

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VERNON



**MINUTES OF THE
AFFORDABLE HOUSING ADVISORY COMMITTEE
HELD NOVEMBER 14, 2024 AT 3:00 PM
OKANAGAN LAKE ROOM (COUNCIL CHAMBER)**

PRESENT: Annette Sharkey, Social Planning Council Rep.
Patricia Higgins, Community at Large Rep.
Councillor Fehr, Council Rep.
Cindy Masters, Not-for-Profit Housing Rep.
Linda deGroot, Community at Large Rep.
Nanette Drobot, BC Housing Rep.
Councillor Gares, Council Rep.

ABSENT: Jacob Kuiken, Builder Rep.
Elaine Jameson, Interior Health Rep.
Glory Westwell, Habitat for Humanity Rep.
Karen Gerein, Not-for-Profit Housing Rep.

STAFF: Roy Nuriel, General Manager, City Planning
Matt Faucher, Acting Manager, Long Range Planning & Sustainability
Jennifer Pounder, Records/Committee Clerk
Kathy Stogneff, Secretary I

ORDER The meeting was called to order at 3:05 p.m.

**LAND
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT** *As Chair of the City of Vernon's Affordable Housing Advisory Committee, and in the spirit of this gathering, I recognize the City of Vernon is located in the traditional territory of the Syilx people of the Okanagan Nation.*

**ADOPTION OF THE
AGENDA** Moved by C. Masters, seconded by Councillor Gares:

THAT the agenda of the of the November 14, 2024 Affordable Housing Advisory Committee meeting be adopted.

CARRIED

**ADOPTION OF THE
MINUTES** Moved by Councillor Fehr, seconded by Councillor Gares:

THAT the minutes of the December 13, 2023 Affordable Housing Advisory Committee meeting be adopted.

CARRIED

Roundtable introductions were held.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

**CITY OF VERNON
HOUSING NEEDS
REPORT –
TECHNICAL
MEMORANDUM**

The Acting Manager, Long Range Planning & Sustainability provided a presentation to the Committee.

**COMMUNITY
FUTURES NORTH
OKANAGAN HEALTH
CARE SECTOR
WORKFORCE
HOUSING**

The General Manager, City Planning, provided a presentation to the Committee.

Moved by C. Masters, seconded by P. Higgins:

THAT the Affordable Housing Advisory Committee supports the Housing Agreement between the City of Vernon and Community Futures North Okanagan in support of the Workforce Housing Project.

CARRIED

**EXTREME WEATHER
RESPONSE: COLD
WEATHER PLAN**

The Social Planning Council representative provided a presentation to the Committee.

INFORMATION ITEMS:

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting for the Affordable Housing Advisory Committee will be at the call of the Chair.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting of the Affordable Housing Advisory Committee adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

_____ Chair