6 CONCLUSION

As noted in the Introduction, these due diligence reports are intended to provide the City Council and community with additional information about the proposed project, along with best practices in shelter design and operation, identification of potential secondary impacts, and approaches toward mitigation if the project were to proceed at the proposed site.

If the Eastgate location is chosen for the Eastside Men's Shelter and Supportive Housing project, more public outreach and stakeholder engagement is needed to further develop and refine an effective mitigation strategy. This should be developed through a robust outreach process involving feedback from surrounding stakeholders and nearby residents, as well as service providers and the project partners.