

**CITY OF EAST PROVIDENCE
PLANNING BOARD
MINUTES**

Date: February 14, 2022

Time: 7:00 PM

Place: Zoom virtual meeting

As a result of Covid-19, this meeting was conducted virtually through an application called “Zoom”. On January 6, 2022, Executive Order 22-01 was issued allowing remote participation in public meetings.

Present: Eric Crook, Alan D’Aiello, Christopher Grant, Octavio Cunha, Michael Robinson (Chair), Michelle Rockwell, William Fazioli (Planning Director), Patrick Hanner (Staff), James Moran (Staff)

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was cited

3. APPROVAL OF PLANING BOARD MINUTES

On a motion by Mr. Crook, seconded by Mr. Grant, the board voted 6-0 to approve the minutes of December 13, 2021.

4. NEW BUSINESS

Review and discussion of comprehensive plan elements- Housing, Demographics and Economic Development.

Mr. Fazioli provided an overview of the Comprehensive Plan elements included with this packet. This meeting is for discussion only, future workshops and or hearings will be scheduled to discuss the plan in more detail.

The board is asking for an editable copy of the elements in order to make suggestions, as well as an index of all elements included in the Comprehensive Plan. Board members had an internal discussion on the various elements.

Mr. Fazioli and Mr. Hanner provided the board with the next steps in the process of adopting the new Comprehensive Plan elements.

5. OTHER BUSINESS

Annual calendar of Planning Board dates will be posted to SOS

6. STAFF REPORT

Mr. Fazioli provided the staff report. He provided a slideshow on various Economic Developments throughout the city.

7. ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next Planning Board meeting is scheduled for Monday March 14, 2022

8. ADJOURNMENT

On a motion by Mr. Cunha, seconded by Mr. Crook, the board voted to adjourn the meeting at 7:33 PM

CC: Mayor Roberto DaSilva
City Council
Director of Public Works
City Engineer
City Solicitor
Fire Chief
Zoning Officer