



ECONOMIC GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

AGENDA

February 1, 2023, 4:00PM | Council Chambers, City Hall

1. **Call meeting to order**
2. **Approval of Minutes**
 - a. Regular Meeting: January 4, 2023
3. **Public Comment** – Limit to three minutes per person
4. **Continued Business:**
 - a. Main Street Banners – Jordan
 - b. Committee 5-Year Goals – Jordan
5. **New Business:**
6. **Committee Comments or Concerns**
7. **Announcement of the next meeting**
 - a. Regular Meeting: March 1, 2023, at 4:00pm
8. **Adjournment**

Economic Growth & Development Committee Members

John Henderson (Chair) | Dick Bauman | John Molendyke

MISSION STATEMENT: The Economic Growth & Development Committee strives to create a strong and sustainable local economy by acting as a liaison for the cooperation of the City's disparate community organizations, providing economic incentives and assistance when necessary and warranted, promotion solutions to seeking creative solutions to problems challenging the City's business environment.

CITY OF DEER LODGE ECONOMIC GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

MINUTES

Meeting: January 4, 2023, at 4:00pm | Council Chambers, City Hall.

Members Present: John Henderson, Dick Bauman

Members Absent: John Molendyke

Council Members: None

Mayor: Absent

CAO: Jordan Green

Staff: None

Guests: See sign in sheet

1. Call Meeting to Order

Chairman Henderson called the meeting to order at 4:02PM

2. Approval of Minutes –

a. Regular Meeting: December 7, 2022

Member Bauman motioned to approve as presented. Chairman Henderson seconded the motion 2 Ayes, 0 Nos, 1 Absent. Motion passed.

3. Public Comment

a. None

4. New Business:

a. None

5. Continued Business:

a. Christmas House Decoration Competition – Jordan

This year’s competition was a success. Discussed doing this every year during the Christmas Stroll. Clearwater Realty did the same type of competition. Reach out to Clearwater to see if we could partner with them. Hayrides are during Christmas Stroll night. They do go by a few of the decorated homes, but do not have time to stroll by them all. Good idea to try and get more Hayrides available to the public. Mentioned the Committee doing a cash prize. Ballot voting from the public was mentioned. “Holiday Exterior Lighting Contest”

b. Main Street Banners – Jordan

Jordan and Trent will get together to find the best method of hanging the banners. Kept on the agenda to provide an update. Ongoing topic.

c. Headwaters RC&D Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDS) – Jordan

Kick off meeting was attended by myself. They released the survey and sent to all the council members. Next meeting is Monday, January 4th from 4pm-5pm.

6. Committee Comments or Concerns:

a. Committee 5 year Goals

7. Announcement of the next meeting:

Regular Meeting: February 1, 2023, at 4PM

8. Adjournment:

Meeting was adjourned at 4:20PM

Prepared by: Cyndi Thompson, City Clerk

John Henderson, Chairperson

Date

Economic Growth & Development Committee

Members

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