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NASSAU COUNTY LAND BANK CORPORATION

MINUTES, SEPTEMBER 13, 2018 BOARD MEETING

A meeting of the Nassau County Land Bank Corporation was held this date in 1st Floor Conference Room at One West Street, Mineola, New York beginning on or about 3:00pm

The Attendees were:

Board Members:

Siela Bynoe- Chair Meredith A. Hughes- Vice Chair Kennetha Pettus- Treasurer Frank Moroney **Errol Williams**

Executive Director:

Brittney C. Russell

County Attendees:

Andrew Kahl- County Attorney's Office Ted Hommel, Esq.- Counsel to the Board, County Attorney's Office

- Call to Order at or about 3:15pm
 - o The meeting was convened with the attendance of the following Directors

- Siela Bynoe
- Meredith A. Hughes
- Frank Moroney
- Errol Williams
- Motion to adopt the minutes from August 23rd, 2018
 - Moved by Board Member Errol Williams, seconded by Board Member Frank Moroney
 - o Minutes adopted by unanimous vote
- At or about 3:17pm, Treasurer Kennetha Pettus arrived
- Executive Director Report
 - Inventory
 - CRC has 3 home that are in active foreclosure
 - County Owned Properties
 - List of properties distributed
 - Bolded properties are failed sales that are ready for transfer
 - Upcoming meeting with Kevin Walsh on how to proceed
 - 160 Hendrickson
 - Need National Grid letter
 - Road opening permit was accidently sent to the ToB by National Grid
 - This is holding up the demo
 - Phase 1
 - Reay for price quote
 - Tanya from Enterprise said that the LB may not need a Phase 1 done
 - Enterprise Funding
 - The NCLB will be putting in a \$2 million grant application request, the maximum amount
 - Enterprise is extending us time to use the funds we already have
 - The LB's balance will not preclude the LB from getting additional funding
 - o The Land Bank Association is lobbying to get including in the next AG budget
 - o As per Kevin Crean, LB properties may qualify for home funds
 - ~35k per unit
 - Intern
 - The proposed schedule and pay is fine with Hofstra
 - \$15/hr for 17.5 hour/wk
 - Discussion on how the intern will be paid
 - Stipend (monthly) through the Land Bank
 - 1099 at end of the year
 - An agreement will be drawn up to reflect this
 - National Development Council (NDC) Training
 - 1 class left this year (December)
 - 12/11-12/14

- Has already been budgeted for
- Since there is no debit card, will inquire how to pay
- o Revisit Debit Card Discussion
 - Card will have access to \$2,000 in petty cash
 - Turn off ATM access
 - Resolution to authorize setting up a new checking account, with a \$2,000 limit and no ATM access
 - Motion by Chair Bynoe, moved by Board Member Moroney, seconded by Board Member Errol Williams
 - o Resolution passes by unanimous vote
 - Need receipts for record keeping
 - Invoices need approval by Treasurer Pettus
- Architecture Services
 - Committee met w/ Fusion
 - Great experience, well qualified
 - Very accommodating
 - In a year or so, will consider doing another RFP
 - Discussion regarding length of contract
 - 1-year contract plus two 1 year renewals (at the Land Bank's discretion)
 - Have the vendor draft the contract and then send to the LB for review
 - Resolution to hire Fusion
 - Motion by Treasurer Pettus, moved by Chair Bynoe, seconded by Board Member Moroney
 - Resolution passed by unanimous vote
- Land Bank Business
 - o If given all the County properties, will need to partner with other agencies and organizations
- Public Comment
 - o N/A

At which point Chair Siela Bynoe made a motion at 3:40pm to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Vice Chair Hughes, seconded by Board Member Williams.

MEETING ADJOURNED to Thursday, October 11th 2018 @ 3:00pm at the First Floor Conference Room at One West Street, Mineola, NY 11501