

Joint Meeting

LATHRUP VILLAGE CITY COUNCIL

LATHRUP VILLAGE PLANNING COMMISSION

LATHRUP VILLAGE DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

MINUTES OF THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN KICK-OFF MEETING OF THE LATHRUP VILLAGE CITY COUNCIL, LATHRUP VILLAGE PLANNING COMMISSION AND THE DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2019 IN THE COMMUNITY ROOM, 27400 SOUTHFIELD ROAD, LATHRUP VILLAGE, MICHIGAN.

The meeting was called to order at 6:02 p.m. by Mayor Mykale Garrett

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll call was taken

Present: Mayor Mykale Garrett

Council Members Present: Ian Ferguson, Saleem Siddiqi, (Donna Stallings -arrived at 7:05 p.m.)

Excused: Mayor Pro Tem Kantor

Planning members Present: Chair Mark Piotrowski

Secretary Jason Hammond

Board Member Charo Hulleza, Board Member Anna Thompson

Excused: Board Members Bruce Kantor and Les Stansbery

Absent: Board Member Bruce Copus

DDA Members Present: Chair Bobbi Lovins, Fred Prime, Mykale Garrett

Also Present: City Attorney, Scott Baker, Manager, Community and Economic Development Susie Stec and City Clerk, Yvette Talley

Purpose of this meeting is to discuss the Economic Development Strategy Report which are the goals and objectives of the Master Plan.

New Business

Susie Stec gave an overview and answered specific questions:

- a. Streamlining the Development Process at the City level

DDA façade improvement program and sign grant program have been reinstated

Placemaking

The Village Center

Southfield Road

Business Attraction – Retention and Expansion

Neighborhood Stabilization & Residential Expansion

Improving Transportation Options

b. Code of Conduct – Mayor Garrett gave an overview – City Attorney Baker explained that it's best to disclose any potential conflicts that you may have.

c. 2020 Meeting dates – Susie Stec gave an overview and answered specific questions- proposed 2020 Joint Meeting dates.

d. Comprehensive Plan update – Residence and Parks & Rec surveys are available on the City's website, (hard copies are available) October is community planning month and the Market study is being updated.

Mayor Garrett stated there will be a town hall meeting October 30, 2019 at 7p.m. and the last town hall will be Sunday, November 3, 2019 at 1 p.m.

#### Public Comment

None

#### Adjournment

Motion by Council member Ferguson, seconded by Council member Siddiqi to adjourn this meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 7: 17 p.m.

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Transcribed by Yvette Talley

City Clerk