

City of Doral Economic Development Advisory Board Minutes

Monday, August 12, 2019 8:30 a.m. Doral Government Center 1st Floor Multipurpose Room 8401 NW 53rd Terrace, Doral, FL 33166

 Call to Order Meeting was called to order at 8:35 a.m.

2. Roll Call of Board Members

Felix Murillo, Chair Present
Paola Moreno, Vice Chair Present
Maritza Galoppi, Board Member
Roger Gonzalez, Board Member
Roberto Sroka, Board Member
Present
Present

Also present were: Manuel Pila, Economic Developer

3. Pledge of Allegiance

4. Public Comments

There were no comments made during public comments.

5. Approval of Minutes

Motion to approve the June 3rd, 2019 meeting minutes made by Paola Moreno and seconded by Maritza Galoppi. By consensus, motion passes unanimously.

Discussion Items

a. Discussion: October Business Forum

Mr. Manuel Pila briefly updated the board on the Business Forum. The exact date has not been chosen but the forum is expected to take place in the Doral Police Training and Community Center, with SBDC FIU; The forum is expected to last four hours. Mr. Murillo then discussed about the possibility of blasting the event on the City's social media when the exact date has been chosen. Further updates will be given next meeting.

b. Discussion: Annual Consulate Reception

The Annual Consulate Reception is set to take place on November 7, 2019 at the Doral Government Center. Mr. Manuel Pila briefly informed Mr. Sroka what the Annual Consulate Reception is, and the board members went on to discuss the updated invitation format.

The board then went on to discuss some of the issues with past Annual Consulate Receptions, such as when invitations are being sent out, keynote speakers and name tags for the guests. Mr. Manuel Pila will update the board with their questions and concerns in the next meeting.

c. New Business

New board member, Mr. Roberto Sroka, introduced himself to the board and spoke briefly about what he does. The board also introduced themselves and spoke briefly about what they do.

Mr. Manuel Pila gave all the board members a list of all the City Economic Development events occurring throughout the next couple of months.

The board then went on to discuss about the city's participation with CAMACOL.

7. Future Meeting Date

- a) Monday, September 9, 2019 at 8:30 a.m.
- 8. Adjournment: Meeting adjourns at 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Juanita Cruz, Office of the City Clerk

Motion to approve the minutes of the August 12th, 2019 Economic Development Advisory Board Meeting made by Board Member Advisory Board Member

Chair Felix Murillo

Vice Chair Paola Moreno

Board Member Roberto Sroka

Board Member Maritza Galoppi

Board Member Roger Gonzalez

APPROVED and ADOPTED this 9th day of September 2019