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Board/ Committee: Economic Development Commission

Meeting Date: Wednesday, April 12, 2023 Time: 7:00 PM

Meeting Location: 70 East Main Street, 2nd Floor Meeting Area, Norton, MA

- Call to Order: _____
- Present: _____
- Discussion and or vote of the following topics:
 1. Business updates
 2. General updates and discussion (in no order)
 - a. Planning and Economic Development Director updates
 - b. Local business outreach: Database and Agenda review for Phase 1 to include 50 businesses.
 - i. Flyer to “at home” businesses
 - ii. Collaboration with Norton Business Assoc. (“NBA”)
 - c. Master Plan action items
 - i. Business Guide: New business & Businesses in town
 - d. Zoning review and discussion
 3. Marijuana Retail Establishments
 4. Approval of Meeting Minutes: MRS 9/23/20, 9/24/20, 10/8/20, 10/21/20, 10/29/20; 8/3/2022, 8/17/2022, 9/12/2022, 10/19/2022, 12/19/2022, **1/9/2023**, 1/23/2023, **2/6/2023**, 3/8/2023, 3/29/2023
- Other Business: Topics not Reasonably anticipated 48 hours in advance
- Next Meeting Date: Wednesday, April 26, 2023
- Future Meeting Topics:
 1. Mobile Food Vendors Process (BOH)
 2. Planning updates
 - Collaboration with Parks & Rec (Planning Dept business list)
 - Collaboration with Veterans’ Services
 3. Updates on vacant commercial properties
 - Bylaw and/or registration of vacancy/abandonment
 4. Neighborhood Association discussion
 5. Tri-Town Chamber of Commerce
 6. Community Preservation Act (CPA)
- Adjourned: _____

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Please note it is possible that a vote or votes may be taken by the Commission regarding the above agenda items.

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020, Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §18, and the Governor's March 15, 2020 Order imposing strict limitation on the number of people that may gather in one place, and the Public Meetings Temporary Protocols during COVID-19 State of Emergency as ordered by the Board of Selectmen, this meeting will be conducted via remote participation only. Specific information and the general guidelines for remote participation by members of the public and/or parties with a right and/or requirement to attend this meeting can be found on the Town of Norton's website, at <https://www.nortonma.org/home/news/public-meetings-information/>.