

Town of Burlington

Housing Plan Steering Committee

2<sup>nd</sup> Regular Meeting - March 1, 2022

7:00 pm

Meeting held via Zoom

**Attended By:** Don Riley, Stephen Grund, John Haviland Mohamed Amer, Donna Mullen, and Belinda Cargill  
Planning Consultant in attendance: Jocelyn Ayre.

**Minutes:**

**Meeting was called to order @ 7:02 pm.**

**The minutes of last meeting were unanimously approved.**

**The Planning Consultant showed the committee several slides on trends on the Burlington Housing stock. We have about 93% single family (detached homes)**

5% renter occupied

Next there was a review with discussion on the definition of affordable housing. It was learned Home Values have been rising. Burlington has 196 units available for rent which makes up the 5% noted above.

There was a general discussion on how to gather information from the general public on their reasonable wants and specific needs in housing. The conclusion was drawn that the best way to do this is via a survey. This survey will be placed on the town's website as well as local social media platforms for all to take. General notification of this survey will be placed on the electronic board in front of town hall for about 4 weeks and paper copies will be available at Town Hall for those that do not use a computer.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm