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Happy New Year! As we welcome 2025, I hope this message finds you rested, recharged, and ready for the opportunities ahead.

Looking Back on 2024

This past year, we achieved so much together. From our regional expansion into Manitoba, Alberta, and Atlantic Canada, to the growth of our team with the addition of Regional Coordinators and support staff to serve you better, to new training opportunities and partnerships—not to mention hosting our most successful annual conference yet—2024 was a testament to what we can accomplish as a unified industry.

What's Ahead for 2025

This year, we're focused on deepening our impact and broadening our reach. Here are just a few things to look forward to:

- **Upcoming Training Opportunities:** Attention Manitoba members! You don't miss the "Planning for and Controlling Housing Costs" workshop on **January 15-16** at the Wyndham Garden Winnipeg Airport. This session is designed to equip you with practical strategies for financial planning and housing management.
- **Mental Health and First Aid Training:** Mental Health First Aid is a 7- hour virtual training, split between two afternoons (March 3rd and 4th, 2025), that provides participants the tools to help individuals who may be experiencing a decline in their mental well-being or a mental crisis. If you are a certified FNHP and would like more information about this training, please contact Alex Boudrias, Training and Events Administrator at alex@fnhpa.ca
- **New Membership Benefits:** We're excited to share that members now have access to **Perkopolis benefits**, offering exclusive discounts and perks to enhance your experience. [Click here](#) to learn more.
- **Bannock and Tea Podcast Series:** Our new podcast/webinar series launches this quarter. Join us for meaningful conversations with leaders, innovators, and community members driving change in housing. It will be available everywhere you listen to podcasts.
- **2025 Annual Conference:** Mark your calendars! Our annual conference will take place in **Saskatchewan**. Stay tuned for more details about this cornerstone event, where housing professionals come together to learn, connect, and innovate.

Thank You

On behalf of the FNHPA team, I want to thank you for your dedication and passion. Together, we're creating brighter futures and stronger communities. Here's to a successful and impactful year ahead!

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