



City of Doral Economic Development Advisory Board Minutes

Tuesday, Sept 29, 2015

8401 N.W. 53rd Terrace
3rd Floor Training Room
Doral, FL 33166

1. Call to Order / Roll Call of Members

Meeting was called to order @ 6:25 p.m.

Juan Casimiro	Present
Felix Murillo	Present
Dr. Vicente Rodriguez	Present
Luis Galindez	Present
Vacant Seat	

2. Roll Call of Members

Also present were:

Manuel Pila, From City of Doral Economic Development Officer

3. Approval of Previous Meeting(s) Minutes

Minutes for August 18th were approved - by Felix Murillo Second Juan Casimiro

4.

- a. **Agenda Item I – Updates, Mr Casimiro:** Confirmed that The City had Reiterated that the reception had become a “Signature Event” We were informed that NMG Consulting was not approved and that The City Staff would take on the role of coordination and logistics with the assistance of Marco Giron as well as Evan Owens from City Staff. A workshop / meeting was suggested with City Staff to coordinate efforts.

- b. **Agenda Item II– Project Updates:** Mr Casimiro Set the Workshop date For Tuesday Oct 6th at 9:30 am To further discuss the Event. Mr. Pila gave Us updated on New Economic initiatives that the city has undertook. As Well as Sister City updates
 - c. **Agenda Item III – New Business** Mr. Pila summarized the workshops that have taken place. Mr. Murillo spoke about meeting with the county's Small Business Development unit and their willingness to provide information via a presentation to Doral small business. Mr. Murillo will coordinate with Mr. Walters from Miami Dade SBD team. Mr. Casimiro gave detail about his charity function.
 - d. **Agenda Item IV – Open Discussion:** Margorie Gonzalez a Journalist from Venezuela introduced herself, and commented on struggles new persons face starting a business. Mr. Casimiro spoke on pitfalls.
5. **Future Meeting Dates** – Regular Meeting was scheduled for Oct 13th, 2015 At 8:30AM
6. **Adjournment-** The meeting was adjourned by Chairman Casimiro at 7:15 PM

Respectfully Submitted,

Felix Murillo, Advisory Board Secretary

Motion to approve the minutes of the September 29, 2015 Economic Development Advisory Board Meeting made by 10/13/15 and seconded by _____.

Board Member
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Chairperson