

Economic Development Committee Meeting April 21st

Members Present: Robert Panessiti-Chair, Nancy Medoff, Kristen Roberts, Chris LaMarco and Dan Silva.

Others-Darrin Tangeman-Town Manager, Barbara Carboni-Truro Town Planner, Carole Ridley-Ridley and Associates

The meeting was called to order at 9:33 am.

There were no minutes to review from April 7th so the committee will review minutes from this and the last meeting at their next one.

Carole Ridley presented a second version of the town's economic overview based on the edits from all committee members.

Nancy expressed the importance of adding current census data as soon as it becomes available. The committee discussed this maintaining status as a "draft document" that is dynamic instead of static and having the committee update it periodically as new information becomes available. The roll of the committee was discussed. Bob said that we are appointed for a 2 year term.

The committee discussed the pros and cons of releasing the report prior to the summit to have it available. All members felt it was the best way to have a productive meeting.

Nancy presented the deck draft, which led to a discussion about what the summit would look like and what the committee hopes to accomplish. We discussed again the idea of remote, outdoor location and indoor location. Kristen offered Truro Vineyards as a potential outdoor location. Barbara Carboni said she would investigate it but felt that a public meeting at a private location may not be possible. Nancy then suggested the Truro Library lawn. Carole felt that there would be some technological challenges to presenting outside but the committee felt that the upside of having more attendees might be more important. Nancy suggested handouts for the deck as opposed to an onscreen presentation.

The committee discussed the best way to advertise the summit and a suggestion was made that a flyer is created in time to hand out at town meeting. Nancy volunteered to make a flyer. Barbara will ask the moderator if this is possible.

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The date of June 16th from 5:30 to 7 was settled upon for the summit. Barbara will email the library to see if the date is available.

The meeting was adjourned with a motion from Dan Silva and a second from Kristen Roberts. A roll call vote was taken.

Respectfully submitted by,

Kristen Roberts

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