

Metropolitan Council

For the Metropolitan Council meeting of September 10, 2014

Subject: Background on the Housing Policy Plan

District(s), Member(s): ALL

Policy/Legal Reference: Minn. Stat. 473.254; 473.859

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Background

The discussion on the Housing Policy Plan this week will focus on the topics listed below. For information about the current approach and the how the new Draft Housing Policy Plan addresses the issue, please refer to the links provided. On September 24, 2014, discussion will continue related to opportunities for the Council in fair housing and staff will respond to questions generated in past discussions of the topic.

- Allocation of Affordable Housing Need
 - Current approach: [Allocation of Affordable Housing Need, 2011-2020](#) (published in 2006)
 - Framework for revisions to the Allocation of Need: see pp. 50-52 of the draft [Housing Policy Plan](#)
- Goals for Affordable and Lifecycle Housing
 - Current approach: [Goals negotiated for 2011-2020](#) (negotiated in 2011)
 - Framework for revisions to the Goals: see p. 52 of the draft [Housing Policy Plan](#)
- Housing Performance Scores
 - Current approach: [Guidelines for Housing Performance](#) (last revised in 2012)
 - Framework for revisions to the Scores: see pp. 53-54 of the draft [Housing Policy Plan](#)