

## Housing Advisory Committee

Meeting began at 8:35 a.m. and concluded at 9:50 am

### **Friday, August 12, 2022 draft meeting minutes**

**In attendance:** Melissa Roy, Assistant Town Manager; Lindsay Sonnett, Chair; and Nancy Belanger, Select Board Representative.

**Also in attendance:** Jay Childs of JBC; Sarah Tatarczuk; Rockingham Planning Commission, Rockingham Planning Commission; Sarah Wrightsman, NH Housing Community Engagement Coordinator; Nick Taylor, Director of Seacoast Workforce Housing Coalition; Darren Winham, Exeter Economic Development Director; Doug Eastman, Exeter Building Inspector; and Dave Sharples, Town Planner.

**Absent:** Russ Dean, Town Manager and Pete Cameron, Exeter Planning Board representative.

- a. Planning Session for September 15, 2022 walk from 4 pm to 6 pm using the Rockingham Planning Commission's Multi-Unit Map as a guide was finalized. The starting point will be at the Exeter Town Hall at 4 pm. A map and flyer will be completed and provided to others to help promote this walk, including EXTV.
- b. Discussion about "next steps" for a regional meeting. June, 2023 was chosen as a tentative date.
- c. Darren Winham talked briefly about zoning changes Keene. NH is working on to allow for more housing. Dave Sharples is also aware of these efforts. Darren offered to provide information to the committee and others participating in the discussion today.
- d. Sarah Tatarczuk gave an overview of the upcoming programs and grants being offered through Invest NH.
- e. Sarah Wrightsman and Jay Childs talked about their collaboration on an upcoming project "Housing: Facts or Fiction".

Our next meeting will be on September 9, 2022.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lindsay Sonnett, Chair