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IN OLD OTTAWA SOUTH

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COSY COMFORT
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DECORATING IDEAS



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What was the highlight in 2017 for your company? After 27 years of building award-winning retirement communities throughout Ontario, we launched our adult lifestyle community concept, known as the Wellings, in Ottawa. This award-winning vibrant community for adults 55-plus opens December 2018 on Hazeldean Road and Huntmar Drive in Stittsville. We are well over 50 per cent leased.

What projects are you looking forward to in 2018? We have started working on four additional markets in and out of the province of Ontario. We are wholly committed to bringing the affordable Wellings concept to many more markets in Canada. Our Wellings concepts have been globally awarded for design, affordability and management since we started introducing the concept and opened the first community in 2012.

Any resolutions, personal or business, for the coming year? My team at Nautical Lands Group is an excellent group of caring people who all understand we will always design, build and manage communities that we would be proud to live in ourselves and that foster a better way of life for seniors. In fact, I look forward to moving my mother into the Wellings of Stittsville this coming year.