

City of Doral Economic Development Advisory Board Minutes

Tuesday, June 15, 2021 8:30 a.m. Doral Government Center 1st Floor Multipurpose Room 8401 N.W. 53rd Terrace Doral, FL 33166

- Call to Order Meeting was called to order at 8:32 a.m.
- 2. Roll Call of Board Members

Felix Murillo, Chair Maritza Galoppi, Vice Chair Roberto Sroka, Secretary Jaime Florez, Board Member Roger Gonzalez, Board Member Present
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Absent/Excused

Also present were:

Manuel Pila, Economic Developer

- 3. Pledge of Allegiance
- 4. Public Comments

Manuel Torres, resident, addressed the board and introduced himself.

- 5. Approval of Minutes
 - May 11, 2021

Motion to approve the May 11, 2021 minutes made by Secretary Sroka and seconded by Vice Chair Galoppi. By consensus, motion passes unanimously.

- 6. Discussion Items
 - a. Discussion: Economic Development information on the past year

Manuel Pila provided an update to the board an overview of the Economic Development Activities/Initiative done by the City, such as CARES Grant assistance to Businesses and Rentals.

b. Discussion: Upcoming events that are occurring from June-December Manuel Pila discussed the upcoming initiatives that the City has planned for the period of June-December such as Best of Doral, as well as the New Times "Best of Miami" campaign approved by Council.

In addition, the Economic Development Division has worked closely with the IT Department to obtain a higher WCCD certification as a Smart City.

Manuel Pila mentioned the events that the City has, and that he will notify the board of the ones that may be of interest to them for participation.

c. Discussion: The role of the Economic Development Board

The board discussed what their role is and what is expected of them for this upcoming term.

- 7. Future Meeting Date
 - Tuesday, August 10, 2021 at 8:30 a.m.
- 8. Adjournment: Meeting adjourns at 9:05 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Roberto Sroka, Secretary

Motion to approve the minutes of the June 15, 2021 Economic Development Advisory Board Meeting made by Board Member Kopert Sroko and seconded by Board Member Maritza (2010 pp)

Felix Murillo, Chair Maritza Galoppi, Vice Chair Roberto Sroka, Secretary Jaime Florez, Board Member Roger Gonzalez, Board Member

APPROVED and ADOPTED this 10 day of August, 2021.

Felix Murillo, Chair