

Minutes of the Economic Development Commission held at 8:30 A.M., on Thursday, July 24, 2014.

Members Present: First Selectman Freda, Richard LoPresti, Frank Maher, Radha Prasad, Alan Sturtz, Marc Olins

Members Absent: Deborah Moore, Walter Mann, Stephen Gifford

MINUTES

Chairman LoPresti asked for approval of the Minutes of the Regular meeting held on June 26, 2014. Mr. Sturtz moved their acceptance, seconded by Mr. Prasad.

VOTE:	LoPresti -Yes	Maher - Yes	Freda - Yes
	Sturtz - Yes	Olins - Yes	Prasad - Yes

BUS TOUR – FRANK MAHER

Mr. Maher said that the bus tour is scheduled for August 21st. We will meet in the library parking lot at 8:30 am. It was suggested that we get a bigger bus to accommodate all our guests. Mr. Maher said that he would make sure that there was PA system available on the bus.

FALL EDC BREAKFAST

The Commission discussed the possibility of having our Fall EDC breakfast at Quinnipiac University. After further discussion, it was decided that parking could be an issue so we will pursue dates with Best Western. Mr. LoPresti said that he would check with Best Western for dates in September, October and possibly early November. Mr. Maher suggested that C. Cowles speak at the breakfast. It was also recommended that Cinemark be a speaker. Mr. LoPresti said he would look into getting a price on a demographer.

COMMISSION UPDATE

None.

M. FREDA UPDATE

Mr. Freda then gave an update on the various economic development projects he is working on. Mr. Freda said that there are many ongoing projects and once they have been confirmed, he will report on them.

OLD BUSINESS

None.

NEW BUSINESS

The bus tour is scheduled for August 21, 2014 at **8:30 a.m.**

The next meeting of the Commission is scheduled for August 28, 2014 at **8:30 a.m.**

There being no further business before the Commission, Mr. Sturtz moved to adjourn the meeting at 9:30 AM, seconded by Mr. Prasad.