

# LITCHFIELD ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

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## EDC REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

April 26, 2017

7:00 p.m.

Litchfield Town Office

74 West Street

Litchfield, CT 06759

**Call to Order by Cleve Fuessenich, Acting Chair**

**Appointment of Secretary**

**Appointment of alternate member(s) for the meeting, if needed**

**Public Comment**

**Approve minutes of March 29, 2017 regular meeting**

**Monthly economic updates per region**

- Bantam
- East Litchfield
- Litchfield

**Old Business**

- POCD
- Review of EDC web pages
- Review of EDC by-laws
- Food Hub update
- 300<sup>th</sup> Litchfield Anniversary task force update
- Aging task force
- Identification of business opportunities
- Proposed summer town-wide event in Litchfield - Passenger train bringing tourists to East Litchfield from CT points south with shuttle to Green and beyond
- EDC document(s) for "Welcome to Litchfield" package
- Other

**New Business**

- Discussion on road signage for Litchfield attractions
- Cheshire Market Assessment and Marketing Plan / Regionalized EDC efforts with Morris ( 20-minute discussion)
- Litchfield County struggles with declining population
- Other

Next regular meeting to be held on May 31, 2017.

**Adjournment**

Mission Statement (adopted 5/17/2011)

*The Economic Development Commission will stay informed on economic conditions and monitor trends within the Town of Litchfield and make recommendations to appropriate officials and agencies. The commission shall also take action to improve said economic conditions and seek to coordinate with the activities of various related commissions and unofficial organizations to further Litchfield's economic development well being.*