Public Minutes Friday, July 31, 2009



Board of Directors

931 Yonge Street Toronto M4W 2H2

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The Board of Directors of the Toronto Community Housing Corporation met on July 31, 2009 in the Ground Floor Boardroom at 931 Yonge Street, Toronto at 9:36 a.m.

Directors Mr. David Mitchell, Chair **Regrets:** Councillor Paula Fletcher

present:Ms. Zahra DhananiCouncillor Suzan HallMr. Dan KingMs. Michelle Joseph

Ms. Carol Osler Mr. Greg Kalil

Ms. Sheerin Sheikh

Mr. Ron Struys

Councillor Giorgio Mammoliti

Councillor Anthony Perruzza

Ms. Catherine Wilkinson

Also Ms. Keiko Nakamura, A/Chief Executive Officer

present: Mr. Gordon Chu, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

Mr. Ian Fichtenbaum Director, Asset Management

Mr. Steve Floros, A/Chief Operating Officer

Mr. Hugh Lawson, Director Corporate Governance

Mr. John Fox, A/VP Development

Ms. Lizette Zuniga, Director, Development and Real Estate

Mr. David Mitchell, Chair, called the meeting to order, and Elora Nichols served as recording secretary.

DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

The Chair requested members of the Board of Directors to indicate any Public Agenda Item in which they had a conflict of interest, together with the nature of the interest. None were declared.

MINUTES

CONFIRMATION OF PUBLIC MINUTES OF THE TORONTO **COMMUNITY HOUSING CORPORATION FOR JUNE 19, 2009**

Motion carried

ON MOTION MADE by Ms. Zahra Dhanani, seconded by Ms. Sheerin Sheikh:

the Board of Directors approved the above-captioned minutes without amendment.

APPROVAL OF PUBLIC AGENDA

Motion carried **ON MOTION MADE**:

the Board of Directors approved the agenda and added Item 2A Presentation - Tenant Elections.

ITEM 1 **UNITED WAY – CORPORATE CONTRIBUTION** TCHC:2009-94

Motions carried

The Board of Directors had before it the above-captioned report (TCHC:2009-94) from the A/Chief Executive Officer recommending that the Board of Directors:

- (1) authorize a corporate gift to the United Way of Greater Toronto (UWGT) in 2009 matching, on a dollar for dollar basis the amount employees donate through payroll deductions and other fund-raising activities not to exceed a corporate contribution cap of \$85,000, and
- (2) authorize the appropriate Toronto Community Housing officials to take the necessary actions to give effect to the recommendation.

ON MOTION MADE by Ms. Sheerin Sheikh, seconded by Ms. Carol Osler:

the Board of Directors received the report for information.

QUARTERLY PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR THE 2nd QUARTER ENDED JUNE 30, 2009

TCHC:2009-96

Motion carried

The Board of Directors had before it the above-captioned report (TCHC:2009-96) from the Audit Committee recommending that the Board of Directors receive the report for information.

ON MOTION MADE by Ms. Sheerin Sheikh, seconded by Ms. Zahra Dhanani:

the Board of Directors received the report for information,

Motions carried as amended Messentation – 2009 TENANT ELECTIONS — Presentation Mr. Steve Floros, A/COO gave the above-captioned presentation on "2009 Tenant Elections: Shaping our Future Together" to the Board of Directors.

ON MOTION MADE by Ms. Sheerin Sheikh, seconded by Ms. Zahra Dhanani:

the Board of Directors received the presentation for information,

There was a lengthy discussion respecting a strategy for Board engagement with tenants and tenant representatives.

ON MOTION MADE by Ms. Zahra Dhanani, seconded by Ms. Carol Osler the Board of Directors made a further recommendation as follows:

"(1) that staff be requested to report back to the Board of Directors, though the Communities Committee, on an engagement process on strategic policy issues with elected tenant representatives, which compliments the current tenant engagement system and that staff consider how members of the Board and in particular, Tenant Board members could be involved."

Motion carried.

TORONTO COMMUNITY HOUSING COMMENTS TO CANADIAN ACCOUNTING STANDARDS BOARD ON FINANCIAL REPORTING

ITEM 3

REQUIREMENTS

Motion carried

The Board of Directors had before it the above-captioned report (TCHC:2009-98) from the Audit Committee, recommending that the Board of Directors receive the report for information.

ON MOTION MADE by Ms. Sheerin Sheikh, seconded by Ms. Carol Osler:

the Board of Directors received the report for information.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS' COMMITTEES PUBLIC ITEM 4 MINUTES

TCHC:2009-89

Motion carried

The Board of Directors had before it the above-captioned report (TCHC:2009-89) from the Committee Chairs recommending that the Board of Directors receive the Communities Committee minutes of June 4, Finance Committee Minutes of June 3, Audit Committee minutes of May 12 & June 15 and City Building Committee minutes of April 27, 2009 for information.

ON MOTION MADE by Ms. Sheerin Sheikh, seconded by Ms. Carol Osler:

the Board of Directors received the minutes for information.

IN CAMERA PROCEEDINGS

Motion carried

ON MOTION MADE by Ms. Sheerin Sheikh, seconded by Ms. Catherine Wilkinson:

the Board of Directors resolved to meet "in camera" to consider items A, A1, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I and J.

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Motion carried

At 11:40 a.m. the Chair announced the resumption of the public proceedings and the public meeting reconvened at that time.

ON MOTION MADE by Mr. Dan King, seconded by Ms. Sheerin Sheikh

the Board of Directors ratified the actions authorized during the "in camera" meeting.

ADJOURNMENT					
	The meeting of the Board of Directors was adjourned at 11:41 a.m.				
Secretary					