# **AFFORDABLE HOUSING COMMITTEE – MINUTES**

Meeting date: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 6:30pm

Participating Council Members:	
Chair	Carol Bacon
Secretary	Jon Hughes
CPC representative	Alan Chaney
Member	Dana Metzler
Member	Robert Nelson
Other Participants (Town Administrator, other committees, visitors, etc.):	
Selectman	Jim Tully

### Meeting began at 6:30

### **Review of Prior Minutes**

- The minutes of the last meeting were accepted.

## **Discussion**

- RFP review.
  - Need to have a presentation of the market study by Lynne Sweet of LDS Consulting Group provided to the Committee.
  - Open questions for her guidance:
    - Development of commercial property should it stay in RFP as secondary goal?
      Committee recommends
    - Street water line should this remain in RFP? Committee recommends to remove from RFP. Will be part of water dept. pipe expansion
    - Access from Pleasant St. should this be designated a road or stay private? Committee recommendation is for it to be designated as a road.
    - We should leave cistern in RFP.
    - Need to add a sidewalk to RFP.
    - Should maximum SQ FT of duplexes remain at 1500? Committee recommends maximum of 1200.
    - Will change the count of units from '40' to 'approximately 40'.
    - Require gabled roof on buildings
    - Should we retain limit to 1 and 2 bedrooms or lift for consideration of 3 bedrooms? (Septic constraints also need to be considered)
    - Should we sell the property to the developer at market price?
- Goal is to complete RFP and make available for distribution by 11.1.18
- Vote made and moved to designate an amount not to exceed \$2500 for Lynne to research above and present to the committee.

#### Next Meeting:

- Next meeting TBD
- **Adjournment** 
  - 8:30PM