

PAYSON CITY
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD MEETING
Mountain View Hospital, 1000 East 100 North, Suite 325, Payson UT 84651
Thursday, June 6, 2019

CONDUCTING Brian Hulet

COMMITTEE MEMBERS Brian Hulet, Payson City Council; Taresa Hiatt, City Council; Scott Wilson, Nebo School District; David Charles, Business Owner; Andra Cefalo, Payson Chamber of Commerce; Ty Jones, Business Owner; Lynn Abplanap, PPC Flexible; Bill Wright, Mayor; Kris Phillips, Stadium Cinemas

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EXCUSED Todd Brightwell, Mike Hardy; Win Jeanfreau, UVU; Ric Johnson, Mountain View Hospital; Dave Tuckett, Payson City; Scott Phillips, Business Owner

STAFF Amanda Baker – Secretary

Meeting began at 8:00 am

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Taresa Hiatt to approve the minutes for May 2, 2019. Motion Seconded by Ty Jones.
Minutes approved

REPORT ON THINGS HAPPENING IN PAYSON

Brian reported that Chubby's will be coming to Payson soon. Discussion was held regarding other possible businesses

CHAMBER REPORT

Andra reported things with the Chamber are going well. She reported Maurice's is looking for some support as their business is struggling. Brian suggested that Andra should let her know things are moving in that area that will be helpful in bringing more business.

Andra reported that MTEC joined the Chamber and they are excited to have them.

The Chamber reported they are still working on their fundraising trip to China.

Taresa asked if we should push the shop local in the summer. Discussion was held regarding that.

Andra reported a BNI (Business Networking International) chapter just opened here and will be really positive for the businesses.

ICSC REPORT

Mayor reported that the trip to ICSC went well. They were able to meet with a few people. Mayor stated that Brian created a powerful presentation in hopes to attract Home Depot. They will continue to work with Home Depot

Brian showed the presentation to the committee.

Scott Wilson requested information regarding the potential growth so the school district can plan for future growth.

GOLF EVENT

Brian requested that everyone think of a few businesses that they would like to invite to the meeting.

PAYSON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIC PLAN

Brian left the meeting at 8:35 am

Brian requested that the committee discuss specific ways we can help move the goals forward.

UVU, MTECH and education – MOVE TIMELINES UP

UVU is on a 10 year plan but we are working to have them bring the rodeo program down and there are some donors that are willing to donate. Goal is to move the timeline up 5 years.

MTECH, 2 year timeframe. Ty would like to show these institutions the projected growth. Which may help move their timeframe up.

Reach out to U of U and Utah State

UTOPIA will build out the city within a full year which will help with moving the timeframe up.

Small Business Resource center. 2 year, continue discussions & planning. We are on the right track.

Private education – don't think we need to focus on this unless we are taking about trade schools. More opportunities as our population increases.

Startups – same as makerspace.

Nebo School District – in the process of acquiring land for the new Payson High school. Everything is going well and it will be really nice. Work on changing the perception of the schools. Meet with the relators. Same with the hospitals. David Charles will try to track down the source of the school ratings on MLS listings. Share good information.

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 am