Housing & Redevelopment Authority in and for the City of Roseville Meeting Agenda Tuesday, February 18, 2014 at 6:00 p.m.

Roseville City Hall, Council Chambers, 2660 Civic Center Drive Roseville, Minnesota 55113

- 1. Call to Order
 - a. Oath of Office for Jason Etten
- 2. Roll Call
 - a. Resolution of adopted Bylaws for 2014
- 3. Approval of Minutes: Minutes of HRA Meeting on January 29, 2014
- 4. Announcements, Agenda Adjustments, Recognitions, Correspondence, and Comments
- **5. Community/Citizen Comments**: Comments from the public on items that are not otherwise on the agenda
- 6. Consent Agenda
 - a. Acceptance of HRC Monthly Reports for January 2014
- 7. Public Hearing: None
- 8. Presentations
 - a. Ramsey County Cultivating Economic Prosperity Ryan O'Conner
 - **b.** Update on Dale Fire Station Redevelopment GHMC
 - **c.** Code Enforcement/BEP update for 2013 Don Munson
- 9. Action/Discussion Items
 - a. Sherman Associates Resolution of Support for HOME Application
- 10. Information Reports & Other Business (Verbal Reports by Staff and Board Members)
 - a. Living Smarter Fair
 - **b.** BR& E

Next Meeting: Joint meeting with City Council on Monday, March 3, 2014, at 6:00 p.m.

	BY-LAWS OF THE HOUSING AND REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY IN AND FOR THE CITY OF ROSEVILLE, MINNESOTA
	1. <u>THE AUTHORITY</u>
	Name of the Authority. The name of the Authority shall be the Housing and Authority in and for the City of Roseville, Minnesota (hereinafter, the RA"), and its governing body shall be called the Board of Commissioners Board").
SECTION 1.2. Hall.	Office. The principal office of the Authority shall be the Roseville City
SECTION 1.3.	Seal. The Authority shall have no official seal.
	2. ORGANIZATION BOARD MEMBERSHIP
membership shall large members or	Board Membership and Appointments. The Board shall consist of seven rs, who shall be residents of the City of Roseville, Minnesota. Board be comprised of one (1) Roseville City Council member and six (6) atseven (7) at-large members.
the Roseville City	hall be appointed by the Mayor of the City of Roseville with the approval of Council.
large shall be five concurrent with hi maximum of three	Term of Office. The term of office of any Board member serving at- (5) years. The City Council's Board representative shall serve for a term is or her term as a City Council member. Board members may serve a (3) consecutive five (5) year terms for a total of fifteen (15) years. oard member may re-apply for additional terms after a one (1) year absence
3	hall serve until a successor is appointed and qualified but not longer than fter the members term has expired.
SECTION 2.3. necessary expense subdivision 4, as a	Compensation of Board Members. Board members may receive es and compensation pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 469.011, amended.
	Meeting Attendance. It shall be the duty of each Board member to attend ecial meetings of the Authority and to attend each subcommittee meeting to appointed. Attendance of Board members shall be entered in the minutes
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52	SECTION 2.5. Board Vacancies. The Mayor with the approval of City Council shall fill
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53	vacancies occurring on the Board, other than through expiration of term of office, for the
54	remainder of the original term of the vacated position.
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	SECTION 2.6. Resignations. Resignations shall be submitted in writing to the Mayor
57	and the City Council, a minimum of sixty (60) days prior to the effective date of the
58	<u>resignation.</u>
59 60	SECTION 2.7. Removal of Board Members. A Board member may be removed by the
61	Mayor and City Council for inefficiency, neglect of duty, or misconduct in office in
62	accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 469.010, as amended.
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64	3. OFFICERS
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66	SECTION 3.1. Officers. The officers of the Authority shall consist of a Chairperson, a
67	Vice Chairperson, a Secretary, and an Executive Director. The Chairperson, the Vice
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69	Chairperson, and the Secretary shall be members of the Board and shall be elected at the
70	annual meeting of the Authority, and no Commissioner Board member shall hold more than one such office at the same time.
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	SECTION 2.2.2. Chairmanan The Chairmanan shall muside at all mastines of the David
72	SECTION 2.2.3.2. <u>Chairperson.</u> The Chairperson shall preside at all meetings of the Board.
73	The Chairperson, with the assistance of the Executive Director, will set the monthly Board
74 75	agenda. On at least a quarterly basis, the Chairperson shall meet with the City Manager to
75 76	discuss HRA matters.
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77 7 0	SECTION 2.3.3.3. <u>Vice Chairperson</u> . The Vice Chairperson shall preside at any meeting of
78	the Board in the absence of the Chairperson and may exercise all powers and perform all
79	responsibilities of the Chairperson if the Chairperson cannot exercise or perform the same
80	due to absence or other inability.
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82	SECTION 2.4.3.4. Chairperson Pro Tem. In the absence or inability of the Chairperson and
83	the Vice Chairperson at any meeting, the Board may appoint any remaining
84	Commissioner Board member as Chairperson Pro Tem to preside at such meeting.
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86	SECTION <u>2.5.3.5.</u> <u>Secretary.</u> In the absence of the <u>ClerkExecutive Director</u> , the Secretary
87	shall keep minutes of all meetings of the Board and shall maintain all records of the
88	Authority. The Secretary shall also have such additional duties and responsibilities as the
89	Board may from time to time and by resolution prescribe.
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91	SECTION 2.6.3.6. Executive Director. The Community Development Authority shall
92	<u>appoint an Executive</u> Director <u>of nominated by</u> the City <u>shall serve as the Manager</u> . The
93	Executive Director, who shall be the chief appointed executive officer of the Authority, and
94	shall have such additional responsibilities and authority as the Board may from time to time
95	by resolution prescribe. In addition, the Executive Director is responsible for recording and
96	maintaining accurate records of the meetings of the Board and of all official actions taken by
97	or on behalf of the Authority.
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99	SECTION 3.7. Replacement of Officers. In the event the office of any officer becomes
100	vacant, a replacement officer shall be elected at the next regularly scheduled meeting to serve
101	out the balance of the original term of the vacated office.

