

AGENDA TYPE A ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION BOARD COUNCIL CHAMBERS MARCH 11, 2024 6:00 PM

The Joshua Type A Economic Development Corporation will hold a Regular Meeting in the City Hall Council Chambers located at 101 S. Main St., Joshua, Texas. This meeting is subject to the open meeting laws of the State of Texas.

Individuals may attend the Joshua Type A EDC meeting in person or access the meeting via videoconference or telephone conference call.

Join Zoom Meeting:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85270158810?pwd=VCtiaWNJYVFUUjR4WkhLZzRKTmhzdz09

Meeting ID: 85270158810 Passcode: 965427

A. CALL TO ORDER AND ANNOUNCE A QUORUM PRESENT

B. CITIZENS FORUM

The Economic Development Corporation invites citizens to speak on any topic. However, unless the item is specifically noted on this agenda, the Economic Development Corporation is required under the Texas Open Meetings Act to limit its response to responding with a statement of specific factual information, reciting the City's existing policy, or directing the person making the inquiry to visit with City Staff about the issue. No Corporation deliberation is permitted. Each person will have 3 minutes to speak.

C. REGULAR AGENDA

- 1. Discuss, consider, and possible action on the February 12, 2024, meeting minutes.
- 2. Discuss, consider, and possible action on the disbursement of \$18,000 to the Joshua Area Chamber of Commerce.

D. EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Type A Economic Development Corporation of the City of Joshua will recess into Executive Session (Closed Meeting) pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 551, Subchapter D, Texas Government Code, to discuss the following:

1. Pursuant to Section 551.087 of the Texas Government Code: to discuss or deliberate regarding commercial or financial information received from or the offer of a financial or other incentive made to a business prospect seeking to locate, stay, or expand in or near the territory of the City and with which the City is conducting economic development negotiations.

E. RECONVENE INTO REGULAR SESSION

In accordance with Texas Government Code, Section 551, the Type A Economic Development Corporation will reconvene into regular session and consider action, if any, on matters discussed in executive session.

F. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS/REQUESTS BY DIRECTORS TO BE ON THE NEXT AGENDA

(Members shall not comment upon, deliberate, or discuss any item that is not on the agenda. Members shall not make routine inquiries about operations or project status on an item that is not posted. However, any Members may state an issue and a request that this issue is placed on a future agenda.)

G. ADJOURN

The Economic Development Corporation reserves the right to meet in Executive Session closed to the public at any time in the course of this meeting to discuss matters listed on the agenda, as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551.071 for private consultation with the attorney for the City.

Pursuant to Section 551.127, Texas Government Code, one or more Directors may attend this meeting remotely using videoconferencing technology. The video and audio feed of the videoconferencing equipment can be viewed and heard by the public at the address posted above as the location of the meeting. In addition, a quorum will be physically present at the posted meeting location of City Hall.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Joshua will provide reasonable accommodations for disabled persons attending this meeting. Requests should be received at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled meeting by contacting the City Secretary's office at 817/556-0603.

CERTIFICATE:

I hereby certify that the above agenda was posted on March 07, 2024, by 5:00 p.m. on the official bulletin board at Joshua City Hall, 101 S. Main, Joshua, Texas.

Alice Holloway, TRMC, MMC
City Secretary



MINUTES TYPE A ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION BOARD COUNCIL CHAMBERS FEBRUARY 12, 2024 6:00 PM

PRESENT

President Shelly Anderson Director Johnny Waldrip Director Linda Childers Director Esley Henderson Alternate 2 Glen Walden STAFF PRESENT City Manager Mike Peacock EDC Director Molly Martin City Secretary Alice Holloway

ABSENT Director David Morgan Director Josh Burns Director Roger Farley Alternate 1 Carl Keating

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Join Zoom Meeting:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82949045909?pwd=a2hRb0RhOEY4OFZ0cTZMQmVKb0VCUT09

Meeting ID: 829 4904 5909 Passcode: 838090

A. CALL TO ORDER AND ANNOUNCE A QUORUM PRESENT

Director Anderson announced a quorum and called the meeting to order at 6:02 pm.

B. CITIZENS FORUM

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C. REGULAR AGENDA

Item 1.

1. Discuss, consider, and possible action on the January 08, 2024, meeting minutes.

Motion made by Director Waldrip to approve the meeting minutes as presented. Seconded by Director Childers.

Voting Yea: President Anderson, Director Waldrip, Director Childers, Director Henderson, Alternate 2 Walden

2. Review and discuss questions related to the budget report and financial statement for January 2024. (Staff Resource: M. Peacock)

City Manager Peacock stated that regarding the investment earnings, we anticipated \$20,000 for the year and have collected \$27,000 years to date. In addition, he noted that there is 1.9 Million in the fund balance.

D. EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Type A Economic Development Corporation of the City of Joshua will recess into Executive Session (Closed Meeting) pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 551, Subchapter D, Texas Government Code, to discuss the following:

- 1. Pursuant to Section 551.072 of the Texas Government Code: to discuss or deliberate the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property.
- 2. Pursuant to Section 551.087 of the Texas Government Code: to discuss or deliberate regarding commercial or financial information received from or the offer of a financial or other incentive made to a business prospect seeking to locate, stay, or expand in or near the territory of the City and with which the City is conducting economic development negotiations.

Director Anderson announced that the Type A Economic Development Corporation will recess into an Executive Session at 6:04 pm.

E. RECONVENE INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION

In accordance with Texas Government Code, Section 551, the Type A Economic Development Corporation will reconvene into regular session and consider action, if any, on matters discussed in executive session.

Director Anderson announced the Regular Session is reconvened at 6:26 pm.

F. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS/REQUESTS BY DIRECTORS TO BE ON THE NEXT AGENDA

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G. ADJOURN

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Shelly Anderson, President

Approved: March 11, 2024



(Type A) Agenda (Add Date)

(Minutes Resolution)

(Action Item)

Agenda Description:

Discuss, consider, and possible action on the disbursement of \$18,000 to the Joshua Area Chamber of Commerce.

Background Information:

The purpose of this agenda item is to discuss and potentially approve the disbursement of \$18,000 to the Joshua Area Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber plays a crucial role in supporting local businesses, fostering economic development, and enhancing the community's overall prosperity. The allocated funds will aid the Chamber in its various initiatives, including but not limited to organizing events, and promoting local businesses.

Financial Information:

\$18,000

City Contact and Recommendations:

Molly Martin, Director of Economic Development

Attachments:

None