

## **Residential Rental Property Registry**

## **Talking Points**

## Summary of TML Proposal

- Expand existing authorization to allow each municipality to choose whether to enact a residential registry for rental units by ordinance
  - Municipality may choose to apply to the following:
    - Single family homes
    - Duplex
    - Triplex
    - Quadplex
    - Multi-family properties containing more than 5 units
- Allows an adopting municipality to impose a fee not to exceed \$10 per property registered per year.
  - Adopting municipality may impose fee less than \$10 per unit.
  - Adopting municipality may elect to either cap total fees paid by owner or cap the total number of properties owned by same owner that is subject to fee.
- If adopting municipality elects to apply registry ordinance to multi-family properties with more than 5 units, then an owner is limited to just one registration for all units owned within property.

## **Benefits of TML Proposal**

- Allows timely communication with owner concerning events and activities affecting owner's property.
  - Public safety fire, storm damage, criminal activity, vandalism
  - Public infrastructure improvements and repairs
  - Nuisance Code violations
- Protects property owner's investment
- Preserves value of surrounding properties and neighborhood cohesion