

Ad Hoc Housing Committee Meeting Minutes November 16, 2021

Opening Remarks & Introductions

Chairs Jon Birkel and Ian Graves welcomed everyone to the meeting. Committee members Ron Nelson, Bonnie Limbird, and Mary Rimann were present. Matt Gillam, April Engstrom and Todd Harris were absent. Mayor Mikkelson and Jamie Robichaud were present in their advisory capacity to the committee.

Consider Approval of Minutes from September 16, 2021

Ron Nelson moved to approve the minutes from the September 16, 2021 meeting. Bonnie Limbird seconded. The minutes from the September 16, 2021 meeting were unanimously approved by the Committee.

Housing Presentation from Jon Birkel

Chair Jon Birkel gave a presentation on some research he put together regarding what workforce housing means for Prairie Village, including the average salary for works in Prairie Village businesses and how that salary plays in to their housing and transportation costs.

Discussion on goals and strategies from Village Vision 2.0 and the UCS Housing Toolkit

The committee worked its way through Goals 1 and 2 of the Goals and Strategies spreadsheet, identifying the most relevant strategies for Prairie Village. The committee agreed to meet again in a few weeks to finish reviewing Goals 3, 4, and 5 prior to completing a prioritization exercise of the most relevant goals adopted by the committee.

The meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.