

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

TOWN OF GOSHEN

Minutes of Regular Meeting ~ January 27, 2020

The meeting was called to order by Anne Green at 7:00 p.m.

Attendance: Anne Green, Amy Tobin, Scott Fraher, Bernie Harrington, Elisabeth Zander, and by video conference, Darlene Demetri.

A motion was made by Amy Tobin and seconded by Scott Fraher to accept the minutes of the December 2019 meeting. The motion passed.

Elisabeth Zander presented her work on the Communication's priority. She has been working to establish our own EDC presence on the Goshen Town Website. She will continue to keep the commissioners updated with her progress.

Elisabeth Zander and Anne Green had a phone conference today with Walter Walsh and Esme Lombard from Altice. They reported that Altice is eager to work with the town to try to meet our needs. Altice will come to a future meeting to talk with the EDC about the needs of the town and how that might be accomplished.

Amy Tobin reported that there is a special hearing with the Planning & Zoning Commission tomorrow night. Chase Jespersen is asking for a special permit to have a home based business in a residential zone.

Amy Tobin also attended the workshop on the Freedom of Information. She shared with the commission what she learned.

Bernie Harrington attended the COG conference with the 21 town EDCs and gave a report. This report will be posted on Google Drive for all members to view.

Anne Green and Amy Tobin reported on their meeting with Dan Sherr, of the Washington Economic Development Committee. They shared how Dan was able to work with community members to achieve their work plan.

Darlene Demetri and Elisabeth Zander will work together on the wording of a vision and mission statement to present to the EDC members at the next meeting.

Amy Tobin will contact realtors to see who would be willing to come meet with the EDC for the February meeting.

Amy Tobin announced that the Goshen Business Circle is having a Pancake Breakfast at AJ's on March 15 from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. All EDC members are invited.

Elisabeth Zander made a motion seconded by Bernie Harrington to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed and the meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,


Rebecca Burcroff, Clerk

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