

# South West Edmonton Mapping and Planning (SWEMPPA) Partnership Agreement

## **Vision:**

More effective services are delivered to residents in southwest Edmonton.

## **Statement of Need:**

- Partnering agencies lack information about the community and existing resources.
- Participant agencies lack the resources to do an extensive needs assessment
- Participating agencies are often unable to participate in community development, as they lack resources.
- Participants are interested in identifying new potential partners.
- Partners see the value in enhancing partnerships.
- Independent planning is occurring. Limited regional planning is occurring.
- There is a lack of community based services in South West.
- Existing services are fragmented and residents lack knowledge of existing services.

## **Goals:**

- We will create a community profile for South West Edmonton.
- We will identify areas of need and strategies to meet the need.
- We will engage the community of service providers in this process.

## **Expected Outcomes:**

- Trends are better understood including history of community based resources or lack of same.
- Enhanced partnerships among participants.
- Participants have a deeper knowledge of their community.
- Participants have a greater commitment to collaborative planning.

Resources are identified and maximized