

# **Alameda County**

# Housing and Community Development Department

# Measure A1 Oversight Committee

DATE: July 22, 2021 TIME: 9:30 A.M. Chair: Ndidi Okwelogu – Vice Chair: Rose Works

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# <u>AGENDA</u>

ITEM I.	DESCRIPTION <u>Calling Committee to Order</u>	TYPE Organization	SPEAKER Chair Okwelogu
II.	Approval of 6/24/2021 Meeting Minutes	Action	Chair Okwelogu
III.	Measure A1 news	Information	Jennifer Pearce, Deputy Director of Housing, Housing and Community Development, Alameda County Community Development Agency (CDA)
IV.	Alameda County Housing and Community <u>Development news</u>	Information	Jennifer Pearce
V.	Measure A1 Program 2018-2019 Annual Report Review the Measure A1 Annual Report - July 2018 through June 2019 – layout, finances and A1 website	Information	Jennifer Pearce
VI.	<b>Future Meetings</b>	Infomation	Chair Okwelogu
VII.	Public Comment for Items not on the Agenda	Information	Chair Okwelogu

# Measure A1 Oversight Committee - Mandate

The mandate of the Measure A1 Citizens' Oversight Committee is to retroactively review the expenditure of the proceeds of the Bond and report to the Board on whether Bond proceeds were spent in accordance with the purposes set forth in the Measure.

## Measure A1 Updates – July 22, 2021

## **Board of Supervisors**

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## **Program Updates:**

- Granite Ridge, Fremont (Eden Housing) groundbreaking took place July 9<sup>th</sup>. 73 units, including 15 units targeted to people who have experience homelessness. A1 funding: \$9,700,000
- Fruitvale Transit Village II-B, Oakland (Bridge/Unity Council) closed construction July 16th. 181 units, including 46 units of permanent supportive housing for chronically homeless individuals. A1 funding: \$16,227,175

## Alameda County Housing and Community Development Updates – July 22, 2021

- Emergency Rental Assistance Program launch update
- Natasha Paddock joined HCD as the new Deputy Director of Homelessness

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# Housing and Community Development Department Measure A1 Oversight Committee

DATE 6/24/2021 TIME 9:30 A.M.

Chair: Ndidi Okwelogu Vice-Chair: Gloria Bruce Committee Members:

Gloria Bruce, Randi DeHollander, David Denton, Jeffrey Dixon, Brian Dolan, Lisa Fitts, Lynda Foster, Daniel Gregg, Jason Gumataotao, Daphine Lamb-Perrilliat, Ndidi Okwelogu, Kendra Roberts, Mimi Rohr, Rose Works

Members of the Public: 13 attendees Location: Held via teleconference Approved:

# **Summary/Action Minutes**

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call of Committee Members Ndidi Okwelogu, Chairperson Meeting began at 9:32 a.m.
  - Chairperson Okwelogu called the meeting to order at 9:32 a.m. and requested Mr. Fuller call the roll.
  - Of the 14 seated members, 9 were present at roll-call. Quorum is eight.

#### **Committee Members in Attendance**

- Ndidi Okwelogu, Chairperson
- Brian Dolan
- Lynda Foster
- Jason Gumataotao
- Rose Works
- Randi DeHollander
- Jeffrey Dixon
- Daphine Lamb-Perrilliat
- Lisa Fitts

#### **Committee Members Not in Attendance**

- Gloria Bruce
- David Denton
- Daniel Gregg
- Kendra Roberts
- Mimi Rohr

#### **Alameda County Staff Members Participating**

- Michelle Starratt, Director, Housing and Community Development, Alameda County Community Development Agency (CDA)
- Jennifer Pearce, Deputy Director, Housing and Community Development, Alameda County

- Community Development Agency (CDA)
- Heather Littlejohn, Deputy County Counsel, Alameda County
- Robert Fuller, Oversight Committee Liaison, Housing and Community Development, Alameda County Community Development Agency (CDA)
- Teresa Hester, Housing Specialist, Housing and Community Development, Alameda County Community Development Agency (CDA)
- Angelica Guardiancic, Clerk Specialist, Housing and Community Development, Alameda County Community Development Agency (CDA)
- Rachel Heydemann, Housing and Community Development Project Manager, Housing and Community Development, Alameda County Community Development Agency (CDA)

# II. Approval of 5/27/2021 Oversight Committee Minutes – Chairperson Okwelogu Action Item - Approve May 27, 2021 meeting minutes, make any amendments, and approve.

#### Discussion:

- Mr. Fuller corrected the minutes to state that the seated number of members is 14 instead of 8.
- No discussion from the Committee.

### **Public Comment:**

• No public comment.

