

Peel Council on Aging

Healthy aging for all



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Healthy

Background

Planning and Development

Groundwork

- OTF Collective Impact funding
- Community engagement and needs assessment
- Through PEAPN Collective Impact Core Working/Steering Groups
- Established Common Agenda, Theory of Change and need for Peel Council on Aging

2015-20

Planning

- Region of Peel Organizational Effectiveness funding
- Explored best practices from the 11 Councils on Aging in Ontario
- Developed the PCoA Terms of Reference and By-laws
- Conducted community engagement to confirm the proposed PCoA structure and governance
- Became incorporated

2020-21

Vision

Healthy aging for all
in a connected and caring community

Mission

The **Peel Council on Aging** will advance positive aging by promoting the health, well-being and social participation of Peel older adults and by influencing attitudes, policies and programs to include the voices of all older adults.

Mandate

The **Peel Council on Aging** will:

- serve as a **cross sectoral collective** of community members and groups who come together to drive collective impact in alignment with regional priorities related to healthy aging and older adults
- help build capacity by **supporting organizations** whose primary role is to deliver programs
- support age-friendly communities and **promote healthy aging**

Mandate

- help optimize the efficiency and effectiveness of **system navigation** and service delivery in the region
- build awareness about the importance of a **connected and caring community**
- provide **leadership**, foster community connections, and lend support across senior sector organizations
- **influence decision-makers** and contribute to policy development as related to healthy aging
- support **equity** seeking groups with respect to healthy aging

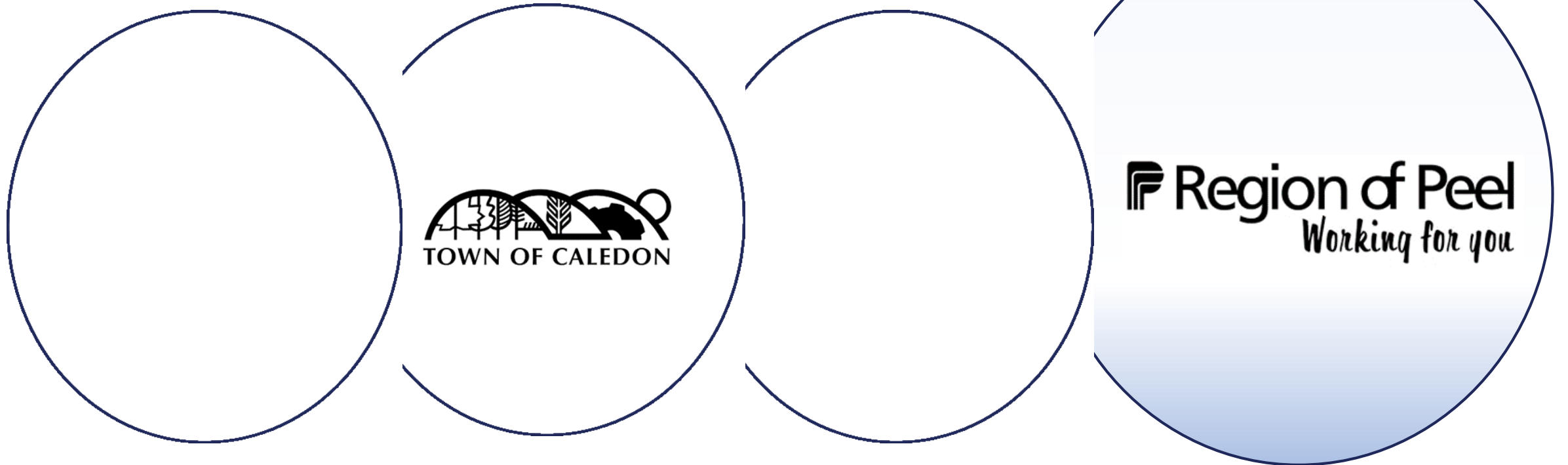
Values

Collaboration – We will engage cross sectoral stakeholders to create synergies and align Peel Council on Aging projects with existing plans.

