GREAT BARRINGTON HOUSING AUTHORITY

Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting

April 23, 2024 3:00 PM

Flag Rock Village Community Room

2 Bernard Gibbons Drive, Great Barrington, Mass.

In person and by Zoom

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A Great Barrington bylaw gives those attending the meeting the right to speak on any subject before a board vote.

1.Call to Order.

2. Introduction of interim director Andrea Lindsay.

Ms. Lindsay's report, including status of budget for fiscal year 2025 and other financial matters, vacancies, maintenance, legal, grievances and other updates.

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3. LTO Report.

4. Old Business:

-- Update on process of hiring new executive director and setting of public interviews for finalists.

--Discussion and vote on budget for fiscal year 2025 if needed.

--Discussion and votes to confirm proposed policies, review changes approved March 20.

5. New Business:

--Form Committee for Cable Considerations

--RFP for accounting firm

-Discussion and vote on if and how to distribute Zoom recordings of meetings

6. Set next meeting date.

<u>7. Citizen Speak.</u> This is an opportunity for residents to bring up topics of concern or importance which may be placed on a future agenda for discussion. Unless otherwise permitted by the Chair, speakers are limited to 3 minutes.

8. Board Speak.

9. Adjourn.

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