

MINUTES

Economic Development Advisory Committee (EDAC)

Virtual Meeting

2/18/2021 8:00 AM | *Meeting called to order by* Chairman Howard Males

In Attendance

EDAC Members

Howard Males, Chairman Pam McDonough Vice Chair

Erin Aleman Todd J. Cabanban Teresa Córdova David Day Kristi DeLaurentiis Emilia DiMenco Manny Flores Xochitl Flores Bridgett Gainer (Noureen Hashim) Andrew Geer Graham Grady Jennifer Killen Sharon Legenza Phaedra Leslie Karin Norington-Reaves Rob Rose Thurman Smith William Towns Rob Tucker John Watson Simone Weil

BED Representatives

Aris Kotsioris Barbara Maloof Dominic Tocci Irene Sherr Jamila McMillon Karl Bradley Veda Britt – Handy Mohammed Elahi Sheryl Stewart-Caldwell Dunni Cosey Gay Eva Garrett Angela Maclin Susan Campbell

Guests

Kevin Crabtree Nancy Guzman Kevin Kramer Meribeth Mermall Emmett Morrissey Annie Reed Daniel Scheid

Public Commentary

- Chairman Males announced that a quorum was present.
- Chairman Males opened the floor to public commentary. There was one public speaker, Kevin Crabtree who expressed his opposition to proposed Re-Zoning & Re-Development of Calumet Country Club by Diversified Partners Homewood & Hazel Crest IL. [Note: EDAC does not have any jurisdiction in relation to this project.]

Remarks from EDAC Chairman Howard Males

• Chairman Males welcomed the board members and the public to the meeting. The Chairman expressed his appreciation for the members and their valuable work.

Approval of Minutes

• The January 21, 2021 minutes were approved with no abstentions.

Financial Tools and Incentives

- Zeigler Hoffman Estates I, LLC, 1051 Higgins Road Hoffman Estates, Illinois Application for a Class 7. The property consists of two buildings. The applicant will substantially rehabilitate the site, converting the site to a Mercedes -Benz Sprinter vans and other commercial product center. The renovation includes interior clean up, new flooring with the Mercedes branded colors, new trim work to match their look and an exterior facade to represent the brand with their image and color scheme.
- A motion was made and seconded. CMAP abstained. The motion passed.

Emergency Rental Assistance Program

• Susan Campbell and Karl Bradley from the Department of Planning & Development give an overview of the County's new Emergency Rental Assistance Program.

C-PACE Program

• Mohammed Elahi from the Department of Planning & Development gave an update on C-PACE, which launched February 18th.

EDAC Member Updates & Announcements

• Several EDAC members gave updates on upcoming events and programs they are working.

Adjournment

• Chairman Males called for a motion to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 9:25 a.m.