# July 2021 Meeting West Haven Economic Development Commission Meeting Minutes, June 2, 2021 5:15 PM City Hall, 355 Main St, West Haven, CT West Rive Hall

# Minutes:

The meeting was called to order at 6:10PM by Chairman Christine Gallo

Pledge of Allegiance

Attendees: Eleanor Slomba, Scotti Williams, Christine Gallo, Ed Voss, Lalani Perry

Chairman called for a motion to adopt the minutes; it was moved to adopt the minutes by E. Voss, the motion was seconded by E. Slomba, the motion carried

# **Public Input:**

No Public Input

# **Old Business:**

June 3<sup>rd</sup> workshop – was canceled no place to hold the workshop

- C. Gallo, inquired about a list of businesses to mail invites to
- The board needs two alternates

## Branding and Marketing

- Beautification the flowers have already been planted
- Railroad bridges we are still in the same place, the commission would sill like to see the overpasses painted

# **New Business**

## Workshop:

- C. Gallo will try to talk to Christopher Soto to let him know we need to talk about bringing businesses into the town of West Haven.
- E. Slomba informed the Commissioners that that the art center space can be used for meetings. Also, that Sustainable CT has matching funds that can possibly be used for printing.
- L. Perry suggested that an article be written for the West Haven Voice which comes out every other week. This is to inform residents of the new "Miles of Shore and So Much More." L. Perry said she will be happy to be write an article, , and E. Slomba also agreed to write an article. E. Slomba said that this is something she does for New Haven.

E. Voss will speak to someone about the locked glass doors display in the West Haven train station. He will check to with someone to see if we can add a message in there.

L. Perry would like to see a logo for the EDC.

Maybe ask local businesses to write a paragraph about their businesses to include in the WHV, L. Perry volunteered to write questions to ask the businesses.

Next meeting TBD. Chris will follow up with day and time.

Motion for the meeting to be adjourned at 7:20 PM b.y C. Gallo and seconded by E. Slomba

Minutes respectfully submitted by S. Williams