104 4. 3. PROCEDURES MEETINGS OF THE HRA BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS 105 106 SECTION 3.1.4.1. Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of the Board shall be held on the 3rd Tuesday of the month of January in each year. 107 108 SECTION 3.2.4.2. Regular Meetings. The Board shall hold regular meetings on the 3rd of 109 110 each month, commencing at a time the Board determines, or upon the schedule adopted by 111 the Board at the annual meeting. 112 113 SECTION 3.3.4.3. Special Meetings. Special meetings of the Board may be called by the 114 Chairperson or, in the event of the Chairperson's absence or inability, by the Vice 115 Chairperson at any time, upon twenty-four hours prior notice to all Commissioners Board 116 members and the Clerk and Executive Director. Upon the same notice, special meetings of 117 the Board may also be called by any two Commissioners Board members. The Clerk shall 118 post notice of any special meeting in the principal office of the Authority no less than three 119 days prior to such special meeting, or such other period required for notice of special 120 meetings under Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 13D. 121 122 SECTION 3.4.4.4. Quorum. A quorum of the Board shall consist of four ifof the Board 123 consists of seven Commissioners and three if the Board consists of five Commissioners Board 124 members. In the absence of a quorum, no official action may be taken by, on behalf of, or in 125 the name of the Board or the Authority. 126 127 SECTION 3.5.4.5. Adoption of Resolutions. Resolutions of the Board shall be deemed 128 adopted if approved by not less than a simple majority of all Commissioners Board members 129 present, except as otherwise required by law. Resolutions may but need not be read aloud 130 prior to vote taken thereon and may but need not be executed after passage. 131 132 SECTION 3.6.4.6. Rules of Order. The presider shall conduct the meetings of the Board in 133 such a fashion as to efficiently transact public business in compliance with law and fairness. 134 In this regard, Robert Rosenberg's Rules of Order may be used as a parliamentary guide, but 135 the sense of the Board operating in compliance with law and fairness rather than 136 RobertRosenberg's Rules of Order shall prevail in resolving all procedural issues. Board 137 members may appeal procedural decisions of the presider by a motion that is made and 138 seconded at the time of the presider's action or inaction. Such appeal motion shall have 139 priority over all other motions. A majority of the quorum in attendance voting in favor of the 140 appeal motion is sufficient to reverse the presider's ruling. 141 142 SECTION 4.7. Conflict of Interest. Any Board member or employee who has a 143 financial interest in any matter that is before the Authority shall publicly state the nature of 144 said interest, excuse himself or herself from participation in the discussion or any decision-145 making process regarding the matter, and comply with the requirements of Minnesota 146 Statutes, Section 469.009, as amended. 147 148 149 5. 4. PROCEDURES OF THE HRA BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS 150 151 SECTION 4.1.5.1. Fiscal Year. The fiscal year of the Authority shall be the calendar year.

SECTION 4.2.5.2. Execution of Contracts. All contracts, notes and other written agreements or instruments to which the Authority is a party or signatory or by which the Authority may be bound shall be executed by the Chairperson and/or the Executive Director

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156	or by such other Commissioners Board members or officers of the Authority as the Board may
157	be resolution prescribe.
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159	SECTION 4.3.5.3. Amendment of By-Laws. These By-Laws may be amended by the Board
160	only by not less than a majority vote of all the Commissioners Board members, provided that
161	any such proposed amendment shall first have been delivered to each Commissioner Board
162	member at least five days prior to the meeting at which such amendment is considered.
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HRA Terms on the Board as of February 2014

Number of Terms	Board Member	Dates of Term
1 st	Kelly Quam	9/28/09-9/23/14
Serving out a term	Susan Elkins	4/9/12-9/23/15 finish out Battisto Term,
		2 nd term 9/24/10-5/17/11 resigned, 1 st term 9/24/05-9/23/10
2 nd Term	Bill Masche	2 nd term 9/24/11-9/23/16, 1 st term 9/24/06-9/23/11
1 st Term	Jason Etten	1 st term 2/18/14-12/31/16
3 rd Term	Bill Majerus	3 rd term 9/24/12-9/23/17, 2 nd term 9/24/07-9/23/12,
		1 st term 9/24/02-9/23/07
2 nd Term	Dean Mashka	2 nd term 9/24/12-9/23/17, 1 st term 9/27/07-9/23/12
2 nd Term	Vickie Lee	2 nd term 9/24/13-9/23/18, 1 st term 9/28/09-9/23/13

EXTRACT OF MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE HOUSING AND REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY IN AND FOR THE CITY OF ROSEVILLE

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a regular meeting of the Housing and Redevelopment Authority in and for the City of Roseville, County of Ramsey, Minnesota, was duly called and held at the City Hall on Tuesday, the 18th day of February, 2014, at 6:00 p.m..

The following members were present:

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and the following were absent:	
Commissioner	introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:
	Resolution No. 53

Resolution of the Board Of Commissioners of the Housing and

Redevelopment Authority in and for the City of Roseville, Minnesota, Adopting By-Laws for 2014

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners (the "Board") of the Housing and Redevelopment Authority in and for the City of Roseville, Minnesota (the "Authority"), as follows:

- 1. <u>Recitals</u>. All things required by the applicable provisions of the Municipal Housing and Redevelopment Act, Minnesota Statutes, Sections 469.001 to 469.047, have been duly taken in order to create, constitute, and activate the Authority.
- 2. <u>By-Laws</u>. The By-Laws which are attached to and made a part of this resolution as Exhibit A are hereby adopted as the By-Laws of the Authority.

Adopted by the Board of the Authority this 18th day of February, 2014.

Certificate

and Redevelopment Authority in and for the C have carefully compared the attached and foreg my office and further certify that the same is a f	ed and acting Executive Director of the Housing City of Roseville, Minnesota, hereby certify that I going resolution with the original thereof on file in full, true, and complete copy of a resolution which ers of said Authority at a duly called and regularly
•	introduced said resolution and moved its Commissioner and that upon roll call ssioners voted in favor thereof:
and the following voted against the same	e:
whereupon said resolution was declared duly pa	
Witness my hand as the Executive Direct 2014.	ctor of the Authority this 18 th day of February,
	Acting Executive Director Housing and Redevelopment Authority in and for the City
	of Roseville, Minnesota



Housing & Redevelopment Authority Roseville City Hall Council Chambers, 2660 Civic Center Drive Minutes – Wednesday, January 29, 2014 at 6:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order

Chair Maschka called to order the regular meeting of the Housing & Redevelopment Authority (HRA) in and for the City of Roseville at approximately 6:00 p.m.

2. Roll Call

Present: Chair Dean Maschka; and Members Bob Willmus; Bill Majerus; William Masche;

Kelly Quam; and Vicki Lee

Excused: Member Susan Elkins

Staff Present: Acting HRA Executive Director Jeanne Kelsey; Communications Manager Garry

Bowman

a. Approval of Bylaws (Attachment A)and Election of Officers of the Housing & Redevelopment Authority in and for the City of Roseville for 2014

Acting Director Kelsey briefly reviewed proposed revisions for the annual review of the HRA By-Laws, per State Statute 469.011 and at the recommendation of the HRA Attorney. Items for HRA consideration included a review of the By-laws revisions and recommended amendments; review of 2014 meeting dates and any amendments; discussion of the nomination of officers; and adoption of by-laws by resolution.

Ms. Kelsey noted a clarification of the terms of office, with the Mayor recommending limiting terms (Section 2.2 of Attachment A, draft by-laws) to be two (2) consecutive five (5) year terms versus the current three (3) consecutive terms. Ms. Kelsey advised that the proposed revisions were based on a review by the HRA Attorney's and cross-section of similar HRA's and their operations; with documentation in place outlining who is in which position as staff changeover occurs.

At the request of Member Majerus, Ms. Kelsey highlighted other changes of note, including Section 2.4 (minimum meeting attendance requirements); membership of the HRA Board; and other minor changes for items needing clarity and conciseness.

Ms. Kelsey reviewed Attachment B, 2014 HRA Meeting Schedule; and Tuesday meeting dates at 6:00 p.m. as follows:

January 21	May 20	September 16
February 18	June 17	October 21
March 11	July 15	November 18
April 15	August 19	December – NO MEETING

Ms. Kelsey noted that Resolution No. 52 (Attachment C) would be amended to reflect her as "Acting" HRA Executive Director.

Member Willmus provided a background on proposed changes to member terms, after his discussions with Mayor Roe, to be consistent with the City Council's advisory commissions with two (2) consecutive, three (3) year terms, for a maximum of six (6) years; or reverting to two (2) consecutive, five (5) year terms, for a total service of ten (10 years) at one time. Member Willmus noted that also provided an opportunity to bring other voices to the table at greater intervals.

Member Majerus questioned if it was preferable or more beneficial to take the advice of the HRA Attorney to be more consistent with the operations of other HRA's and Economic Development Authorities (EDA's) or to be consistent with City Council advisory commissions. Member Majerus explained his rationale by noting that , he could see the benefit of ten (10) versus fifteen (15) years, he was concerned about losing institutional history of members and the time they would need to gain traction, based on the HRA's mission in the community versus advisory commissions. Not intending to take anything away from those advisory roles, Member Majerus noted the involvement of the HRA in things taking considerable time to develop and mature, and questioned if ten (10) years was long enough to keep productive members on board, as well as retaining that institutional history for the benefit of the body as well as the community vision.

Chair Maschka noted that, after one year of absence, a member may reapply and restart another ten (10) year cycle as application, being considered as a new applicant. However, Chair Maschka asked for additional information on how that would play out over ten (10) years based on historical appointments to the HRA, and how it would stagger out over that time.

Ms. Kelsey noted that some HRA's didn't have any term limit whatsoever.

Member Lee concurred that the nature of the HRA business is more unique that advisory commissions.

Member Masche questioned the number of members who have filled out their terms; and noted the tremendous talent pool available when applicants have come forward for other commissions, opining that there were numerous residents willing to serve the community.

While respecting that willingness to serve, Member Majerus reiterated his concern that the HRA retain its institutional knowledge.

Member Willmus concurred that institutional knowledge is vital; however, he also recognized the opportunity to hear from fresh voices and new ideas. As anyone involved in real estate over time, Member Willmus noted the rapid changes in that field; and opined that this provided an opportunity for those new voices to come forward in creating a strong benefit to the body and the community.

Member Masche noted that in past years when the HRA was first initiated, there was not a strong and consistent staff leadership in place; and opined that with that staff leadership consistency now available, some of the institutional memory would be retained.

Discussion ensued regarding whether the HRA was to retain current by-laws as amended and the number and length of terms, with the majority preferring to wait until the next meeting for further consideration once a review of the overlap of membership and those on their second term or not; and adopt the remainder of the resolution (2014 meeting dates, election of officers, and appointment of Acting Executive Director) at this time.

Chair Maschka noted that the by-laws could be amended at any time, and he would prefer to adopt them now and get the terms of office research, at which time the by-laws could be amended if necessary.

Member Majerus spoke in support of tabling the by-laws for additional information to be provided by staff, and then adopt them at the next HRA meeting.

and approval of 2014 meeting dates as presented.

Aves: 6

Navs: 0

Motion carried.

Motion: Member Majerus moved, seconded by Member Lee to nominate the following slate of officers; and to approve the following 2014 meeting dates.

Motion: Member Majerus moved, seconded by Member Masche to TABLE adoption of the HRA By-laws to the February HRA meeting, with the exception of election of officers

Chair: Dean Maschka Vice Chair: Vicki Lee Secretary: Bill Majerus

Acting Executive Director: Jeanne Kelsey

Tuesday meet	ing dates (unle	ss otherwise noted) at 6:00 pm
January 21	May 20	September 16
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Ayes: 6 Nays: 0 Motion carried.

Chair Maschka noted that he would not be available for the March meeting, and asked Vice Chair Lee to serve as Chair in his absence.

3. Approval of Minutes

Motion: Member Majerus moved, seconded by Member Lee to approve the Regular HRA Meeting Minutes of November 19, 2014 as presented.

Ayes: 6 Nays: 0

Motion carried.

4. Announcements, Agenda Adjustments, Recognitions, Correspondence, and Comments

a. Living Smarter Home and Garden Fair Sponsor Recognition

Ms. Kelsey read a list of and recognized the sponsors of this year's Home & Garden Fair; with one sponsor present tonight.

Ms. Kelsey introduced Jake Sedlacek, representing Xcel Energy, who had also assisted the HRA with the recent business expansion survey.

Chair Maschka thanked Mr. Sedlacek for his help in the community; and presented a certification of recognition for those efforts.

b. 2013 Living Smarter Roseville Green Award Program

Ms. Kelsey advised that the City had two (2) applicants this year, both having great projects, but unfortunately one applicant disqualified due to failure to pull permits in the necessary time frame for the proposed work.

Ms. Kelsey introduced this year's Green Award Program winners: Laurie Bennett & Ahi Bennuri, 2755 Merrill Street; for their remodel of a 1953 rambler to refinish an upstairs bath, finish a major portion of the basement through addition of a bedroom, home theater, wet bar and full spa bath. Ms. Kelsey noted that the couple had also applied for a free energy audit after completion of the work, and paid for an upgrade to an infrared to determine how those improvements had helped their energy efficiency, and found great results.

At the request of Chair Maschka, Ms. Bennett reviewed the history of this home, her grandparent's former home, and a synopsis of the work completed.

Ms. Kelsey advised that a display board will be available at the Home & Garden Fair, showing before and after pictures; as well as on the HRA's website. Ms. Kelsey emphasized that the couple consciously made decisions for energy efforts, and other amenities that were the core of what this program was all about.

Chair Maschka formally congratulated the couple, and presented them with a check from the HRA in the amount of \$500.

Agenda Addition

Ms. Kelsey introduced Garry Bowman, the City of Roseville's new Communications Manager, advising that he would be working with the HRA as well.

Mr. Bowman provided his biography, his education credentials, and career expertise in the communications field. Mr. Bowman reviewed his goals for the City of Roseville in creating a brand to project the community within and beyond the greater Twin Cities and Minnesota area. Mr. Bowman expressed his enthusiasm for finding that brand and developing a marketing plan to accentuate the positives; proposing to present preliminary ideas over the next few months. Mr. Bowman advised that the intent would be for that image or brand to project throughout the City cohesively and consistently, including being ultimately reflected in a redesign of the City's website and take the City's message to the community and businesses, as well as beyond. Mr. Bowman expressed his confidence that this would provide an opportunity to bring the entire community together.

Chair Maschka welcomed Mr. Bowman to the community and staff.

Member Majerus also welcomed Mr. Bowman, and encouraged him to take advantage of some of the great resources accomplished to-date, specifically the *Imagine Roseville 2025* that had been developed by the community addressing their vision.

Mr. Bowman concurred, noting that the document had been referred to throughout his hiring process; and noted that this would be part of creating the brand that would authentically reflect the community. Mr. Bowman expressed his excitement in working with the HRA and promoting their efforts as well.

6. Community/Citizen Comments

None.

