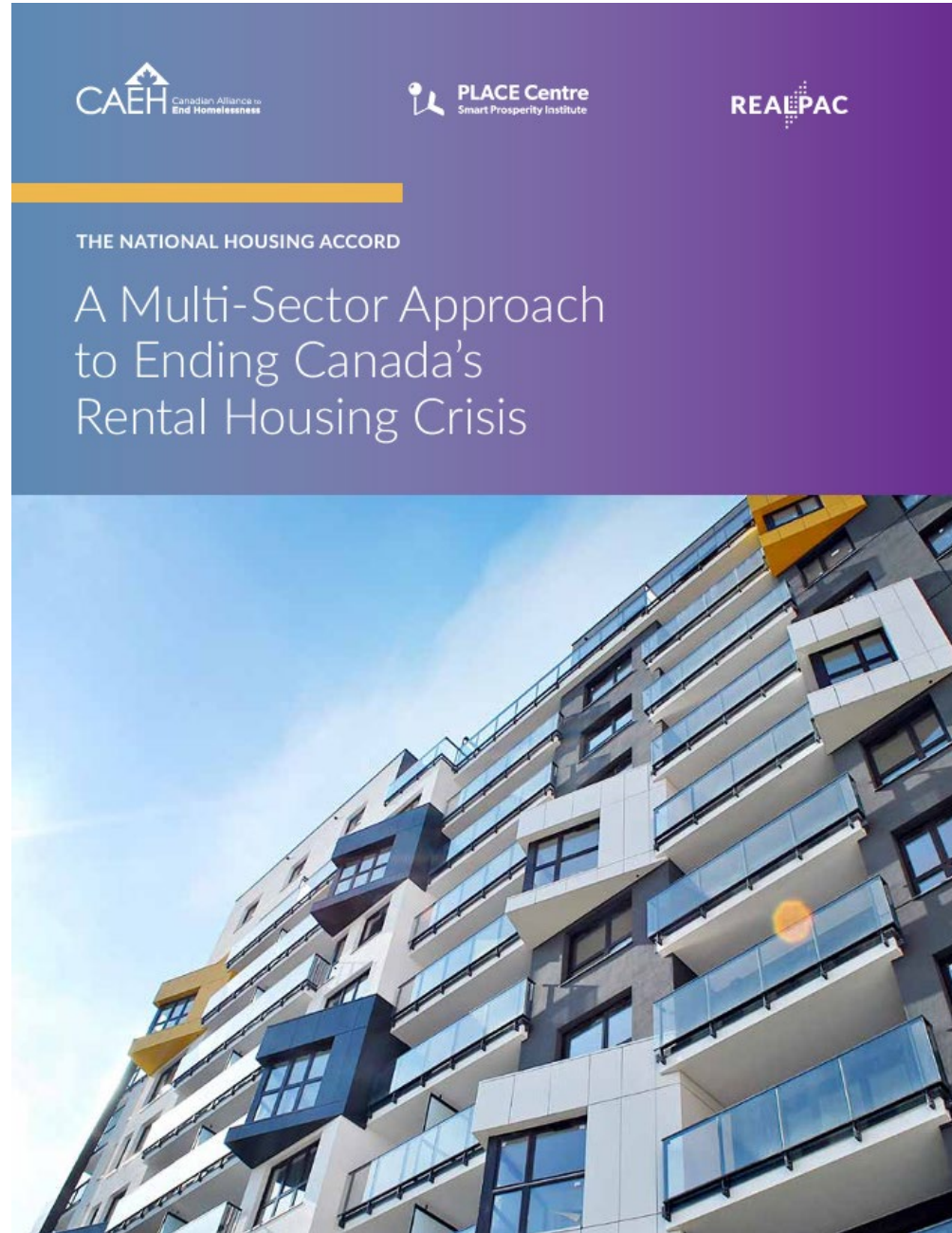
<https://homelessnesshousingproblem.com/>



