



ATTENDING

- Deputy Mayor Oonagh Proudfoot, Chair
- Mayor Wendy Donovan,
- Councillor Wendy Elliott,
- Alice Cohen,
- David MacKinnon,
- George Lohnes
- Mark Bishop

ALSO ATTENDING

- Director of Planning & Development, Devin Lake
- Climate and Mitigation Coordinator, Lindsay Slade

ABSENT WITH REGRETS

- Beverly Boyd,
- Councillor Isabel Madeira-Voss,
- Recording Secretary Amanda Brown

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Deputy Mayor Oonagh Proudfoot, called the meeting to order at 4:00 pm.

Agenda Item

Discussion and Decisions

1. Approval of Agenda

IT WAS REGULARLY MOVED AND SECONDED THAT THE AGENDA BE APPROVED AS CIRCULATED

CARRIED

2. Approval of Minutes

IT WAS REGULARLY MOVED AND SECONDED THAT THE MINUTES OF THE PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING OF MARCH 11, 2021 BE APPROVED WITH THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENT:

- Page 2 of 5 “exiting” should be “existing”.

CARRIED

3. Public Input / Question Period

- No public input



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4. New Business:

**a. Presentation from
Waterloo
University Students**

The committee received a presentation from University of Waterloo Planning Students working under the Direction of Dr. Mark Seasons. The student teams have been working for the last 8 weeks on a project assessing best practice in plan implementation and monitoring, using the Town's new MPS as the focus.

- a. The presentations were appreciated by the Committee with some discussions and questions of the students.
- b. Director Lake will share the final reports and presentations with the Committee for further discussion and next steps.

5. Old Business:

a. Housing Discussion

A presentation was received from Alan Howell, resident and Province of NS Staff working with the NS Housing Commission. Some discussion followed and will carry to the next meeting. This presentation will be shared with the committee and inform eventual recommendations from PAC to Council on housing opportunities.

6. Round Table

Nothing further noted.

7. Next Meeting

May 6, 2021 – 4:00 p.m.

8. Adjournment

IT WAS REGULARLY MOVED AND SECONDED THAT THE PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING BE ADJOURNED AT 6:00 p.m.

CARRIED

**Approved at the May 6, 2021 Planning Advisory Committee Meeting.
As recorded by Amanda Brown, Assistant, Office of the CAO**