

## MINUTES OF A CALLED MEETING OF THE SUNSET VALLEY COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14, 2021 6:00 P.M.

Members Present: Clayton Stice (Chair), Horacio Zambrana (Vice Chair), John Kestner, Mickie Powers, Wanda Reetz (Council Liaison)

Staff Present: Sylvia Carrillo and Matt Lingafelter

- Call to Order called to order at 6:05 PM
- 2. Citizen/Public Comments
  - City Administrator made a comment regarding commercial development
- 3. Approval of the minutes from the February 3 and March 10, 2021 meetings.

Mickie Powers made a motion to approve the minutes, seconded by Clayton Stice. Three members voted in favor and the motion carried.

- 4. Council Liaison Report
- 5. Discuss and possibly act on the Small Business Grant Program by providing a recommendation to the City Council on grant criteria.
  - Committee discussion on the grant program, including who would qualify, eligibility, the size and scope of the grant program and performance metrics
  - https://www.ci.buda.tx.us/665/Still-Budaful-Stimulus
  - Motion to copy the Buda program with some modifications as recommended by staff to tailor it to Sunset Valley by John Kestner. Three voted in favor and the motion carried.
- 6. Discuss the HDL Sales Tax Report including requests for specific information contained in the reports.
  - Sylvia discussed information that will be provided in the monthly reports by HDL
- 7. Discuss and possibly act on setting a date and time to facilitate a virtual round-table for Sunset Valley businesses
  - Round table at next CED Meeting on May 5, starting at 5:30
  - Topics:
    - o Grant program introduction and discussion
    - o listening to the businesses and their needs
    - o Inviting both businesses owners and the shopping center owners/management
- 8. Consider and possibly act on recommendations to the FY2022 Budget Discussion

- Marketing plans not a part of CED Budget directly
- Advertising and media, \$100k
- Poles for banners and signage
- Holiday decorations could go on CIP list, holiday lighting
- Art in Public Places
- Community Engagement funds Spring Fling or another event
- 9. Consider and possibly act on adopting Robert's Small Meeting Rules. *Item moved up after #3*. Chair Stice introduced the item and suggested using the Small Meeting Rules. Mickie Powers made a motion to adopt the Small Meeting Rules for the CED Committee, seconded by John Kestner. Three members voted in favor and the motion carried.
- 10. Proposed Items for Next Meeting Agenda round table with businesses, HDL report, grant program
- 11. Adjourn motion to adjourn from Mickie Powers. All voted in favor, meeting adjourned at 7:50 P.M.