



Asheville Housing Authority

DRAFT Work Session of the Board of Commissioners
Wednesday, July 23, 2025, 4:00 PM
165 S. French Broad Ave., Asheville, 28801

The mission of the Asheville Housing Authority is to provide safe, quality, and affordable housing, to expand available resources, and to collaborate with the community to create opportunities for resident self-reliance and economic independence.

Our core values are Compassion, Equity, Fairness, Integrity, Openness, Patience and Respect.

▪ **Call to Order – Time:** _____

▪ **Commissioner Roll Call**

<u>Commissioner</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Absent</u>
Chairman Mychal Bacoate	_____	_____
Vice Chair Kimberly Collins	_____	_____
Commissioner Sean Aardema	_____	_____
Commissioner Scott Farkas	_____	_____
Commissioner Carol Goins	_____	_____
Commissioner David L. Robinson Sr.	_____	_____
Commissioner Maggie Slocumb	_____	_____
Commissioner Laura Sotelo-Garcia	_____	_____
Commissioner Kidada Wynn	_____	_____

▪ **Approval of Work Session Agenda for July 23, 2025**

Motion

Second

- **Update from Gans, Gans & Associates**
- **Report of Interim Executive Director**
- **Report from Chief Operating Officer**

Simone Gans Barefield
Rhodney Norman
Ella Santos

▪ **Move to Closed Session – Time:** _____

The purpose of this closed session is to (i) consult with the Authority's attorney in order to preserve the attorney[1]client privilege pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §143-318.11(a)(3), and (ii) to consider the qualifications, competence, performance, character, fitness, conditions of appointment, or conditions of initial employment of an individual public officer pursuant to N.C. Gen Stat. §143-318.11(a)(6).

Motion

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▪ **Return & Re-open Work Session – Time:** _____

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- **Other Business**
 - Executive Search Services Agreement discussed and signed
 - Discuss Amended Lease for PEAK Academy
- **Meeting Adjourned – Time:** _____