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VILLAGE OF HANOVER PARK CONECT COMMITTEE

REGULAR MEETING

Municipal Building, Room 214

2121 Lake Street

Hanover Park, IL

Tuesday, July 9, 2019, 12:30 p.m.

MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Tobin called the meeting to order at 12:35 p.m.

PRESENT: Members: Chairperson Gail Tobin, Kevin Swan, Renate Smith, Steven Zanfardino, Angela Ligocki, Tia Juarez, Melissa Kress

ABSENT: Members: Jackie Hayden, Bob Morris, Cherry Spivey, Nanette Gudenkauf, Patrick Kaveney, Adam Cortez

VILLAGE STAFF PRESENT: Trustee Herb Porter, Community and Economic Development Director Shubhra Govind, Associate Planner Alex Schwartz

GUESTS:

2. ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

Request to approve the Agenda for July 9, 2019.

Motion by Member Swan to approve the Agenda, seconded by Member Smith

Voice Vote: All AYES, agenda accepted

3. PRESENTATIONS/REPORTS: None

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Request to approve the Minutes of June 11, 2019.

Motion by Member Swan to approve the Minutes, seconded by Trustee Porter

Voice Vote: All AYES, minutes approved

5. TOWNHALL SESSION: None

6. ACTION ITEMS

6-a. Business Corridor Meetings

- Next Meeting – Hanover Corporate and Mallard Lake Business Parks
Tours of ER2 offered after meeting
- When: July 24, 2019, 8:00 – 9:00 am
- Where: ER 2 Image Group (they will provide food)
- Invitation in English/Spanish sent (attached). Staff was asked to send invitation to the NWHC
- Meeting is for industrial businesses. Committee discussed items for the agenda:
 - Information on:
 - Corporate sponsorships
 - The two Chambers of Commerce
 - How CONECT serves them
 - Education/Work Center
 - Join/Attend CONECT
 - Discussion to ask businesses how CONECT can help them
 - Statement on immigration? The Village Board will be discussing at a future workshop.

6-b. Local Business Expo

- Part of Corks & Crafts Event - September 28, 2019
 - Location: Hanover Park Sports Complex (south of baseball fields)
 - Separate tent for Expo businesses
 - Application Form/Flyer- available online
- Outreach to Vendors/Exhibitors- No new exhibitors since last meeting
- It was noted that the fee may be a barrier for non-profits. Unlike last year, the fee is expected to cover the cost of the tent this year. As such, CONECT previously decided to apply the fee to all vendors including non-profits. The Committee indicated it may consider reducing or eliminating the fee if the tables are not sold out. It was also noted that Cop's Day is an appropriate 'free' day for non-profits, so the fee won't exclude them from community participation.
- The Library indicated it may be interested in a table but will need to check the budget.

6-c. Hanover Park Small Business Forum – October 2019

- Report of Subcommittee discussions
 - Members include Cortes, Hayden, Gudenkauf, Juarez, Sepulveda, Zanfardino.
 - Topic- "Google: Get your business online!"
 - Kickoff to a bi-monthly or quarterly Lunch & Learn in place of CONECT meetings to be done in collaboration with both Chambers
- There was discussion as to how to hold the Lunch & Learns: in place of CONECT meetings, in addition to CONECT meetings, or during CONECT meetings. Some members commented that the Lunch & Learns should be in addition, not in place of CONECT meetings.
- Date was changed to October 8, 2019, 12:00-1:30 – same as CONECT meeting
- Discussion to be continued during the next CONET meeting

6-d. March 2019 Business After Hours

- Consider new Theme:
 - Global Dining, with food from multiple local ethnic businesses
 - Perhaps a “Taste of Hanover Park” theme
- It was noted, people can like change, but this is also CONECT’s most successful event.
- Idea needs to be discussed with both chambers.
- Will discuss again during the next CONECT meeting.

7. OLD BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS): None

8. Development Updates- Presented by Director Govind

9. Bartlett Area Chamber Update

- Ribbon Cutting and Open House - July 12, 2019, noon - 1:30 am, Barber by Nature, 5650 Arlington Drive East
- Open to Public with registration: Google Insider Tips - July 11, 2019, 8–10 am, Bartlett Hills Golf Course
- Multi-Chamber After Hours - July 30, 2019, 5:30 - 7:30 pm, Sears Centre Arena, 5333 Prairie Stone Parkway, hosted by Windy City Bulls

10. Northwest Hispanic Chamber Update

- The next NWHCC Business Mixer After-hours will be July 11, 2019, 6 – 8 pm at Los Fernandez Restaurant, 2557 W Golf Rd, Hoffman Estates 60169.
- El Cafecito: Marketing (Business Roundtable), Aug 7, 9-10 am, Location: TBD

11. WBDC Update- None

12. Upcoming Events

Visit the Village website for complete details.

- Saturday Night Cruise Nights, Metra lot, May 4 – September 28, 5 – 9 pm
- Cop’s Day Picnic, July 12, 5:00-8:00 pm. “Incredibles 2” movie at dusk.
- Movies in the Park, June 7, July 12, August 9 – games and activities start at 8 pm.
- Ribbon Cutting at Barber by Nature, July 12, noon – 1:30 pm
- Wednesday Night Live Concerts, Hanover Park Sport Complex Pavilion, June 12, July 10, July 24, August 14, 7 pm
- Mayor Craig’s Play Ball Baseball Game, July 16, 2019, 5:30 pm
- Next C.O.N.E.C.T. Meeting – August 6, 2019
- Hanover Park Car & Motorcycle Show, August 4, 2019, Metra lot, noon – 4 pm
- Corks and Crafts, September 28, 2019, 11 am – 4 pm
- Local Business Expo at Corks and Crafts, September 28, 2019, 11 am – 4 pm
- Chicago Wheelchair Classic, Centre Court Athletic Club, October 10-13, 2019

13. ADJOURNMENT: 1:36

Motion by member Swan, seconded by member Zanfardino

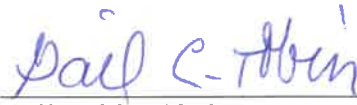
Voice Vote: All AYES, meeting adjourned

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Recorded and Transcribed by:



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On this 9th day of July, 2019



Gail Tobin, Chairperson