7. Consent Agenda

Acting Executive Director Kelsey briefly reviewed Consent Agenda items; as detailed in the staff report and attachments dated January 21, 2014.

a. Adoption of contracts for fiscal, staff and executive director services between the HRA and the City of Roseville for 2014 (HF0123) (Attachment A)

- Approve the service contract with the City of Roseville to provide financial and accounting services based on 5% of the 2014 HRA Administrative Budget set at \$200,362.00, with the amount of \$9,662.00 prorated quarterly for 2014 (Attachment B);
- Approve the service contract with the City of Roseville for administrative staff support services at 1,040 hours annually for \$31,700.00 prorated quarterly for 2014 (Attachment C); and
- Approve the service contract with the City of Roseville for full-time staff support services (Housing Program Manager) not to exceed \$105,800.00, prorated quarterly for 2014 (Attachment D)
- b. Acceptance of Housing Resource Center (HRC) 2013 Report
- c. Acceptance of 2013 Abatement Report
- d. Affirm continuation of Martha Ingram, Kennedy Graven, as RHRA Attorney; authorizing the Acting HRA Executive Director and the HRA Chair to enter into a contract for Attorney services for 2014 based upon staff recommendation.
- e. Affirm continuation of Sheila Stowell as Recording Secretary for the RHRA; at the rate of \$25.00 per hour plus mileage reimbursement.
- f. Affirm Contract with Housing Resource Center (HRC) for services for 2014; with fee for Construction Management Services at \$13,000 and other loan service fees paid by the loan applicant.

Additional Consent item

Affirmation of 2014 financials, showing 2013 ending balances by fund.

Motion: Member Majerus moved, seconded by Member Quam to approve the Consent Agenda as presented; as amended to include acceptance of 2013 ending balances by fund.

Ayes: 6 Nays: 0

Motion carried.

8. Public Hearings

None.

9. Presentations

None.

9. Action/Discussion Items

The order of action items were amended as indicated.

a. Adopt 2014 Final Budget

Ms. Kelsey reviewed the 2014 Final Budget by fund.

Discussion included 2013 carryover; need to continue to building the cash flow reserves to meet the City's preferred 35% of the HRA's operating budget to avoid internal transfers from the City, with recommendations to increase the allotment by \$20,000 to get closer to that shortfall; recommendations for increasing and replenishing the multi-family housing fund; one-year moratorium in the Neighborhood Enhancement Program (NEP) while the implementation of rental housing inspections is put in place to determine a base line for property types, with reinstatement of the NEP in future years, as the program had achieved a much improved success rate reducing violations since its inception; and potential need for additional resources to complete economic development work with the U of MN to enhance outreach efforts to existing businesses.

Ms. Kelsey advised that the HRA should receive a report and findings from the Business Retention and Economic Development efforts in March of 2014 as completed by the task force

and recommendations for the HRA. Ms. Kelsey anticipated 4-5 projects in the near future, which would need resources, but while they remained unknown at this time, were reflected in the budget. At the request of Chair Maschka, Ms. Kelsey advised that \$25,000 in funds had been allocated at this time.

At the request of Member Quam, Ms. Kelsey clarified the 2013 adopted budget and actual expenses as they related to the Housing Replacement and Multi-Family Housing Program, and how the funds are shown and expended to provide tracking rather than keeping the carrying costs under the general operating budget and not comingling those funds. At the request of Member Quam, Ms. Kelsey also reviewed investment income from an accrual accounting versus cash accounting perspective, and any potential HRA funds available for investment, subsequently adjusted year-end.

At the request of Member Masche, Ms. Kelsey acknowledged a typographical error in the report, with the "2014 adopted budget actual revenue expense" in Fund 723 actually being 2013 actual expenses; duly noted for correction on future iterations.

Discussion ensued regarding the role the City's Finance Director Miller played in advising the HRA (e.g. cash flow shortfall reserves), review of all funds and advising the HRA on how those funds should be expended. Additional discussion included the timing of Ramsey County tax payments and adjustments to Fund 723 accordingly through reserve funds.

Motion: Member Majerus moved, seconded by Member Lee to ADOPT FINAL BUDGET FOR 2014

Ayes: 6 Navs: 0

Motion carried.

b. Adopt 2014 Work Plan

Motion: Member Majerus moved, seconded by Member Lee to approve the 2014 HRA Work Plan as presented by staff.

Ayes: 6 Nays: 0 Motion carried.

c. Review and Discuss Information related to HRA and EDA

Ms. Kelsey provided follow-up information from previous discussions with the HRA Attorney regarding the differences in powers of HRA's, EDA's and Port Authorities. Ms. Kelsey provided a copy of that summary dated April 2012 (Attachment A); along with information provided from the League of Minnesota Cities Handbook (Attachment B) outlining those elements and benefits of each.

Ms. Kelsey briefly summarized the differences and powers of an HRA and EDA in redevelopment efforts; taxing levy powers of each legal entity; and rationale for reviewing this information again as a result of recent discussions coming out of the business retention survey.

Ms. Kelsey sought HRA comment as to whether they wanted to explore this further, perhaps with the City Council and HRA Attorney, to determine the best structure for this board or whether they supported any structure changes to meet their goals. Ms. Kelsey reviewed potential membership revisions; with EDA's typically addressing redevelopment, but the HRA currently meeting those requirements in addressing blight and expending monies accordingly.

At the request of Member Willmus, Ms. Kelsey provided her perspective on HRA's versus EDA's, clarifying that the EDA levy counted against the City's overall maximum levy restrictions, while the HRA levy is not considered part of the City's maximum levy ability, having a distinct and separate levy authority. At the request of Member Willmus, Ms. Kelsey further addressed and EDA as providing a tool, similar to the HRA; opining that as a first-ring suburb, the Roseville HRA could perform redevelopment activities by addressing slum and blight; with the attorney's perspective from a business retention status of an EDA preventing vacant storefronts, which were not overly problematic in Roseville at this time. Ms. Kelsey noted that the HRA simply needed to use care in what activities it performed that were not housing-related.

