

Sanpete CEO Board Minutes
May 15, 2025 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

Members present:

Kent Barton, Katie Witt, Dave Oxman, Abby Ivory, Dennis Marker

Members Excused:

Kenley Steck

Visitors:

Commissioner Jim Cheney, Vienna Rodriguez

0. Welcome:

Chair Barton welcomed everyone including to the meeting then turned the time over to Abby Ivory for a grant report.

1. Prime Carport Grant Recipient Request For Funds:

Viridiana Rodriguez with Prime Carports reported on her business and how they used the grant they were awarded. They manufacture in Mount Pleasant and sell direct and install for commercial and private multiple types of carports. They have customers in Utah, Idaho, and Nevada and are looking at installing new equipment to increase manufacturing to increase marketing in other states. They plan to add another administrative employee and others as they continue to grow.

2. Recommendations for County Economic Opportunity Board Members:

Abby Ivory expressed her concern for the current board formation. She expresses that the board needs more diversity in including persons from the community to serve on the board. Several members were recommended by the board and will be recommended to the Sanpete County Commissioners for their invitation

3. Sanpete County Market Analysis and Economic Strategy Plan Review and Recommendations Prioritized:

Abby Ivory begins the discussion about this topic. Dennis Marker discusses that he likes the document and it provides good guidance, however is concerned with how it is formed and presented. The board agreed with the dissatisfaction compared to the amount of time provided.

Abby Ivory moves to discussing their goals and strategies for the project team and how they plan on moving towards achieving these goals. It was decided to focus first on a new county logo and second county website.

Closing:

Motion was made to postpone the June meeting to July by Dave Oxman. It was seconded by Katie Witt. All in favor.

Katie motions to adjourn and all members were in favor. Chair Barton closes the meeting.