

**Affordable Housing Advisory Committee  
Meeting Minutes  
April 7, 2015**

Present were committee members: Jim Kelley, Tom Hyland and Tina Huard. Also present were George Crouse, First Selectmen Town of Stonington and Town Planner Keith Brynes.

**Meeting was called to order at 4:04 pm by Chairman Kelley.**

**Motion made to approve December, 2014 minutes** by Jim Kelley, seconded by Tom Hyland; motion passed unanimously.

Introductions were made by all present.

**New Business**

A documentary created by Partnership For Strong Communities for North Stonington was presented by Jim Kelley as an example of what we may consider doing in Stonington. A lively discussion followed in which all present offered ideas about how a documentary could be tailored to fit our needs both as a vehicle to educate and inform residents and also as a means to offer solutions which will bring more affordable, workforce housing to the Town of Stonington.

During the discussion names of local residents, business owners and government officials were recommended as possible people to approach to represent Stonington in the documentary.

Tom Hyland offered to call David Fink, Policy Director for Partnership For Strong Communities as a followed up.

**Old Business**

There was some discussion with Town Planner Keith Brynes concerning the \$20,000.00 Incentive Housing Grant and updates on approved projects at Spruce Meadows and The Thread Mill.

Hearing no other business a motion to adjourn was made by Jim Kelley, seconded by Tom Hyland and passed unanimously. Meeting was adjourned at 4:51 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

*Tina M. Huard*  
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Secretary

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