At the request of Member Willmus, Ms. Kelsey advised that the current business retention survey did not indicate the need for many small business loans or funding for business startups, which would typically be done by an EDA.

At the request of Chair Maschka, Ms. Kelsey clarified that the current Local Development Corporation (LDC) would be dissolved when the final loan was paid off in full; with laws no longer in place related to LDC's, making it prohibitive for the City to continue it.

At the request of Chair Maschka, Ms. Kelsey advised that the Port Authority was also a separate entity.

Member Majerus opined that the HRA had come a long with receiving the support of the City Council and respect of the community and were working in concert. By adding an EDA to the mix, Member Majerus questioned if this would further interfere with that cooperative effort. Member Majerus suggested that the HRA continue to take the energy developed to-date and see how many community goals could be achieved.

Chair Maschka opined that this was more of a political decision for the City Council, but would get the HRA out of some of the grey areas beyond housing in the Twin Lakes Redevelopment Area that might include economic development efforts as part of those housing efforts; and without the need to verify slum and blight conditions; and provide a bigger umbrella under which the HRA could operate.

Member Majerus spoke in support of hearing the perspective of the City Council.

Member Willmus admitted that he was intrigued by the concept, and would concur that City Council input was indicated; opining that this would also provide a different perspective on whether to have accountability or representation from the City Council to the HRA or an EDA.

Chair Maschka concurred, noting that an EDA would require two (2) Councilmembers to serve; with Member Willmus noting this would therein bring forth the political discussion.

At the request of Member Quam, Ms. Kelsey confirmed that there was no other arm of the City currently doing economic and/or commercial redevelopment efforts.

Chair Maschka noted that economic development efforts were once again starting up in the blighted Twin Lakes Redevelopment Area, with Member Quam noting that those efforts were driven by private interests.

Within a certain context, Member Willmus noted that the City's Comprehensive Plan and Zoning Code were guiding the redevelopment, but that overall it was left to the open market. Member Willmus noted that one real problem in the Twin Lakes Redevelopment Area over the last thirty (30) years, was that every few years; the City comes along and moves the ball, which wasn't a popular occurrence for the development community. Member Willmus opined

that under an EDA, the City would have more autonomy for financial assistance, which reverted back to the question of whether the community wanted their elected officials making those decisions on how to loan or expend those dollars, suggesting that this was where the real discussion would fall.

Chair Maschka opined that business retention and networking was not the real issue, but when funds were loaned for expansion purposes, this would be the real issue.

Member Quam noted that vacant storefronts were a grueling problem in some communities, and having the ability to improve that situation would be a great tool to have. However< Member Quam noted that, over the most recent economic crisis for retail businesses adjacent to Rosedale and within the community, with minimal closures and vacancies seen, her sense was that the City had survived that quite well during the 2007-2009 crisis years. From that perspective, Member Quam questioned how likely it was that the City would need the EDA tool.

Members Willmus and Majerus agreed that this was an excellent point made by Member Ouam.

Member Willmus opined that the City of Roseville was retail-based.

Chair Maschka concurred, noting that retail was constantly reinventing itself.

Chair Maschka asked Ms. Kelsey to include this discussion on the next joint meeting agenda of the City Council and HRA, as well as asking the HRA Attorney to attend that meeting to answer any technical questions.

10. Information Reports and Other Business (Verbal Reports by Staff and Board Members)

a. Dale Street Update

Ms. Kelsey provided a brief overview of the Dale Street project, with realtors interviewed this week; and anticipating coming to the HRA's February meeting with design concepts to seek HRA agreement with that new concept. Ms. Kelsey noted that several units were removed from the original designs, as requested by residents and the HRA. However, Ms. Kelsey noted that this new concept design will require a Zoning Code text amendment. Following the February HRA meeting, Ms. Kelsey advised that another neighborhood meeting would be scheduled that same week to start the rezoning process, along with a multitude of subsequent items, including a preliminary and final plat, then construction to start on site. Ms. Kelsey advised that a dual application process was anticipated to meet construction season restraints. Ms. Kelsey noted that both the City Council and HRA would be involved to address property ownership.

At the request of Member Quam, Ms. Kelsey advised that the project representatives would provide an update on their financing, and anticipated going before the City Council at the end of February to talk about their financing plan and financial assistance (TIF) needed. Ms. Kelsey advised that there may be some unused pooled tax increment financing funds that could be applied; with the City Council discussion including a potential TIF District amendment if they were agreeable to the plan and budget, which would reimburse the City and the HRA for land acquisition.

Chair Maschka noted that, if the approximate \$1.2 million in TIF funds were not expended this year, they would be allocated to the three taxing jurisdictions.

b. Business, Retention and Expansion Survey Update

Ms. Kelsey advised that a meeting of the task force would be taking place in the near future for the purpose of brainstorming ideas. Ms. Kelsey opined that the largest issue she found during the surveys was a lack of communication, and businesses not feeling the HRA/City was doing anything for outreach. Ms. Kelsey advised that one program for the HRA to consider would whether or not to pursue a regular educational outreach program.

At the request of Member Majerus, Ms. Kelsey advised that Communications Director Bowman would be engaged as part of this process and discussion.

