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Wilton Economic Development Commission

AGENDA – EDC REGULAR MEETING MINUTES * WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2024, 7:15 p.m, Comstock, Room 31

- I. Call to Order @ 7:21pm by Joseph Favarolo
- II. Roll Call

Members Present: Marty Avallone, John DiCenzo, Joseph Favarolo, Donna Peterson, Alison Smith,

Peter Squitieri, Tom Shimko First Selectwoman's Office: None

Town Liaison: None Members Absent: None Members Excused: None Public Present: None

- III. Motions and Votes
 - A. Approve Minutes of the January 10, 2024 meeting
 - 1. Motion: Avallone
 - 2. Second: Smith
 - 3. Opposed: None 4. Abstain: None
 - 5. Vote: 7-0
 - B. Conduct Annual Survey to Assess Satisfaction and Needs of Wilton Businesses
 - 1. Motion: Avallone
 - 2. Second: Squitieri
 - 3. Opposed: None
 - 4. Abstain: None
 - 5. Vote: 7-0
 - C. Produce a "Why Wilton" Document
 - 1. Motion: Availone
 - 2. Second: Smith
 - 3. Opposed: None
 - 4. Abstain: None
 - 5. Vote: 7-0



IV. Items Discussed

- A. EDC Website & Facebook Credentials Status updated by DiCenzo and Smith.
 - 1. EDC site migrating to town site.
- B. Discussed Potential 2024 Focus Areas all members.
 - 1. Tom Shimko will lead the preparation of a business survey for discussion at the next meeting.
 - a) All members will submit proposed survey questions ahead of the next meeting.
 - 2. Alison Smith to prepare a "Why Wilton" document for discussion at the next meeting.
- C. Socia Media initiatives updated by Alison Smith.
- D. Business Spotlight Program updated by John DiCenzo.
- E. Joseph Favarolo, Marty Avallone, and Donna Peterson provided an update on the status of the Wilton Signage Recommendations and the discussion held with Michael Wrinn.
 - 1. The actual survey results and the EDC Summary Document have been submitted to P&Z.
 - 2. A meeting is pending with P&Z.
- V. Member Comments None
- VI. Public Comments None
- VII. Adjournment by Unanimous Consent at 8:38pm

Next Meeting Scheduled: Wednesday, March 13, 2024, 7:15 p.m., Comstock Room 31 / Zoom