

Minutes of the AHA Board of Housing Commissioners

Special Meeting
Wednesday, September 26, 2012 (MDT)
Manuel Cordova Conference Room
1840 University Blvd SE
Albuquerque, NM 87106

1. Call to Order

The Meeting was called to order by Vice Chairperson Tom Growney at 12:03 p.m. with three members present. A quorum was present to conduct business.

2. Roll Call

AHABHC MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. Tom Growney (Vice Chairperson)

Ms. Janet M. McHard, Certified Public Accountant (Member)

Ms. Rebecca Chavez (Resident Commissioner)

AHABHC MEMBERS ABSENT

Ms. Roxanne Rivera-Wiest (Member), Excused

Mr. Stephen J. Vogel (Chairperson), Excused

STAFF PRESENT

Ms. Robin Dozier Otten, Interim Executive Director, Albuquerque Housing Authority

Mr. Andrew Estocin, Associate Director, Albuquerque Housing Authority

Mr. Brian Eagan, Assistant City Attorney, COA Legal Dept

Ms. Janice Wright, Housing Paralegal, COA Legal Dept.

Ms. Evett Birdsong, Executive Assistant to the Executive Director, AHA

STAFF ABSENT

Ms. Evett Birdsong, Executive Assistant to the Executive Director, AHA, was excused from the meeting and left at 1:00 pm.

3. Approval of Minutes

Approval of Minutes of the Board of Housing Commissioners Regular Meeting August 15, 2012

Member Chavez moved to approve the minutes as written for the Regular Meeting on August 15, 2012, with no amendments. The motion was seconded by Member McHard and the motion was carried by a vote of 3-0.

Approval of Minutes of the Board of Housing Commissioners Special Meeting September 05, 2012

Member McHard offered a minor amendment to the minutes, to remove the 'Via Telephone' on the roll call, to reflect that Vice Chairperson Tom Growney was physically present for the September 05, 2012 Special Meeting.

A motion was made to approve the September 05, 2012 Meeting Minutes, as amended, by Member McHard. The motion was seconded by Member Chavez. The motion was carried by a vote of 3-0.

There were no Minutes of the September 19, 2012, Regular Meeting of the Board since that Meeting was cancelled.

4. Bills and Communications

a) Report of Secretary

Discussion: Please see the attached; "1) The Production/Secretary Report for August 2012 and 2) The FY2012 Year End Income Statement for all AHA programs.

Ms. Otten and Mr. Estocin presented the Report of the Secretary on Public Housing; Section 8; Police Data; Inspection and Customer Service Production Reports for August 2012 and the FY2012 Year End Income Statement for all AHA programs. A Vendor Performance report was discussed to be added to the Report of the Secretary. Ms. Otten and Mr. Estocin addressed questions about the reports from Board members.

5. Closed Session

Vice Chairperson Growney announced that the Board is going into a Closed Session under §10-15-1(H)(2) NMSA 1978 to discuss limited personnel matters regarding the hiring of the AHA Executive Director.

At 12:12 p.m., Member McHard moved that the Board should proceed into Closed Session to discuss limited personnel matters regarding the hiring of the AHA Executive Director, and to discuss possible litigation matters, involving Resolution 2012-13 In the matter of Jerry Wayne Bragg's Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher, seconded by Member Chavez, and the motion was carried by a vote of 3-0.

The Board went into a Closed Session under §10-15-1(H)(2) NMSA 1978 to discuss a limited personnel matter regarding the hiring of the Executive Director.

"Limited personnel matters" exception" If a public policy-making body desires to meet in executive session to discuss an individual employee's dismissal, promotion, resignation, complaint or shortcomings, then such a Meeting could properly be closed

pursuant to the "limited personnel matters" exception set forth in 101 Subsection H(2). 1990 Op. Att'y Gen. No. 90-28. 102 103 104 The Board members moved to a closed session into the small conference 105 room across the hallway. The only people allowed in the Closed Session were 106 Robin Dozier Otten, Andrew Estocin and Brian Eagan. 107 108 Member McHard requested that Judy Siglin and Vicente Quevedo remain available for any questions or discussion from the Board, regarding 109 Resolution 2012-13 In the matter of Jerry Wayne Bragg's Section 8 Housing 110 Choice Voucher. 111 112 113 114 Re-Convene in Open Session 6. 115 The Open Session re-convened at 1:30 p.m. in the Manuel Cordova 116 117 Conference Room, and Vice Chairperson Growney, noted that no action was 118 taken during the closed session on the limited personnel matter or any other 119 matter. 120 121 Member McHard moved that the board delegate the task of creating interview 122 questions, coordinating the interview schedule and video interview setup to 123 staff and a Special Meeting was schedule on October 15, 2012 from 8:00 am 124 to 5:00 pm (MDT) noting that the time may change. The motion was 125 seconded by Member Chavez, and the motion was carried by a vote of 3-0. 126 127 128 7. **Public Comment** 129 130 There was no public comment. 131 132 133 8. Consent Agenda 134 135 There was no consent agenda. 136 137 9. 138 **New Business** 139 Resolution 2012 - 13 - In the matter of Jerry Wayne Bragg's Section 8 140 141 Housing Choice Voucher - Finding that AHA is not bound by the 142 **Decision of Hearing Officer** 143 144 145 146 147 was taken during the closed session. 148

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Member McHard noted that the Resolution 2012-13 In the matter of Jerry Wayne Bragg's Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher was discussed during the Closed Session of the limited personnel matter and that no action or vote

Member Chavez moved that the Board was not adopting Resolution 2012-13 In the matter of Jerry Wayne Bragg's Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher and that at this time AHA would comply with the Hearing Officer order, seconded by Member McHard, and the motion was carried by a vote of 3-0.

153 154 10. Other Business 155 156 A Special Meet 157 (MDT) and the interpretation of the inte

A Special Meeting has been called on October 15, 2012 from 8:00-5:00 PM (MDT) and the next Regular Meeting of the Board will be held on Wednesday, October 17, 2012 in the AHA office building, in the Manuel Cordova Conference Room, at 1840 University Blvd SE, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87106. Possible Topics include, but are not limited to: hiring of a new Executive. The agenda items of the Meeting might change in the future.

16316411. Adjournment

There being no further business to be brought before the Board, a motion was made by Member McHard to adjourn the Meeting at 1:35 p.m. The motion was seconded by Member Chavez and carried by a vote of 3-0.

SUBMITTED:

READ AND APPROVED:

Robin Dozier Otten, Interim Secretary

Tom Growney, Vice Chairperson of the Board

Date: 11/20