



Hunter House

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Dear friend,

If you've ever had a family member receive medical treatment far from home, you understand how difficult it can be. Loved ones must often live in hotel rooms for days, weeks, or even months at a time, traveling back and forth to the hospital to provide support.

I know how costly, frustrating and draining it can be; which is why I want to create a place of refuge that will provide affordable, easily-accessible accommodation for people in Kelowna for medical or health reasons.

Hunter House is that place. I plan to develop it as part of Collett Manor, a unique framework of accessible and adaptable sale and rental residential units, on property I own with my family across the street from Kelowna General Hospital.

Our hospital's designation as a regional health care centre means more patients than ever are coming here for treatment. As Kelowna's aging population grows and the city's reputation as a centre for the latest in health care expertise and technology expands, the need for flexible services to meet the health care and accommodation needs of patients and their families will only increase further. After extensive research and discussions with medical professionals and other stakeholders, I am convinced Hunter House would be a welcome addition to the health care services landscape in Kelowna.

But I'd like to know what you think. **Please accept this invitation to attend our open house on Tuesday, November 28 at the Ramada Lodge at 2170 Harvey Avenue in Kelowna.** Drop by anytime between 7:30 am and 7:00 pm to hear our vision for Collett Manor and Hunter House and to provide your feedback.

Yours truly,

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