

Minutes

Housing Committee Oelwein City Hall, 20 Second Avenue SW, Oelwein, Iowa October 17, 2022 - 4:00 PM

Present: DeVore, Payne

Also Present: Mulfinger, Fisk

Absent: Garrigus

Pledge of Allegiance

Discussions

1. Tax Abatement Discussion

The committee recommended the following for council approval:

- Single Family New Construction- 5-year 50 percent abatement
- Multifamily (2 or more) renovation or construction- 10-year 90 percent abatement
- Renovation- 10-year 90 percent abatement
- 2. Workforce Housing Tax Credit Discussion

The Committee was informed from Mulfinger the work he has been doing with KCG companies. Mulfinger wanted to see how Oelwein could qualify for a housing project.

3. Downtown Housing Options

The committee was not interested in working toward a program to assist downtown housing improvements. Fisk felt the downtown TIF program was sufficient.

4. 3-D Printed Homes

Mulfinger has a follow up call October 26, 2022. Payne wanted the committee to focus on senior housing.

Adjournment