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## **Town of West Boylston**

140 Worcester Street, West Boylston, Massachusetts 01583

## The AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST

Date / Time / Location of Meeting

04/09/18

Members Present	
Members NOT Present	
Invited Guests	

Robert J. Barrell, Marc Frieden, Anna Mary Kraemer John Hadley, Patrica Halpin by phone

Marcia Cairns, Paula Stuart, David Femia, Vincent Vignaly

Welcome - Call to Order

Time: 6:09 P.M.

**NEW BUSINESS** 

Review and approve the minutes of the March meetings, March

12 and March 21

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Motion to Accept
Motion Description

Marc Frieden

Move to approve minutes as written

Anna Mary Kraemer

Motion Seconded

Discussion

Result

**Approved** 

**Discussion of property 87 Maple Street** 

Discuss the best method to subdivide 87 Maple Street for the purpose of developing 87 Maple Street for senior housing. The discussion lead by Mr. Vignaly suggested that there may be several methods to divide the property that may satisfy zoning requirements. The property may be divided as a lot or parcel. The lot may require a determination by the planning board as a definitive subdivision. Ms. Stuart advised the Trust that a developer would need the property divided as a lot in order to obtain bank financing. In addition to this issue the encroachment by adjacent property owners and the need for a written decision by the land court regarding a boundary must be addressed. It was suggested that the Trust consider obtaining the services of a land use attorney to assist in resolving these matters.

**Discussion of CPC Funding** 

The Trust requested and obtained funding in the amount of \$350,000.00, from the Community Preservation Fund. This request is \$100,000.00 from the reserve and \$250,000.00 from the undesignated funding. This award must be approved by town meeting scheduled for May 21, 2018. A meeting with FinCom is scheduled for May 2, 2018.

Motion to Accept
Motion Description

**Robert Barrell** 

Moved Motion to canceled meeting with FinCom and delay appearance before May town meeting as the Trust must

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resolve property issues and schedule informational meeting

with housing authority residents and abutters.

**Motion Seconded** 

Result

**Marc Frieden Approved** 

**Housing Production Plan** 

The Town Administrator is preparing a RFP to update the

**Housing Production Plan** 

**Motion to Accept** 

**Robert Barrell** 

**Motion Description** 

Moved to endorse the issuance of a RFP to update the Housing

Production Plan to paid by state grant.

**Motion to Second** 

Result

**Marc Frieden Approved** 

**Town Meeting Talking Points** 

Ms. Stuart penned information for residents outlining the scope of the proposed housing development of 87 Maple Street. This information will be available at the town meeting.

**MOTION TO ADJOURN** 

**Motion Originator** 

**Robert J. Barrell** 

Motion Seconded Marc Frieden Time of Adjournment

06:25:00 PM

Submitted by:

Robert J. Barrell

**Date Submitted:** 

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