

Board Work Session Summary

Wednesday, September 4, 2024

Meeting held via Zoom

Members/Alternates Present

Colleen Whitlow, Chair	Town of Mead
Jeff Baker	Arapahoe County
Claire Levy	Boulder County
Austin Ward	City and County of Broomfield
Adam Paul	City and County of Denver
Kevin Flynn	City and County of Denver
Andy Kerr	Jefferson County
Lisa Feret	City of Arvada
Angela Lawson	City of Aurora
Nicole Speer	City of Boulder
Deborah Mulvey	City of Castle Pines
Tammy Maurer	City of Centennial
Christine Sweetland	City of Centennial
Steve Douglas	City of Commerce City
Steve Conklin	City of Edgewater
Ray Byrd	Town of Firestone
Lynette Kelsey	Town of Georgetown
Paul Haseman	City of Golden
Chuck Harmon	Town of Idaho Springs
Brian Wong	City of Lafayette
Jeslin Shahrezaei	City of Lakewood
Stephen Barr	City of Littleton
Marissa Harmon	City of Lone Tree
Joan Peck	City of Longmont
Judi Kern	City of Louisville
Richard Kondo	City of Northglenn
John Diak	Town of Parker
Justin Martinez	City of Thornton
Sarah Nurmela	City of Westminster
Bud Starker	City of Wheat Ridge
Rachel Hultin	City of Wheat Ridge

Others Present: Douglas W. Rex, Executive Director, Melinda Stevens, Executive Assistant, DRCOG; Michele Riccio, Adams County; Bryan Weimer, Arapahoe County; Jesse Carey, Denver; DJ Beckwith, Douglas County; Mac Callison, Aurora; Kent Moorman, Thornton; John Herrick, Boulder Reporting Lab; and DRCOG staff.

Chair Colleen Whitlow called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

Public Comment

There was no public comment.

Regional Housing Needs Profiles

Sheila Lynch and Corey McGinnis presented the interactive data dashboard to the directors. DRCOG and the consultant team of ECONorthwest, Community Planning Collaborative, and MIG, engaged a cross-sector advisory group to develop the [Regional Housing Needs Assessment](#) from September 2023 through July 2024. In addition to the report analyzing housing needs, barriers to meeting housing needs, and a framework for development of a regional housing strategy, the project team developed the [Denver Region Housing Needs Profiles interactive dashboard](#). The dashboard allows users to explore housing need by regional submarket and local jurisdiction. Ms. Lynch provided context on how the assessment calculates regional housing need and distributes it to the regional submarket and local jurisdiction levels. Additionally, Mr. McGinnis provided a demonstration of the interactive data dashboard to the Board.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 5:07 p.m.