

# Falls Village Affordable Housing Task Team Meeting #2

*March 3, 2021*

*7:00 pm*

Members attending:

Colter Rule

Emily Bronson

Felicia Jones

Abigail Horace

Adam Sher

Alice Macchi

Dinnie Light

Julia Olf

Kathleen Clark

Greg Marlowe

Janell Mullen (planning consultant)

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm by Janell Mullen, planning consultant, to the Falls Village Affordable Housing Plan (AHP) Task Team. Mullen provided a brief introduction to the legislation (8-30j) that requires that every municipality in the state adopt an Affordable Housing Plan, to be updated every five(5) years.

Mullen reviewed the slides she had prepared for the meeting regarding the data assessment of housing needs in Falls Village. This information included existing housing stock, population trends, existing household size, house value information, as well as an overview of existing affordable housing. Mullen mentioned the Department of Housing (DOH) Appeals List regarding affordable housing. Mullen reviewed the state definition of affordable housing.

Mullen suggested that the working group develop a Communication Policy so that all members feel they are being properly represented and that their time spent volunteering is well spent. Mullen has posted all meeting information and additional resources onto the following site: <https://northwesthillscog.org/canaan-housing-plan/>. The meeting adjourned at 8:10 PM.

*Respectfully submitted in draft form by Janell Mullen, to be reviewed on 3/3 by the AHP Task Team.*