

METAIRIE BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT VIRTUAL BOARD MEETING

DATE: Monday March 7, 2022

TIME: 4:30 p.m.

PLACE: Drago's Conference Room and Zoom

AGENDA

I. Call to Order

II. Confirmation of Quorum – Andrew W, Tommy C, Dana P, Joseph R, Brian, L, Charles S, Barry B, Pat L.

III. Public Comment - **NONE**

IV. Approval of Minutes from 1/24/2022 – **Motion – Dana, Second – Andrew, All Approved**

V. Approval of February Financials – **Motion – Dana, Second – Brian, All Approved**

a. Board members are requesting monthly updates from the Parish on our TIF balances and activity

VI. Council or Parish Comments

- a. Liza Caluda Property Maintenance Zoning (PMZ) director introduction
 - i. Liza will follow up on schedule of sweeps
 - ii. Code Enforcement is a different department and PMZ, so have to contact both departments if there is an issue
 - iii. New inspector will be assigned to our area, MBDD will be notified of the new inspector
 - iv. MBDD Board asked about follow on for some properties that have been cited but repairs and clean up has not taken place
 - 1. PMZ will be sending some of the properties to court for fines
- VII. Cinco de Mayo Event Oscar Chimal in attendance to answer questions.
 - a. Permit Approval
 - i. Captain Andrew was asked about the illegal sale of alcohol outside the event, this is a violation if there is no permit
 - ii. 3 light towers were requested by the board to add more light
 - iii. More trash receptacles were requested compared to 2021
 - iv. Motion to approval the permit Joseph R, Second Brian L, All Approved

VIII. Director Report

- a. Land projects Update
 - i. Appraisal amounts had been sent to the MBDD
 - ii. MBDD will be reaching out or putting Oracle Lighting in touch with one of the property owners
- b. Entergy Grant award



- i. MBDD has been awarded a \$60,000 grant, one of the largest awarded by Entergy
- ii. Board would like to reach out to Rummel High School and Chappelle if Rummel is not interested
- iii. Helm Paint would be interested in participating in the supply acquisition
- iv. Board asked about how much fence is left to cover the remaining area?
- c. Mural Update
 - i. Robert Dafford gave an estimate for Joe Jaeger's Building at roughly \$60,000
 - ii. The board was asked informally if they would agree to up to \$30,000 for the mural and all agreed.
 - iii. Hellis Foundation was brought up as a possible partner for more murals
- d. Severn Ave Project Update
 - i. Email with update was sent to board in their board packet.
- IX. New Business NONE
- X. Adjournment Motion Brian L, Second Andrew, All Approved

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