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**Newton Housing Partnership (NHP)  
Meeting Agenda: October 27, 2020**

**6:00 – 8:00 pm**

**ZOOM Online Meeting:**

**<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84090124487?pwd=UUJzTIFVQjJmRDIVODRLYnpqYXh5Zz09>**

**Meeting ID: 840 9012 4487**

The Newton Housing Partnership will hold this meeting as a virtual meeting on Tuesday, October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 6:00 pm. 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](http://www.zoom.us). At the above date and time, click on “Join a Meeting” and enter the following Meeting ID: 840 9012 4487.

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- 1. Review and Approval of August 18<sup>th</sup> and September 15<sup>th</sup> Meeting Summaries**
- 2. West Newton Armory – Affirmative Investments Presentation**
  - a. Presentation
  - b. Discussion
- 3. Newton Housing Partnership Initiatives**
  - a. Extremely low-income housing strategy
    - i. Update from subcommittee
  - b. Zoning Redesign
    - i. Update from subcommittee
  - c. Housing’s role in diversity, equity, and inclusion – leading change to make Newton more accessible and welcoming to all

- i. MAPC's Racial Equity Municipal Action Plan (REMAP) grant opportunity
  - 1. Update from staff
- ii. 70% Local Preference Policy
  - 1. Update from subcommittee

#### **4. Project Updates**

- a. Riverside
- b. Newton COVID-19 Emergency Housing Relief Program
- c. Haywood House
- d. Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing report

#### **5. Upcoming Meeting(s)**

- a. November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 Meeting, 5-7 pm – via Zoom
  - i. Note: This is the same night as the Mayor's "Overdue: Confronting Race and Racism in Newton" event with author Richard Rothstein, "The Color of Law: A Forgotten History of How Our Government Segregated America" at 6:30 pm. More details can be found here:  
<http://www.newtonma.gov/gov/mayor/initiatives/overdue.asp>