



ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES MAY 17, 2023

This meeting was conducted in person and remotely using teleconferencing technology provided by Zoom.

CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

Committee Chair Bobbi Harrison called the meeting to order 8:04am

Commissioners: Chair Bobbi Harrison, Joelle Gibson, Rob McDonald, Larry Mana'o and Ryan Seal

City Staff: Emily Arteché, CD Director, Nicole Wiebe, Community Liaison; Mayor Katherine Ross, David Goodman, Senior Planner. Danna McCall, Communications, and Patrick Fry, Engineer

Kelly Coughlin from the Chamber of Commerce was also in attendance.

AGENDA APPROVAL: The agenda was approved without objection.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: March 15, 2023, minutes were approved.

NEW BUSINESS

- Patrick Fry presented a status report of the Community Center expansion and community pool.
- Business Visit Update: Bobbi Harrison and Joelle Gibson, are currently visiting with businesses. More information forthcoming. Businesses are busy and scheduling appointments has been challenging.
- Economic Development Element: David Goodman presented and solicited questions from the commission.

OLD BUSINESS

- Community Liaison Update: Arts Commission exhibit from Wing Luke Museum, is located in City Hall. The Riverview Park will have an opening ceremony/ribbon cutting in June. The Parks Dept. will open a pop-up dog park at Satterlee Park for the summer, this will help the Parks Dept, gauge interest for a dog park on the Ridge. The Hello Summer marketing is complete and advertising summer events has started.
- Chamber Update: Recent LTAC Funding approval has allowed the Chamber to produce a Ghost Tour in Snoqualmie. Upcoming Chamber events were announced, including a Snoqualmie CEO Roundtable.
- Community Development Update: Staff reported on the major projects that are currently going through the permitting process.
- Mayor's Report: Prior to the meeting, Mayor Ross emailed the commission with her updates.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 9:46am

*Recorded meeting audio is available on the City website after the meeting.
Minutes approved at the July 19, 2023, Economic Development Commission Meeting.*