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Fair Housing Committee

MEETING AGENDA

Date: December 1, 2021

Time: 8:00 a.m.

Place: Virtual (Zoom)

Zoom Online Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83069144723>

The Fair Housing Committee will hold this meeting as a virtual meeting on Wednesday, December 1, 2021, 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:
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1. **Approval of November 2021 meeting minutes**
2. **Current Events**
 - **City Council Voted to Lower Local Preference from 75% to 25%**
3. **Upcoming Events**
 - **League of Women Voters of Newton, "The League Presents: Newton's Housing Boards & Committees"**
 - **AFHMP/Lottery Training: Chair's Report and Upcoming Training**
4. **Fair Housing Goals Project Review**
 - **Update on 50 Jackson/383 Boylston**

5. Fair Housing Committee goals for 2021-2022

- **Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion**
- **Bring in a Fair Housing Attorney to talk to committee about purpose and goals**
- **Updates on AI/Consortium Fair Housing Testing**
- **Resolution to request that developers report annually on minority rentals**
- **Use of ARPA Funds**
- **Collaborate with Human Rights Committee on Fair Housing Complaint Process and Form**
- **Fair Housing Committee Literature**

6. Next meeting Wednesday, January 5, 2022

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