

AGENDA

CITY OF BESSEMER DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

Regular meeting of the City of Bessemer Downtown Development Authority to be held in the DDA office, City Hall, on Thursday, May 10th, 2018, at 12:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

BOARD MEMBERS: Zak, Osier, Kikkebusch, Whitburn, Durkee, Leskoviansky, Youngberg, Hamilton, Filippini

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

BUSINESS ITEMS:

- 1) **Financials**
- 2) **Request for Façade improvement funds**
 - A) **Dan Whitburn, Whitburn Properties (\$3,500)**
 - B) **Stephan and Sarah Pope, Bluffview enterprises (\$523)**
- 3)

Item	Description	Responsible Individual	Action Steps
Pop-up shops	Provide minimal initial funding to start up businesses in our downtown	Charly Loper	
Signs for trails	Add wayfinding for motorized and non motorized trails	Steve Hamilton and Charly Loper	Meet up to discuss locations
Economic Impact study	Look into creating an impact study	Steve Hamilton	
Banners	Ordered new banners for before and after summer	Charly Loper	
Trees	Ethnic Common's Trees aren't looking healthy	Charly Loper	
Lights in Ethnic Commons	Determine if we should replace next spring with LED		

Welcome Signs	Update on Progress, request for banners		
Façade Funding	Discuss Applying for state funds		

- 4) **Marketing Grant**
- 5) **Christmas lights**
- 6) **Brainstorm potentially successful businesses in community**
- 7) **Public comment**
- 8) **Other business: Doug Kikkebusch is moving.**

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Next Meeting: Thursday, June 14th, 2018