

**TOWN OF BEACON FALLS
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING
OCTOBER 27, 2014**

MINUTES

Chairman Jeremy Rodorigo called the regular monthly meeting of the Beacon Falls Economic Development Commission to order at **7:45 pm**.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT: Jeremy Rodorigo, John Betkoski, Brian DeGeorge, Robert Bradley, Ed Korzon, Dennis Phipps

COMMISSIONERS ABSENT: Clare Pusateri

OTHERS PRESENT: Gary Komerowski, John Voket

MINUTES:

Minutes of the September 22, 2014 monthly meeting were reviewed. **J. Betkoski made a motion to approve the minutes as presented, Seconded by D. Phipps.** All ayes, motion passed.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

Gary Komerowski stated his support of Town funds being kept aside for a land acquisition plan.

CORRESPONDENCE:

None

BEACON FALLS MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION:

R. Bradley stated the kayak race for 2015 is in doubt because the kayak store that was a major influence on previous kayak races has closed.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. CERC Training Session scheduled for 11/12/14.
2. John Voket and EDC promo project.
3. Downtown decorations.
4. Downtown signage situation.

5. Chatfield Farms meet & greet.
6. New EDC position posted. Applications due 10/29/14.
7. Beacon Falls Vet Hospital open.
8. Beacon Falls Market renovation moving forward

NEW BUSINESS:

1. R. Bradley informed the Commission that his pharmacy will be installing “trash excluders” on storm drains to catch litter and refuse.
2. Town installed a new crosswalk in front of the Senior Center extending to Maria’s Tailoring on No. Main Street. Discussion regarding impact on parking for Maria’s Tailoring ensued.
3. John Voket addressed the Commission with a brief introduction and overview of the mailer/brochure project. J. Roderigo, B. DeGeorge, C. Pusateri, R. Bradley and P. Christensen will serve on an Ad-Hoc Committee to assist Mr. Voket.

GRANT NEWS / UPDATES:

None

PAYMENT OF BILLS:

Clerk’s bill was approved for payment. **R. Bradley made a motion to approve, Seconded by J. Betkoski.** All ayes, motion passed.

With no other business, **D. Phipps made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:05pm, Seconded by J. Betkoski.** All ayes, motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,

Peter A. Christensen

Clerk

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