Mr. Dolan motioned to adopt the amended May 27, 2021 minutes. Mr. Dixon seconded the motion. Through a roll-call vote, the Committee adopted and accepted the minutes with 9 votes in favor, 0 no votes and 0 abstention.

Gloria Bruce, Vice Chairperson	yea, nay, abstain
Daniel Gregg	yea, nay, abstain
Jason Gumataotao	X yea, nay, abstain
Brian Dolan	X yea, nay, abstain
Lisa Fitts	X yea, nay, abstain
Lynda Foster	X yea, nay, abstain
Rose Works	X yea, nay, abstain
Daphine Lamb-Perrilliat	X yea, nay, abstain
Kendra Roberts	yea, nay, abstain
Randi DeHollander	X yea, nay, abstain
Jeffrey Dixon	X yea, nay, abstain
David Denton	yea, nay, abstain
Mimi Rohr	yea, nay, abstain
Ndidi Okwelogu, Chairperson	X yea, nay, abstain

Total: 9 yea, 0 nay and 0 abstain The motion passes

### III. Future Meetings – Chair Okwelogu

Discuss the prospect of in-person Oversight Committee meetings

#### Discussion:

- Chair Okwelogu requested discussion from Committee members on returning to in person meetings.
- Mr. Dolan is comfortable returning to in person meetings, but if masks are required would prefer to keep meetings via Zoom.
- Ms. Lamb-Perrilliat is open to either in person or virtual.
- Ms. DeHollander communicated preference to not be masked and if a hybrid model is available.
- Ms. Works supports a hybrid option.

Approve the election of a temporary Vice Chair until September 2021 **Action** 

#### Discussion:

- Chair Okwelogu discussed that Vice Chair Bruce has taken a sabbatical and the Committee needs to elect a temporary Vice Chair for the months of July, August and September 2021.
- Ms. Littlejohn explained that the by-laws allow for election of a temporary Vice Chair. Asked if this is for action today.
- Chair Okwelogu confirmed the intent is to vote on this today.
- Ms. Littlejohn confirmed it is possible to vote on it today as it is listed as an action item on the agenda.
- Chair Okwelogu requested any volunteers for the temporary Vice Chair.
- Ms. Lamb-Perrilliat nominated Ms. Works
- Ms. Works accepted nomination.

### **Public Comment:**

• No public comment

Mr. Dixon nominated Ms. Works to serve as temporary Oversight Committee Vice Chair until September 2021. Ms. Lamb-Perrilliat seconded the motion.

Through a roll-call vote, the Committee elected Rose Works as temporary Vice Chair with 9 votes in favor, 0 no votes and 0 abstention.

Gloria Bruce, Vice Chairperson	yea, nay, abstain
Daniel Gregg	yea, nay, abstain
Brian Dolan	X yea, nay, abstain
Jason Gumataotao	X yea, nay, abstain
Lisa Fitts	X yea, nay, abstain
Lynda Foster	X yea, nay, abstain
Rose Works	X yea, nay, abstain
Daphine Lamb-Perrilliat	X yea, nay, abstain
Kendra Roberts	yea, nay, abstain
Randi DeHollander	X yea, nay, abstain
Jeffrey Dixon	X yea, nay, abstain
David Denton	yea, nay, abstain
Mimi Rohr	yea, nay, abstain
Ndidi Okwelogu, Chairperson	X yea, nay, abstain

## Total: 9 yea, 0 nay and 0 abstain The motion passes

IV. Update on Measure A1 news – Jennifer Pearce, Deputy Director, Housing and Community Development, Alameda County Community Development Agency (CDA)
 Informational Item

Ms. Pearce gave an update on Measure A1 recent news:

- Fruitvale Transit Village II B (Oakland)
  - Being developed by Bridge/Unity council
  - Anticipate to close Construction financing late June
  - 181 units including 46 units of permanent supportive housing for chronically homeless.
  - A1 funding \$16,227,175.00

#### Discussion:

- Ms. Works asked when will this development be ready for move-in.
- Ms. Pearce responded construction begins in August. Ready for lease up in 18 -24 months.
- Ms. Lamb-Perrilliat asked if this too will be by lottery.
- Ms. Pearce responded yes, but not for the chronically homeless as they will come off the coordinated entry list.

#### **Public Comment:**

• No public comment.

# V. Alameda County Housing and Community Development News - Jennifer Pearce, Housing and Community Development Manager, Alameda County Community Development Agency (CDA) Informational Item

Ms. Pearce gave an update on HCD news:

- Emergency Rental Assistance Program
  - o Contracted with 211 Eden I&R to help people with their applications.
  - o Will go to Board of Supervisors with contracts for application assistance.
  - June 17, HCD held a strategy session with more than 100 stakeholders to discuss how to leverage Homekey funds to address the housing crisis.

