

TO SUPPORT LOCAL ACTIVITIES AND INITIATIVES

The living environment reinforces the community's self-sufficiency and prosperity

LOCAL RESOURCES AND ECONOMY

MEANS OF ACTION

- 10.1 Reinforce production and storage methods to ensure food safety
- 10.2 Encourage self-building initiatives and renovation
- 10.3 Offer alternatives to social housing including private rentals and cooperatives
- 10.4 Establish a new professional education center to further develop a skilled labor force
- 10.5 Provide a marketplace offering locally-produced goods and services in order to reduce imports

VILLAGE CENTER

The indoor-outdoor Market place by the Coop Store stimulated the local economy and trade. This highly visible area for the promotion and sale of locally-produced goods and crafts fosters exchanges among makers and buyers, experienced and learning, young and old.

Eventually, the Market could include a more spacious Hunters' Support Store, a small restaurant or other ventures.

RESIDENTIAL AREA

The new Vocational Center is a place of learning where students develop their abilities in certain professions or trade. This is an added opportunity for youths, outside or in complement to the current school system.

Furthermore, this Center offers new employment opportunities for Inuit administrators, teachers, managers, organizers, and so on. It also includes rooms to hold conferences and community meetings as well as a small coffee lounge selling locally-prepared food. Eventually, a larger workshop for the local prefabrication of construction parts, such as panels, will be added too.

NEW DEVELOPMENT

Leaving a vacant space dedicated to self-building initiatives aims to encourage the Kangisualujuaumiut to get involved in such projects. It offers a great alternative to social housing that can be well paired with the construction of privately-owned houses and housing coop.

A new green house increases the quantity of locally-grown produce to ensure food security. A new community freezer sited nearby reinforces a food-production hub with employment and learning opportunities.

