



ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

Meeting Type: _____ **Regular Meeting**
Date: _____ **Wednesday, July 25, 2018**
Time: _____ **4:00 p.m. -5:00 p.m.**
Location: _____ **Town Manager 's Office**
Address: _____ **43 Bombardier Road | Milton, VT 05468**
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Don Turner Jr., Ex-Officio Chair Ann Bradshaw, Ex-Officio & Vice-Chair Tony Micklus, Business
Member/Clerk Jamie Parent, Milton Business Association Lou Mossey, Community Member Bob
Lombard, Community Member
Michael Joseph, Community Member Rich DeSouza, Business Member

MINUTES

1. Call to Order & Welcome

The Chair called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

2. Attendance

Members Present: Don Turner Jr., Ex-Officio Chair; Tony Micklus, Clerk; Jamie Parent, Milton Business Association; Lou Mossey, Community Member; Bob Lombard, Community Member; Rich DeSouza, Business Member; Michael Joseph, Business Member

Staff Present: Victor Sinadinoski, Planning Director; Kym Duchesneau, Recreation Director

Public Present: None

3. Public Forum

None.

4. Agenda Review

None.

5. Staff Update

Duchesneau said that the field house is nearly completed and that summer camps are being held at the school. Duchesneau said that National Night Out will be at 5:30 p.m. on August 7th with a dedication for the field house beginning at 5:00 p.m. Duchesneau said that Music in the Park has been going very well and Fall program planning in under way.

Sinadinoski said that Conservation Commission and VYCC have completed the replacement of the Lamoille River Walk trail bridge. Sinadinoski said that the contractors are working on the multi-use path in the Town Forest. Sinadinoski said that Planning & Zoning has been slow lately, but there are many people calling with interest in commercial properties located in Milton.

Turner said that there is a new superintendent, Amy Rex, who has been invited to attend EDC meetings. Turner said that the Town has taken over possession of The Grange. Turner said that rules and priorities will be developed to help determine the use. Turner said that upcoming 2019 projects are under planning development at this time.

6. Business

(A) Milton Business of the Month

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Sinadinoski said that three applications were received for the Milton Business of the Month, two for the month of August and one so far for the month of September based on when it was submitted in relation to the deadline. Sinadinoski said that Contrary's Whey Farm had been selected as the first Business of the Month and that Tracey Crocker, Planning Assistant, had already gone out to interview and take pictures on location. Sinadinoski said that when the story is completed, he plans to post the article to Front Porch Forum, Facebook, the Economic Development Webpage, and the Planning and Economic Development newspaper. Sinadinoski said that each application is on file and eligible for six months.

Duchesneau suggested submitting the information from the Business of the Month to the Milton Independent.

(B) Bove's Business Quarterly Meeting

Sinadinoski said that he Business Mixer will be on August 22nd at 4:00 p.m. at Bove's. Sinadinoski said that letters will be sent out requesting RSVPs from local businesses.

7. Minutes

Joseph MOVED to APPROVE the minutes of June 27, 2018. SECOND by Parent. Motion APPROVED, 6-0.

8. Adjournment

Joseph MOVED to ADJOURN the meeting. Motion APPROVED.

Minutes approved by the Commission this _____ day of _____, 201 8.

Don Turner, Chair

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