

Housing project gets nod

A \$61 million housing project planned for a downtown site that now houses an 80-bed homeless shelter is proceeding after getting the nod from the city's affordable housing committee yesterday.

The 300-unit project aims to house single mothers, including those with serious mental illnesses, single women and ab-

originals, and is planned for 110 Edward St. The temporary shelter, slated to close next spring, has been used to relocate people including many who were sleeping at Nathan Phillips Square.

The proposal calls for the YWCA and some partners to run the new facility and now goes before the city's policy and finance committee.