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CBN 2018 Conference



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Would you like a chance to chart the future agenda for brownfields in Canada? That's what we're offering you at our 2018 *National Brownfield Summit: Charting the Future*. This could be the most important brownfields event this year.

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Brownfields and Affordable Housing - Made for Each Other?



We're all aware of the housing crisis in Canada, particularly as it relates to **affordable** housing. This is an issue that affects



municipalities of all sizes, from small towns to the largest cities. The federal government recognizes the problem and is working to address it. But what about brownfields as part of the solution? You've probably read that, in the UK, policies have been instituted promoting brownfield reuse over greenfield development to address housing affordability/availability there; could Canada do something along those lines?

Join our keynote speakers, Marlene Coffey and Margie Carlson of the Ontario Non-Profit Housing Association (ONPHA) as they explore this important and timely topic. The federal government has allocated significant funding over the next 10 years to address housing affordability, but funding is only part of the solution. In many municipalities, it's a question of where to build, and this is where brownfields can help. Brownfields can be found everywhere, and the idea of reusing them for affordable housing could well make sense. Marlene and Margie will discuss the framework of the issue and then zero in on the role brownfields could play to assist in resolving the crisis.

An idea whose time has come? After hearing from Marlene and Margie, you may well think so!

This is only one of the engaging sessions at the CBN 2018 Conference; we're sure you will want to be part of the conversations, so be sure to register [today](#).

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