

# AFFORDABLE HOUSING BERKELEY, INC. (AHB)

## Regular Board Meeting

### AGENDA

### DRAFT

Thursday, January 9, 2025

4:00 pm

This meeting will Occur In Person at the  
1947 Center St., Berkeley, CA 94704 (5<sup>th</sup> Floor)  
and via Teleconference

#### Zoom Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3044140707?pwd=M2VWY0tUUFUySDVzMVFY2FzVXcwdz09&omn=87344601586>

Dial in #: 888-475-4499 or 877-853-5257

Zoom Meeting ID: 304 414 0707

Password: 403702

#### CHRIS SCHILDT, **Chair**

ALI KASHANI, **Vice Chair**  
Board Member, Max Levine  
Board Member, Dan Rossi

Board Member, Ayanna Davis  
Board Member, Tracy Matthews  
Board Member, Alexandria Thomas-Rodriguez

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1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call**
3. **Comments from the Public** – *Limited to 3 minutes per speaker.*
4. **Consent Calendar**
5. **Approval of Minutes:**
  - a) *Not applicable, there are no minutes for approval.*
6. **New Business**
  - a) *Strategic Planning Update*
7. **Closed Session:**

*Conference with Real Property Negotiations  
(Government Code § 54956.8)  
Property: North Berkeley Bart Station.  
Agency Negotiation: Affordable Housing Berkeley; James Williams, Executive Director, Jhaila Brown, Counsel.*
8. **Board Member Questions and Matters**
9. **Adjournment**

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This agenda was posted on the doors of the Affordable Housing Berkeley at 1947 Center Street, Berkeley, CA 94704; as well as the Berkeley Housing Authority website [www.cityofberkeley.info/bha](http://www.cityofberkeley.info/bha). The next Regular Board meeting is scheduled for October 10, 2024, at 5:30 pm at the 1947 Center Street, Berkeley, CA 94704.