Ms. Kelsey advised that the U of MN was highly impressed with the forty-one (41) completed business visits by members of the task force; noting that this was the highest found in any metropolitan city to-date. Ms. Kelsey expressed kudos to the task force, and expressed her appreciation to them for their assistance, and for enhancing those relationships in the community.

c. Home and Garden Fair Update

Ms. Kelsey provided the sign-up sheet for HRA members to choose a time to represent the HRA at the upcoming Fair; and encouraged them to use this opportunity to engage with the community. Ms. Kelsey noted that each year she received comments from Roseville residents who find it impressive that the City Council and HRA are at the event, interacting with the public. Ms. Kelsey further noted that single-sort recycling would be promoted and used at this event.

d. Foreclosure Update

Ms. Kelsey reported that the trends continued down, as evidenced in the current housing market; with a total of forty-two (42) foreclosures identified in 2013.

Fairview Apartment Building Presentation

At the request of Chair Maschka, Ms. Kelsey reported that the February 2014 meeting would include a presentation by this group seeking a resolution of support from the HRA to apply for funds. Ms. Kelsey reported that the group had received City Council support on the Consent Agenda at this week's City Council meeting; and a TIF application had been submitted to the City and was under review at this time. Ms. Kelsey confirmed that this project would require financial assistance, but noted that this area was already an established TIF District, versus the need to seek creation of a housing TIF District. Ms. Kelsey noted that, once the analysis was completed, there may be a need for additional financial resources, including possible HRA participation for this 110 unit market rate, 80 units of the second phase a mixture of income qualification apartments, as well as 6,000 square feet of office space.

11. Adjournment to Local Development Corporation Annual Meeting

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:17 p.m.

Next Regular Meeting: Tuesday, February 18, 2014, City Council Chambers at 6:00 p.m.

Roseville Local Development Corporation Meeting Agenda – City Council Chambers, 2660 Civic Center Drive Minutes, Wednesday, January 29, 2014, immediately following the regularly scheduled HRA meeting that begins at 6:00 p.m.

1. Call Meeting to Order

President Quam called to order the regular meeting of the Roseville Local Development Corporation at approximately 7:18 p.m.

Present:

President Kelly Quam; and Members Dean Maschka; William Masche; Bill Majerus;

Vicki Lee; and Bob Willmus

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 Excused: Members Susan Elkins

It was noted that the purpose of this LDC was due to an outstanding loan with funds still forthcoming from the Villa Park Housing Development project.

II. Approval of Minutes, January 15, 2013

Motion: Member Maschka moved, seconded by Member Majerus approved the meeting minutes of January 15, 2013, as presented.

Ayes: 6 Nays: 0

Motion carried.

III. Election of Officers for 2014

President Quam advised that she would need to step down from the Board at the end of her term this year; and asked that she therefore not be reappointed as an officer.

Motion: Member Maschka moved, seconded by Member Willmus approval for reappointment of the 2014 slate of HRA Board officers to the Local Development Corporation slate of officers.

President: Bill Majerus
Vice President: William Masche
Secretary: Dean Maschka
Treasurer: Vicki Lee

Ayes: 6 Nays: 0 Motion carried.

IV. Other Business

None.

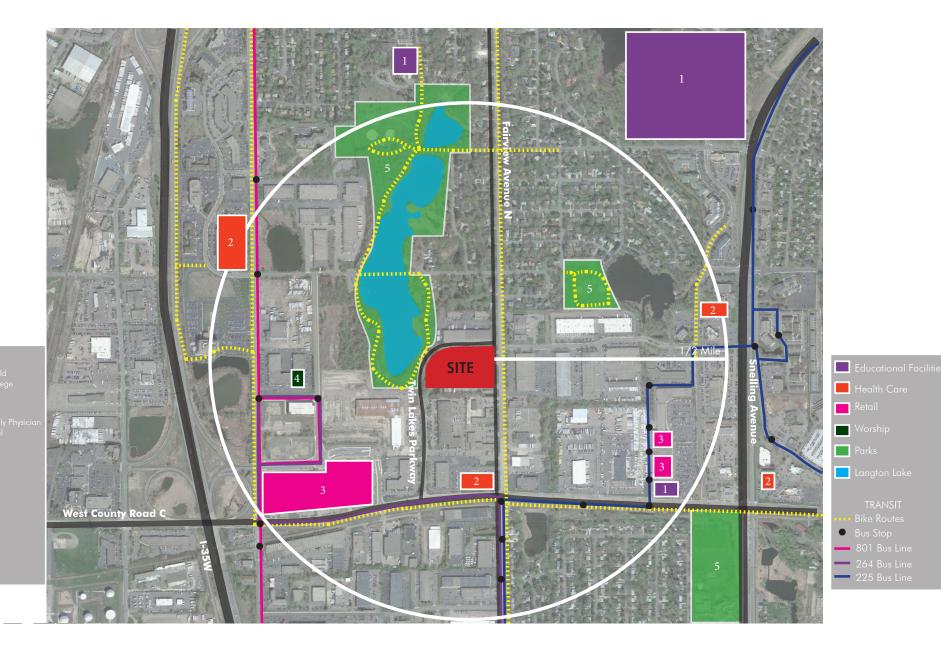
V. Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:21 p.m.

