

Dahlonega Downtown Development Authority / Main Street Board Agenda

February 04, 2021, 8:45 AM

McCullough Council Chambers – City Hall

Zoom Meeting Link

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PRESENT

Board Member Eddie Wayne Board Member Ryan Puckett Board Member Tony Owens

ABSENT

Board Member Amy Thrailkill Board Member DeEnna Walters Board Member Donna Logan

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 8:49 a.m.

Amendment to the Agenda

Meeting Minutes

Continuing Business

- Holly Theatre Progress Update Bill Schmid, City Manager
 Chairman of the Holly Theatre Community Center Pelnar-Zaiko gave an update on the progress of the Holly Theatre.
- 147 North Park Street Demolition Discussion Bill Schmid, City Manager
 City Manager Schmid explained that bids are in the process, and there are about two to three options at this point.

New Business

- 3. Applicant for the Dahlonega Downtown Development Board Mary Csukas, City Clerk City Clerk Csukas informed City Manager Schmid that this topic is due for discussion at the upcoming council meeting.
- 4. East Main/North Grove Beautification Bill Schmid, City Manager City Manager Schmid and the Main Street/DDA Board expressed their interest in the beautification, and all agree the Main Street/DDA Board should be a part of improving downtown.
- Ordinance 2021-01 Regulations for Formula Businesses Bill Schmid, City Manager
 City Manager Schmid explained the background of this ordinance, and Chairman Puckett and Vice-Chairman Owens were not ready to voice an opinion at this time.

6. Tree City USA Lucas Cheney, Main Street Project Coordinator
Main Street Project Coordinator Cheney informed the Board of the Arbor Day Celebration,
Proclamation, and the tree planting location.

Main Street / DDA Monthly Report

- DDA/Main Street January 2021 Lucas Cheney, Main Street Project Coordinator
 Main Street Project Coordinator Cheney read the Main Street/DDA January Report.
- 8. DDA / Main Street Program Financials December 2020 Bill Schmid, City Manager City Manager Schmid went over the summary of the Financial Report.

Announcements from Partner Agencies

- A. City of Dahlonega
 - City Manager Schmid informed the Main Street/DDA Board that the downtown hotel opening is in February 2021, and He asked the Board for an update on their training certifications. City Manager Schmid outlined economic development information.
- B. University of North Georgia No Report
- C. Chamber of Commerce/Tourism Office
 City Manager Schmid gave the Chamber of Commerce/Tourism Office a report due to Sam
 McDuffie being absent from the meeting.
- D. Historic Preservation Commission
 Community Development Director Herrit said City Manager Schmid covered most everything they had.
- E. Planning & Zoning Commission No Report
- F. Dahlonega Downtown Business Association No Report
- G. The Holly Theatre Ivana offered a tour of the Holly Theatre for the Board to come and visit.

Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 9:48 a.m.