



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

DIRECTOR – ACCESS COMMUNITY HOUSING COMPANY BOARD

Access Community Housing Company Board is seeking expressions of interest from members of the community to join the Board. If you are committed to making a difference and contributing your skills and expertise this may be the opportunity for you. Our skills-based Board holds a range of leadership knowledge and experience across the building and development and community service sectors. Applications from experienced leaders with legal, financial, or building and property expertise would be highly regarded.

Our Mission

To provide housing solutions and supports that aim to transform our community.

Our Vision

To improve the lives of vulnerable people through accessible, affordable, and sustainable housing.

Our Values

Respectful – We will treat everyone with dignity, valuing their input and build relationships that are based on safety and trust.

Equity – We will promote a culture that is inclusive, where everyone is treated fairly. We acknowledge that all people are unique, and our responses will reflect their individual needs.

Compassion – We deliver a service that is mindful and considerate of individual's needs, circumstances, and experiences.

Courage – We are committed to building strong communities and face challenges to build an impact. We will be innovative when needed and are brave in confronting injustice.

Responsibility – We practise shared accountability and acceptance of personal actions, make informed decisions, and offer solutions.

Access Community Housing (ACHC) has been committed to helping vulnerable and disadvantaged individuals and families to access and sustain housing in the Cairns community over the past 30 years. We presently manage close to 650 properties from Mossman to Babinda, with over 120 owned by private owners under the Queensland Government Community Rent Scheme and over 450 owned by the Department of Communities, Housing and Digital Economy.

ACHC is registered with the National Regulatory System Community Housing, as a Tier 2 provider (since 2014), and the largest community housing provider in Far North Queensland. ACHC has a staff of 24 and a skills-based board of 9 directors with various specialist skills including building and development and community services leadership. There are a number of subcommittees of the board including Finance & Risk Management and Building and Development. The company has always had unqualified financial reports and prides itself on promoting continuous improvement, working closely with government departments and the community sector. The company has started to build its own portfolio of properties with support from Federal and State Government and is keen to expand and diversify.

To submit your application or for further information please complete the Director Application & Details Form at <https://achc.link/dadf> and email to Liz Brown, Chief Executive Officer, at liz.brown@achc.org.au