



Executive Panel on Housing in HRM Minutes

January 29, 2026

Present: Micah Richardson (Acting Chair), Kristin O'Toole Scott, Erin MacIntyre, Peter Duncan, Dawn Sutherland, Brandon Umpherville, Peter Nightingale, Tanya Davis.

Guests: Thea Langille, Nalini Naidoo, Stephanie Salloum

Regrets: Vicki Elliott, Mark Peachey.

Agenda Items:

1. PRELIMINARIES

1.1. Welcome & Call to Order

- The Acting Chair called the meeting to order at 9:03 a.m.

1.2 Approval of Agenda

- Agenda was circulated electronically prior to the meeting. No amendments were made.

Motion: Peter Duncan

Second: Kristin O'Toole Scott

Carried: Acting Chair, Micah Richardson

VOTE: *Aye (3) Nay () Abstain ()*

Next steps: Agenda for January 29, 2026 to be posted on the Executive Panel website.

1.2 Approval of Minutes

- Approval of Minutes for December 4 and 18, 2025 deferred to next meeting.

2. Special Planning Area Critical Paths

- The Executive Panel determined an approach to develop a shared critical path for outstanding work in Special Planning Areas.
- Discussion was held on the approach and feedback for improvements to existing collaboration and coordination processes.

3. Roundtable

- The Panel discussed various development issues.
- The Panel discussed ongoing work associated with various Special Planning Areas.

4. Next Meeting

- Next meeting: February 12, 2026.

5. ADJOURNMENT

- Meeting adjourned: 10:35 a.m.