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REQUEST FOR HRA ACTION 1 2 3 Date: 2-18-14 4 Item No: 9a. 5 **Director Approval: Agenda Section:** Jeanne Kelsey 9 8 Action **Support for Ramsey County Community Development Item Description:** 9 **Block Grants (CDBG)/HOME Investment Partnership** 10 (HOME) funds in 2014 (HF0126) 11 13 14 1.0 **Requested Action** 15 1.1 Sherman Associates, Inc. is requesting the Roseville HRA's resolution of support for the 16 application of Ramsey County Community Development Block Grants (CDBG)/HOME 17 Investment Partnership Funds in 2014 for the redevelopment of 2785 Fairview Avenue 18 North. 19 20 2.0 **Background** 21 2.1 Sherman Associates, Inc. is a leading firm specializing in the design, construction, and 22 financing of quality commercial and housing properties in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, 23 Missouri, Colorado, and California. Through its successful execution of several projects, Sherman Associates, Inc. has earned a strong reputation for high quality and strong follow-24 25 through around the country. 26 27 2.2 Sherman Associates, Inc. is proposing a three-phase redevelopment of 2785 Fairview Avenue North. Phase 1 would result in approximately 110 units of market rate rental 28 29 housing. Phase 2 would feature approximately 6,000 square feet of office/retail. Phase 3 30 would provide approximately 80 units of mixed-income rental housing. All units of housing would be non-age restricted. Approximately 20% of the housing units in Phase 3 will be 31 rented to households earning at or below 50% of area median income (AMI), with the 32 33 balance of the units rented at market rate. 34 35 2.3 Phases 1 and 2 would commence construction in late fall of 2014; Phase 3 would commence 36 construction in 2015. 37 38 2.4 At this time, Sherman Associate, Inc is not requesting a financial commitment from the 39 RHRA; however it is possible that a request for financial assistance from the RHRA would 40 be made in the future as the project proceeds. 41 42 3.0 **Staff Recommendation** 43 The Comprehensive Multifamily Housing Needs Analysis recommended that the City 44 establish as its number one priority the development of market-rate, general occupancy 45 rental housing. Additionally, the HRA's 2012 – 2016 Strategic Plan included the goals 46 of creating and maintaining high quality, sustainable multi-family housing options and pursuing partnerships with other public, private, and non-profit housing providers. 47

Therefore, staff recommends that the HRA support Sherman and Associates, Inc.'s application for Ramsey County Community Development Block Grants (CDBG)/HOME Investment partnership Funds in 2014 for the redevelopment of 2785 Fairview Avenue North. 4.0 **Suggested HRA Action** By **resolution**, the RHRA supports the Application for Ramsey County Community Development Block Grants (CDBG)/HOME Investment Partnership Funds in 2014 for the redevelopment of 2785 Fairview Avenue North into mixed-income housing. 73 74 84 86 Attachment – A: Aerial B: Site Plan C: Resolution Prepared by: Jeanne Kelsey, Acting Executive Director (792-7086)







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EXTRACT OF MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE HOUSING AND REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY IN AND FOR THE CITY OF ROSEVILLE

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a regular meeting of the Housing and Redevelopment Authority in and for the City of Roseville, County of Ramsey, Minnesota, was duly called and held at the City Hall on Tuesday, the 18th day of February, 2014, at 6:00 p.m.

The following members were present:

and the following were absent:	
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Resolution No. 54

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT FOR SHERMAN AND ASSOCIATES INC.
APPLICATION FOR RAMSEY COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK
GRANTS (CDBG)/HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP FUNDS IN 2014 FOR THE
REDEVELOPMENT OF 2785 FAIRVIEW AVENUE

WHEREAS, the 2785 Fairview Avenue in the City of Roseville was identified by the City as a potential mixed use redevelopment site in the Twin Lakes Redevelopment Area; and

WHEREAS, the Housing and Redevelopment Authority has recently completed a Comprehensive Multifamily Housing Needs Analysis and such proposed development meets an identified need in Roseville; and

WHEREAS, the Comprehensive Multifamily Housing Needs Analysis supports such proposed development as the number one priority for Roseville.

WHEREAS, proposed redevelopment site meets the Housing and Redevelopment Authority 2012-2016 Strategic Plan; and

WHEREAS, Sherman Associates, INC. a reputable Twin Cities housing developer, has proposed to build approximately 110 units of market rate housing in Phase I, approximately 6,000 sq.ft. office/retail in Phase II and approximately 80 units of mixed income housing options in Phase III.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Housing and Redevelopment Authority, in and for the City of Roseville hereby supports and strongly recommends funding to Sherman Associates, INC for the redevelopment of 2785 Fairview Avenue with the goal to redevelop the site into mixed use and income housing options with commercial amenity that will significantly improve the Twin Lakes Redevelopment Area.

Adopted by the Board of the Authority this 18th day of February, 2014.

Certificate

I, the undersigned, being duly appointed and actin Redevelopment Authority in and for the City of Roseville compared the attached and foregoing resolution with the ocertify that the same is a full, true, and complete copy of a Board of Commissioners of said Authority at a duly called February 18, 2014.	Minnesota, herby certify that I have carefully riginal thereof on file in my office and further resolution which was duly adopted by the
I further certify that Commissioner	introduced said resolution and moved its
adoption, which motion was duly seconded by Commission	oner, and that upon a vote
being taken thereon, the following Commissioners voted i	
And the following voted against the same:	
And the following abstained from voting:	
Whereupon said resolution was declared duly passed and	adopted.
Witness my hand as the Executive Director of the	Authority this 18 th day of February, 2014
	Acting Executive Director
I	Housing and Redevelopment Authority n and for the City of Roseville, Minnesota