



Legislative Commission on Housing Affordability

Tuesday, October 19, 2021

1:00 PM

Remote Hearing via Zoom

Meeting Minutes

Members Present

Sen. Kari Dziedzic, Co-Chair

Rep. Jim Nash, Co-Chair

Rep. Peter Fischer

Sen. Karin Housley

Sen. Shane Mekeland

Sen. Lindsey Port

Rep. Samantha Vang

Members Excused

Sen. Rich Draheim

Sen. Dziedzic called the remote meeting of the Legislative Commission on Housing Affordability to order at 1:01 PM.

A quorum was present.

Approval of Minutes

Rep. Nash moved approval of the minutes from the September 21, 2021 meeting. THE MOTION PREVAILED.

Demographics and Housing Demands Presentations

David Arbit, Director of Research & Economics, Minneapolis Areas Association of Realtors, presented an update on the Twin Cities housing market.

Luke Bell, Senior Manager Government Relations & Public Affairs, Midwest for Zillow, presented on housing affordability and the need for residential reform.

Libby Starling, Director of Community Development & Engagement, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, presented on the challenges and opportunities to housing affordability.

Danielle Leach, Midwest Regional Director, Zonda, presented an update on the Twin Cities housing market.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 2:57 PM.