



Township of Monroe

MINUTES

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

May 20th, 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 (P)	Chairperson- Anthony lovino (P)
Vice Chairperson- Lynda Kerr (P)	Gina Burton (P)
Al Rossi (A)	Dominick Colavita (P)
Michael Lawrence (P)	Bruce Rice (A)
Dana Lawrence (A)	

AGENDA MINUTES:

- April meeting minutes approval: Motioned: DC; Second: GB
 - Ayes: ALL; Nays: None
- Members discussed the status of New Business Packets. A sample was sent to administration and was approved. A draft will be ready by the next meeting. Discussion of adding a link to the packet on the website, door hangers, and updating the directory monthly.
- Members discussed the status of New Homeowner's Welcome packets. Packets are almost done. Discussion of adding shopping districts in, a coupon book with local businesses, and the newsletter.
- Members discussed Grand Openings over the past month. (High end Armory, K+M Barbering, Ace Discount Depot (reopening)).
- Members discussed the need for business and improvements on the BHP.
- Members discussed the recent announcement of Finn's Friends Park construction and how it will add attraction to Main Street.
- 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.

ADJOURN MEETING:

- Motioned by DC
- Second by LK
- The meeting was adjourned with no objections.

These minutes were prepared from the Economic Development Commission Meeting on May 20th, 2024 and serve as only a synopsis of those proceedings.

Approved and submitted by: Lucia McBride Date: 5.20.2024