# The rise of modern mass homelessness

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# The National Housing Accord





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# Homelessness is an un-natural disaster

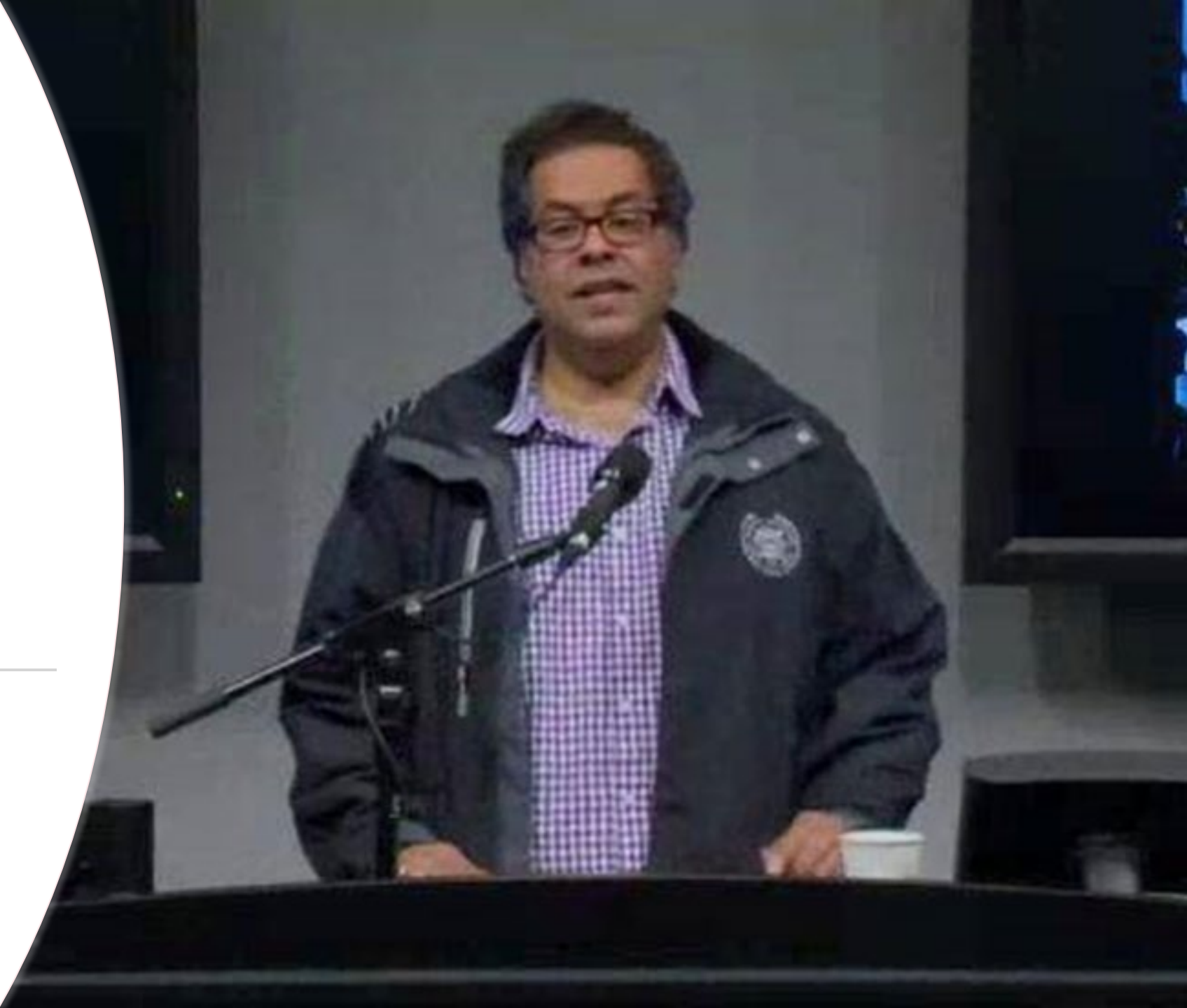
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# Strong local leadership