#### Discussion:

- Ms. Foster asked who the major stake holders are.
- Ms. Pearce responded cities, developers, advocates, service providers. Kept this meeting broad to have a comprehensive conversation on this opportunity.
- Mr. Fuller added there were 133 attendees. There were representatives from each Alameda County jurisdiction.
- Chair Okwelogu requested any public information from this meeting such as recording, notes
  or the stakeholder list.
- Ms. Pearce confirmed she will find out and report back.

• No public comment.

# VI. Measure A1 Program July 2018 to June 2019 Annual Report Draft -Jennifer Pearce, Deputy director Housing and Community Development, Alameda County Community Development Agency (CDA)

#### **Informational Item**

Ms. Pearce presented the Measure A1 Annual Report for July 2018-June 2018 for discussion.

- Oversight Committee member feedback highlights
  - o Suggestions for clarity, corrections and questions on conflicting information
  - o Request to include profiles or residents and stakeholders
  - o Request for further budget details
  - o Question of whether questions of equity should be considered
  - Suggestions to make background sections more concise
- Addressing Oversight Committee member feedback
  - Under contract with Barreto
  - Working with professional writer and copywriter to tighten up text and address issues of clarity
  - o Interviewing stakeholders for profiles to be included
  - o Refining data representation and graphics with graphic designer

#### Discussion:

- Ms. DeHollander requested confirmation that the copywriter is ensuring there are no grammar errors.
- Ms. Pearce confirmed they will be checking for all necessary edits.
- Ms. DeHollander communicated the importance of highlighting the stakeholder experiences and the rest of the report should be information supporting how we got to those experiences.
- Chair Okwelogu asked if stakeholder and resident experiences have been secured for this report.
- Ms. Pearce confirmed this is in the works.
- Mr. Fuller confirmed there is a list of residents from rental programs and participants in AC Boost or Renew AC that will be included in this report. Also looking into the future reports and getting feedback from people who were involved in construction and development.
- Ms. Works requested confirmation when the Second Report will go to the Board of Supervisors.
- Ms. Pearce confirmed it will go to the Health Committee first and then to the Board of Supervisors after the recess.

## **Public Comment:**

• No comment from the public

#### VI. Public Comment for Items Not on the Agenda – Chairperson Okwelogu

Speakers: None.

Adjournment at 10:15 a.m.

# Homekey Strategy Session – June 17, 2021 – Organizations in Attendance

A-1CHS
Abode Communities
Abode Services
AC Housing and Community Development Department
ACBHS, Substance Use System of Care
Alameda County Community Development Agency
Alameda County Public Health Department/VNA
All Home
All Home California
Anjanette Scott LL C
BART
Bay Area Community Benefit Organizations
Bay Area Legal Aid
Berkeley Food & Housing Project
Berkeley Housing Authority
Berkeley Youth Alternatives
BOS District 1
BOSS
Building Futures
CARA
Center for Elders Independence
Center Point, Inc.
Centro Legal de la Raza
Century Housing Corp.
City of Albany
City of Berkeley
City of Dublin
City of Fremont
City of Hayward
City of Livermore
City of Oakland
City of Pleasanton
City of San Leandro
compassionate510
CSuite Business Ventures
DASH HOUSING LLC
Dept. of Veterans Affairs
East Bay Housing Organizations
Eden Housing
Eden Information and Referral
El cerrito
Enterprise Community Partners
EOC EOC
Episcopal Community Services of San Francisco
EveryOne Home
FESCO/La Familia

Five Keys
Five Keys Schools and Programs
GCEA
HCEB
Health Care for the Homeless, Street Health
Healthy Communities, Inc.
Homebridge, Inc.
homeowner in Alameda (city)
Housing Authority of the City of Alameda
Housing Authority of the County of Alameda
Housing Trust Silicon Valley
HumanGood
Ideal Restoration Inc.,
Independent Living Association
La Familia
Linc Housing
LW
MidPen Housing Corporation
Mpi homes
NCCRC
NCLT / Supportive Housing Community Land Alliance
Oakland Housing Authority
Oakland Private Industry Council
Operation Dignity, Inc.
resident
OZI Company LLC
Panoramic Interests
student
Quantity Postcards
Resources for Community Development
Retired resident
Richmond Neighborhood Housing Services
SAHA (Satellite Affordable Housing Associates)
San Francisco Foundation
resident
SFChronicle
Siegel, Yee, Brunner & Mehta
Sister to Sister 2, Inc.
St. Mary's Center
Streets Team Enterprises
THE BAYOU MEETS THE BAY CLASSIC FOUNDATION
The Uncuffed Project
The Unity Council
The Village In Oakland
The Village Of Love
Trestle Development
UC Berkeley
University of San Francisco

Women Daytime Drop in Center
Youth Spirit Artworks