



**COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
WEDNESDAY, MAY 03, 2023 - 4:00 P.M.
SECOND FLOOR (CMO) CONFERENCE ROOM, CITY HALL
910 S. FRIENDSWOOD DRIVE, FRIENDSWOOD, TEXAS**

MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 4:08 pm with the following members present:

VICE CHAIRMAN BLAISE GUZZETTA
COMMITTEE MEMBER JUDY WIGGINS
COMMITTEE MEMBER PAULINE MOORE
COMMITTEE MEMBER DEREK BROWN
COMMITTEE MEMBER KYLE WINNE
ASSITANT CITY MANAGER STEVEN RHEA
DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUBREY HARBIN
SECRETARY KRISTINA CUELLAR

ABSENT:
CHAIR SUSAN ASIMAKIS
COMMITTEE MEMBER ANDREA TRABANINO

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Rhea stated that Brent Erenwert is in attendance in place of Sally Branson.

3. MINUTES

- A. Consider approving the minutes of the Community and Economic Development Committee Regular Meeting, held on March 1, 2023.
- B. Consider approving the minutes of the Community and Economic Development Committee Regular Meeting, held on April 5, 2023.

Motion to approve: Brown

Second: Wiggins

Vote: 5 to 0 Both sets of Minutes Approved

4. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- A Discuss the Community and Economic Development Committee economic development and business retention strategy.

The committee members discussed different strategies on how to help business owners market their business and continued working towards messaging to share with the coordinating groups. With the business visits complete, Rhea stated that he would distribute the spreadsheet with all the data received from the visits committee members had with business owners.

5. REPORTS

- A Receive the Staff Business Report.

Harbin presented the businesses that obtained a Certificate of Occupancy with the last month.

6. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 4:57 pm.