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# A command centre & coordinated system

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**Deal with the  
crisis and keep  
people safe**



**Housing  
focused  
community  
mobilization**



# Prevention



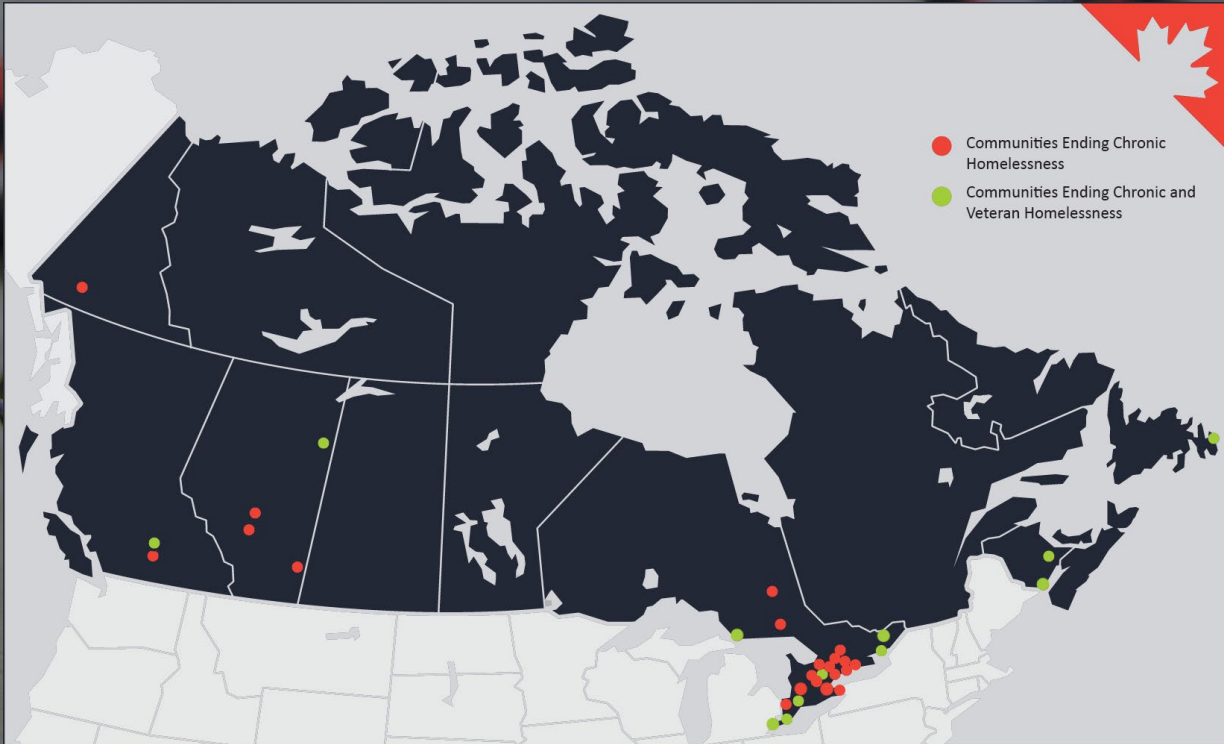


# Local leadership is supported by senior governments

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# Built for Zero Progress Across Canada



**58** communities are participating in Built for Zero Canada

**23** communities dedicated to solving veteran homelessness

**41**

communities have confirmed quality real-time data

**36**

communities confirmed for Reaching Home Coordinated Access

**4**

Communities sustaining a reduction in veteran homelessness

**3**

Communities sustaining a reduction in chronic homelessness

**4**

communities reached functional zero or chronic or Veteran homelessness



# You can do it. We can help.



Built for Zero Canada is an ambitious national change effort helping a core group of leading communities **end chronic and veteran homelessness** – a first step on the path to eliminating all homelessness in Canada.

# Thank You

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