

Acton 2020 Committee Agenda September 28, 2011 – 7:00 PM Acton Town Hall, Room 204

7:00pm Discussion about affordable housing with invited guests

- I. Welcome and introductions (10 min)
- II. Review purpose of meeting (10 min)
- III. Review strategies in Goal 5, Objective 2 (5 min)
- IV. Open discussion of questions, including:
 - a. Review housing needs in Acton—who needs housing and what types? (15 min)
 - b. Discuss meeting housing needs in Acton and grappling with 40B, including the following questions: (80 min)
 - i. What are examples of communities successfully dealing with 40B as well as meeting housing needs?
 - ii. What are examples of successful housing production plans?
 - iii. Explain condo buydown program in Acton. Are there examples of successful buydown/conversion programs in other communities?
 - iv. What legislative changes regarding 40B/housing/zoning are afoot?
 - v. Are there any unintended consequences that we should be aware of in our planning efforts?
 - vi. How can we effectively fit our housing goals in with our "concentrate growth" strategy?
 - vii. What would you recommend be our highest priority in pursuing housing to meet our communities' needs?

9:00pm Internal committee meeting

- V. Approve minutes from 9-14-2011 and 9-21-11 meetings
- VI. Review remainder fall meetings
 - a. Confirm communication with committees/stakeholders
 - b. Confirm logistics/attendance
- VII. Plan for November 9th meeting
 - a. Oktoberfest logistics
 - b. Meeting space
- VIII. Formalize revised goals and objectives
- IX. Comment on TDR write-up
- X. Begin debriefing on September 14th, 21st, and 28th meetings (if time allows)
- XI. Agree on priorities for Oct. 5th meeting