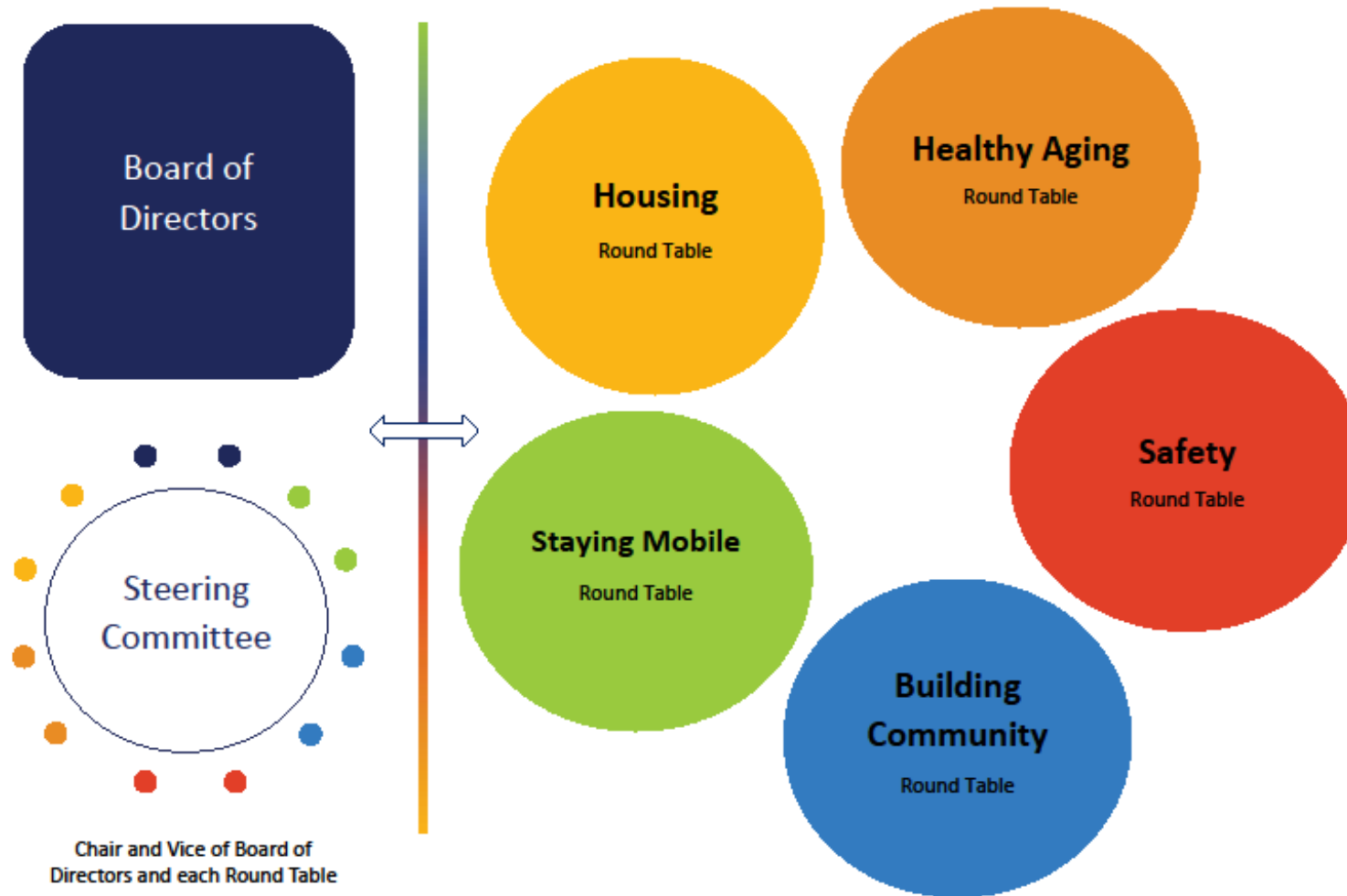
Diversity – We respect each person has unique needs and we will foster community engagement by including the many voices of Peel older adults.

Respect – We will act with integrity and with ethical responsibility.

PCoA provides the connection for regional collaboration



PCoA Structure



Board of Directors

Myrna Adams	Board Chair
Peter Howarth	Treasurer
Ray Applebaum	Secretary

- Provide project support
- Apply for charitable status
- Organize AGM for fall 2022
- Develop election procedures



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Round Table



Healthy Aging

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Safety

Round Table



Building Communit

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Staying Mobile

Round Table



Implementation

- Region of Peel Change Fund
- Conduct a survey to determine how COVID-19 has affected older adults
- Identify and align stakeholders and projects with the 5 PCoA domains
- Implement a Communication Strategy that includes internal and external tools

2021-22

Peel is
an age-friendly
community

Get involved



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