Affordable Housing Action Committee (Peterborough)



Minutes of the Meeting November 14, 2013 12:00pm - 2:00pm Sutherland Room, City Hall 500 George Street N Peterborough Ontario K9H3R9

- **Present:** County Councillor Ron Windover, Alan Cavell, Barb Fowler, Bonnie Clark, John Martyn, Kelly Scott, Paul Armstrong, Sandy Woodhouse, Sarah Tate
- Staff: Dorothy Olver, Michelle Longhurst, Susan Bacque
- **Regrets:** City Councillor Henry Clarke, Katherine Blackwood, Christine McKay, Rebecca Morgan Quin, Paul Gillam,

Guests: None

1. Welcome and Introductions

2. Approval of the Agenda

Motion: That AHAC approve the revised agenda. M. Barb Fowler S. Paul Armstrong Carried

3. Approval of Previous Minutes

Motion: That AHAC approve the October 2013 AHAC minutes.M. Bonnie ClarkS. Paul ArmstrongCarried

4. 10-year Housing and Homelessness Plan Focus

- Council Update The Plan was approved by City Council on November 12, 2013
- Conversation about the positive attention the Plan has received and the agreement to follow through with the Plan implementation
- Membership, mandate and structure of various committees will involve AHAC
- Next Steps Presentations to Clerks and Treasurers, County and Township Councils through winter 2013/14

5. Community Updates

• The Mount Community Centre

Motion: That AHAC recognize and congratulate the accomplishments of The Mount Community Centre and its board of directors on progress in securing \$120,000 in funding from the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation as they move toward into the construction phase.

M. Bonnie Clark Carried

S. Sandy Woodhouse

6. Ontario Non-Profit Housing Association (ONPHA)

- Peterborough Housing Corporation received the Award for Excellence, 2013
- Video available at <u>www.onpha.ca</u>

7. Business Arising from Previous Meeting

7.1. National Housing Day 2013 (November 19, 2013)

Motion: That AHAC instructs the ad hoc National Housing Day Planning Committee to prepare a report, following the National Housing Day event on November 19, 2013, for presentation at the December 12, 2013 AHAC meeting.

S. County Councillor Windover **M.** Paul Armstrong

Carried

7.2. Rent supplement adhoc committee

Motion: That AHAC supports the newly dedicated 2014 budget line for municipal rent supplements, to help with the implementation of the 10-year Housing and Homelessness Plan (commitment #6).

M. Sarah Tate S. County Councillor Windover

- Carried
 - AHAC will register to depute at City Council on December 4, 2013 when the budget will be reviewed, to provide the above motion.
- 7.3. AHAC Banner Purchase
 - Discussion about the status of the order

8. Reports from Sub-committees

- **8.1.** Community Education
 - Discussion about "Social Infrastructure"
- 8.2. Services n/a
- 8.3. Supply
 - October notes of AHAC Supply are available upon request

9. Reports from Other Standing Committees

- **9.1.** Homelessness Support Services Coordinating Committee
 - Rural Youth Homelessness Research (http://to-go-or-to-stay.ca/about)
- **9.2.** Peterborough Poverty Reduction Network
 - Verbal update of PPRN activities, including new hiring

10. New Business

11. Items for Upcoming Meeting

- Follow up to meetings of HSSCC, SHN and AHAC Chairs
- Rent Supplement Research Paper Presentation
- The Warming Room Update
- National Housing Day 2013 Wrap Up Report
- Catering Options for AHAC Meetings
- **12.** Motion: To adjourn the meeting. **M.** Kelly Scott Meeting Adjourned by Consensus

13. Next Meeting

December 12, 2013 at 12:00p.m. in the Sutherland Room, City Hall