

VERMILION ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING  
AGENDA

DATE: WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 2024  
TIME: 5:30 PM  
PLACE OF MEETING: VERMILION PARISH GOVERNMENT OFFICE COMPLEX  
407 CHARITY STREET, ABBEVILLE, LA

1. CALL TO ORDER-
  - (A) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
  - (B) MOMENT OF SILENT PRAYER OR REFLECTION
  - (C) PLEASE TURN ALL CELL PHONES, PAGERS, ETC. OFF OR SET TO SILENT MODE FOR THE DURATION OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT MEETING
2. ROLL CALL
3. PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS
4. READING OR APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS REGULAR MEETING OF DECEMBER 13, 2023
5. TREASURER'S REPORT – NIKKI VIDOS
6. ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT – KAYLA LINK
  - (A) ORGANIZATIONAL GOAL UPDATES (STARTING JANUARY)
  - (B) BENCHMARK PROGRESS
7. OLD BUSINESS-
  - (A) JANUARY GRANT OPPORTUNITY BREAKFAST FOR PARISH LEADERS – NIKKI VIDOS
8. NEW BUSINESS-
  - (A) OPEN MEETINGS LAW - ADA REQUIRED PROCEDURES – SHARI CORMIER
  - (B) RAILS TO TRAILS – KRISTIN VINCENT
  - (C) LIDEA MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL- SHARI CORMIER
9. COMMITTEE REPORTS-
  - (A) TRANSITION COMMITTEE – NIKKI VIDOS
  - (B) WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE – CLAIRE BROUSSARD
  - (C) SUSTAINABLE FUNDING COMMITTEE – PARCEL FEE -- NIKKI VIDOS
  - (D) STRATEGIC PLANNING COMMITTEE – NIKKI VIDOS
    - (I) HOMETOWN REVITALIZATION PROGRAM PLAN DISCUSSION
  - (E) COMMUNICATIONS AND PROMOTIONS COMMITTEE – ANNE T. FALGOUT
    - (I) VEDA WEBSITE & COLLATERAL
    - (II) EVENT PARTICIPATION
  - (F) BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE – KRISTY TOUCHET
10. ECONOMIC ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION
  - (A) 2024 GOAL DISCUSSION
11. BOARD MEMBER UPDATES
12. DATE, TIME, AND LOCATION OF NEXT MEETING – WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2024, AT 5:30 PM
  - (A) BOARD RETREAT DATE – TENTATIVELY FEBRUARY 3, 2024
13. ADJOURN-

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