# COLLABORATE WITH THE CWC

There are a number of ways to get involved in Brandon. The CWC welcomes fresh perspectives within several Working Groups, each with a unique PATH focus!

#### **DATA TEAM**

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**FOOD & WATER TEAM** 

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#### **COMMUNITY RELATIONSHIPS TEAM**

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## GOAL 1 - a full data set (qualitative and quantitative) of determinants we want to address

2025 - In collaboration with the United Way, BNRC and City of Brandon, the CWC continues to strive toward improved data availability that accurately reflects local demographics.

## GOAL 2 - food and water available 7 days/week (food/water desert elimination)

2025 - Building on what already exists, the CWC developed and regularly updates/distributes a Brandon Food Calendar; works collaboratively with partners to support water availability in warm weather months; and is working with the City of Brandon toward installation of seasonal water stations to be available in downtown Brandon.

# GOAL 3 - dignified and safe public washrooms available 24/7 (shared responsibility)

2025 - this is an ongoing discussion that has resulted in 2023 & 2024 pilot projects led by the City of Brandon and CWC Collaborators (shared responsibility); with much learned during pilot projects, we are pleased to share that the City of Brandon is working toward a new permanent washroom structure designed with safety and dignity for all top-priority.

### GOAL 4 - working relationship with community

2025 - this is an ongoing endeavor of hearts, with new projects on the horizon; the CWC has community feedback boxes available at strategic locations throughout Brandon; several have gathered for Community Blanket Exercises, an immersive exercise that allows participants to learn about and gain a deeper understanding of the impacts of colonization in Canada and Manitoba for Indigenous communities.

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## **VISION**

Through transformative social change, we foster an empowered community that thrives in an inclusive and caring way

## **MISSION**

The CWC works to support transformative, strategic, accountable, safe, and culturally competent knowledge and service networks that create agile and collaborative partnerships.