



Meeting Minutes

August 15, 2024

Grace Knight Conference Room

County Administrative Building

12 S.E. 1st Street, 2nd Floor

Gainesville, FL, 32601

EQUITY ADVISORY BOARD

Ron Rawls

Gerie Crawford

Alena Lawson Bennett

Kali Blount, RN

Yvette Carter

Diane Dimperio

Nancy Dean

Alternate: Tara Richardson

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM.

Members present: Ronald Rawls, Gerie Crawford, Kali Blount, Alena Lawson Bennett, Nancy Dean, Yvette Carter, Tara Richardson

Members absent: Diane Dimperio

REVIEW OF AGENDA

Alena Lawson Bennett motioned to approve the agenda as presented. The motion was seconded by Yvette Carter with unanimous approval; motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Gerie Crawford motioned to adopt the minutes as presented. The motion was seconded by Alena Lawson Bennett with unanimous approval; motion carried.

DEPARTMENTAL ORIENTATION

Harold Theus, Alachua County Fire Rescue Chief, provided an orientation of the Fire Rescue services and department structure. The board asked to have Stephen Hoffstetter from Environmental Protection present at a later date.

EQUITY AUDIT TOOL DISCUSSION

Ben Chumley reviewed the Housing element of the comprehensive plan.

MEMBER COMMENTS

Board members confirmed there will be a holiday break for the month of December.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

No public comments were made.

ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 7: 39 PM.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

The next meeting of the Equity Advisory Board is September 19, 2024, at 6:00 PM, Grace Knight Conference Room.