



Township of Monroe

MINUTES

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

April 22, 2024 7:00PM

CALL TO ORDER: (BY SECRETARY)

This meeting was advertised pursuant to the New Jersey Open Public Meetings Act (N.J.S.A 10:4-6 thru 10:4-21). Notices were placed in the official publications for Monroe Township (i.e.: Courier Post and The Sentinel of Gloucester County). A copy of that notice is posted on the bulletin board at the Municipal Complex.

SALUTE TO THE FLAG: (BY SECRETARY)

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

ROLL CALL: (BY SECRETARY)

Councilwomen- Denise Adams (A)	Chairperson- Anthony Iovino (P)
Vice Chairperson- Lynda Kerr (P)	Gina Burton (P)
Al Rossi (P)	Michelle Schwaiger (A)
Michael Lawrence (P)	Dominick Colavita (P)
Dana Lawrence (P)	Bruce Rice (A)

AGENDA MINUTES:

- February meeting minutes approval: Motioned: DC; Second: Vice chairperson
 - Ayes: ALL; Nays: None
- Members discussed the status of New Business Packets. Discussion consisted of a welcome letter, flow chart, history of the town, contact list (simplified), information on business insurance and community resources.
- Members discussed the status of New Homeowner's Welcome packets. Discussion of adding polling locations, local shopping, supermarkets, pharmacies, the closet hospital, etc.
- Members discussed previous Grand Openings.
- Members discussed the need for business and improvements on the BHP.
- Members discussed future events on Main Street (Arts and Crafts Festival, Finn's Friends).
- Members were tasked with Business Outreach for the next meeting.

ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION WITH PUBLIC:

- No one from the public attended this month's meeting.