

## **City of Santa Rosa**

Council Chamber, City Hall 100 Santa Rosa Avenue, Santa Rosa, California

# HOUSING AUTHORITY REGULAR MEETING AGENDA AND SUMMARY REPORT APRIL 24, 2017

1:30 P.M.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. PRESENTATION
  - 3.1 PRESENTATION HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT 2016 HIGH PERFORMING AGENCY AWARD
- 4. STUDY SESSION
  - 4.1 REVIEW OF FY 2017/18 PROPOSED HOUSING AUTHORITY BUDGET The purpose of this Study Session is to provide an overview of the draft FY 2017/18 budget for the Housing Authority's review and commentary.

<u>Attachments</u> <u>Staff Report</u> Attachment

- 5. PUBLIC COMMENTS
- 6. STATEMENTS OF ABSTENTION
- 7. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
  - **7.1** February 27, 2017, Regular Meeting.

**Attachments** Draft Minutes

- 8. CHAIRMAN/ COMMISSIONER REPORTS
- 9. COMMITTEE REPORTS
- 10. DIRECTOR'S REPORTS/ COMMUNICATION ITEMS:
  - **10.1** HOUSING AUTHORITY MONTHLY ACTIVITIES REPORT -Provided for information.

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## **Attachments** Attachment

### 11. CONSENT ITEMS

## 11.1 MOTION - POTENTIAL HOUSING PREFERENCES FOR HOUSEHOLDS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended by the Housing and Community Services Department that the Housing Authority, by motion, support the following: 1) inclusion of language in Notices of Funding Availability (NOFAs) to provide a preference or priority to households experiencing homelessness engaged through the Homeless Outreach Services Team (HOST); and 2) outreach to Borrowers within the Housing Trust's loan portfolio to evaluate incorporating a preference or priority to households experiencing homelessness engaged through HOST into property waiting lists.

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#### 12. REPORT ITEMS

## 12.1 REPORT - ESTABLISHING LIMITED PREFERENCES FOR THE HOUSING CHOICE VOUCHER PROGRAM WAITING LIST

BACKGROUND: The Department of Housing and Community Services administers the federal Housing Choice Voucher Program in the City of Santa Rosa. The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), requires that each local Housing Authority administering the Voucher program maintain an Administrative Plan outlining local policies for the program. The Housing Authority wishes to implement a Limited Preference for the Housing Choice Voucher program for persons experiencing homelessness. By HUD requirement, any changes in the Administrative Plan must be adopted by a Housing Authority resolution during a public meeting.

RECOMMENDATION: The Department of Housing and Community Services recommends that the Housing Authority, by resolution, adopt the revision to Chapter 4, Section 4-III.C of the Housing Choice Voucher Program Administrative Plan dated April 24, 2017.

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Attachments Staff Report

Resolution
Attachment 1
Attachment 2

#### 13. ADJOURNMENT

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