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Fair Housing Lottery Results and Lease Up Subcommittee

MEETING AGENDA

Date: January 22, 2024

Time: 9:00 a.m. Virtual



Zoom Online Meeting:

<https://newtonma-gov.zoom.us/j/87608134812?pwd=b1MxbmVXcFJRZm91b2kzaHBSVU5jQT09>

The Fair Housing Lottery Sub-Committee will hold this meeting as a virtual meeting on Tuesday, September 19, 2023, at 8:00 am. No in-person meeting will take place at City Hall. To view and participate in this virtual meeting on your smartphone, download the "ZOOM Cloud Meetings" app in any app store or visit www.zoom.us. At the above date and time, click on "Join a Meeting" and enter the following: **Meeting ID:** 876 0813 4812 **Passcode:** 184667.

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- 1. Approve September Meeting Minutes**
- 2. Current approaches of data collection for Newton's affordable housing lotteries and proposals to add to these practices, with Shaylyn Davis, Housing Program Director**
- 3. Workplan and priorities for the coming year**
- 4. Next meeting date**

Fair Housing Committee Priorities Discussion

- Promote housing choice for diverse populations to advance Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing (AFFH), with focus on race/ethnicity, public subsidy and disability
- Identify and work to overcome barriers to successful tenancies and to improve processes/practices for tenant selection in lottery and market rate multi-family rental housing
- Promote data collection on multi-family rental and new homeownership occupancy
- Promote Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Belonging in Newton

*Supplementary materials are available for public review in the Planning Department of City Hall (basement) the Friday before the meeting. For more information contact **Malcolm Lucas at 617.796.1149**. The location of this meeting/event is wheelchair accessible and Reasonable Accommodations will be provided to persons with disabilities who require assistance. If you need a Reasonable Accommodation, please contact the city of Newton's ADA/Section 504 Coordinator, Jini Fairley, at least two business days in advance (2 weeks for ASL or CART) of the meeting/event: jfairley@newtonma.gov or (617) 796-1253. The city's TTY/TDD direct line is: 617-796-1089. For the Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS), please dial 711.

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