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## PUBLIC MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The public is invited to attend all meetings unless otherwise noted in accordance with the LA Opens Meeting Law pursuant to R.S. 42:11 - R.S. 42:28\* \*Formerly R.S.42:4.1-42:13.

## **Please Be Advised!!!**

The Greater Alexandria Economic Development Authority

# (GAEDA) will hold the following:

COMMITTEE MEETINGS Tuesday, March 15, 2022, 8:00 A.M.

**REGULAR BOARD MEETING Tuesday, March 15, 2022, 8:15 A.M.** 

The Hotel Bentley ~ Claiborne Room 200 Desoto Street ~ Alexandria, LA 71301



## THE GREATER ALEXANDRIA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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#### GAEDA COMMITTEE MEETINGS AGENDA Tuesday, March 15, 2022 ~ 8:00 a.m. The Hotel Bentley ~ Claiborne Room 200 Desoto Street ~ Alexandria, LA 71301

(Public comments can be made prior to any vote) (Please keep comments limited to 3 minutes per person)

#### **Executive & Government Relations Committee**

Dr. Curtis Lewis, Chair, Mr. Stephen McGee, Vice-Chair; Ms. Candice Cheney, Secretary/Treasurer

- 1. Legal Counsel to administer Oath of Office to Ms. Tracye Snow
- 2. Motion to recommend approval of the GAEDA Rules of Procedures
- 3. Motion to recommend a resolution of support for the upcoming District 62 Bond for Rapides Parish Schools.
- 4. Motion to recommend restructuring the committees to the following: (see overview)
  - Executive, Administration, and Legal
  - Governmental Relations Committee
  - Capital Project Committee
  - Economic Development Committee
  - Operations and HR Committee

#### 5. To hear public comments

Administration & Legal Committee

Mr. Steven R. McGee, Chair; Ms. Candice Cheney

- 1. To hear a report from the CPA regarding the February 2022 Financial Statements-**Public Comments**
- 2. Motion to recommend approval of the February 2022 Financial Statements-Public Comments
- 3. Motion to recommend ratifying the payment of the February 2022 Accounting Bill-Public Comments
- 4. Motion to recommend ratifying the payment of the February 2022 Legal Bill-**Public Comments**

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### **Economic Development Committee**

Mr. Steven R. McGee, Chair; Ms. Renee White-Goolsby; Charle Frederick Smiht; Mr. John Carroll

- 1. Motion to recommend approval of a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Roman Catholic Diocese of Alexandria in an amount not to exceed Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) for meals and advertisement/marketing of the 2022 Steubenville South High School Youth Conference to be held June 24-26, 2022- **Public Comments**
- 2. To hear discussion regarding a grant request from L.S. Rugg Elementary School in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) for the Ambassador Club/Student Leaders project. **Public Comments**
- 3. Motion to recommend approval of a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Central Louisiana Urban Businesses (C.L.U.B.) /Cares in an amount not to exceed Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) for advertisement/marketing of the 2022 Community Business Academy Program March -May 2022. **Public Comments**
- 4. Motion to recommend approval of a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Rapides Parish Coliseum in an amount not to exceed Twenty-Three Thousand Dollars (\$23,000) for advertisement/marketing to assist with the "Franky Beverley and Maze" Concert to be held June 4, 2022. **Public Comments**
- 5. Motion to recommend approval of a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Rapides Parish Coliseum in an amount not to exceed Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) for advertisement/marketing to assist with the "Oak Ridge Boys" Concert to be held October 22, 2022. **Public Comments**
- 6. Motion to recommend approval of a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Louisiana Association of Nurse Practitioners (LANP) in an amount not to exceed Twenty-Seven Thousand Dollars (\$27,000) for meal at the 28th Annual LANP Conference to be held October 6-9, 2022, at the Randolph Riverfront Center in Alexandria, LA. Public Comments
- Motion to recommend approval of a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the C & R Mentors in an amount not to exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) for the 2022 A Night Under the Lights with Lenny Williams (featuring Karen Wolfe). - Public Comments
- 8. To hear public comments

Capital Projects Committee Mr. Steven R. McGee, Chair; Mr. John Carroll; Ms. Trayce Snow

1. To hear public comments

### **Operations Committee**

Ms. Candice Cheney, Chair; Ms. Renee White-Goolsby; Ms. Trayce Snow

1. To hear public comments

Human Resources Committee Ms. Candice Cheney, Chair; Ms. Renee White-Goolsby; Ms. Trayce Snow

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- A. Call to Order
- B. Invocation
- C. Pledge of Allegiance
- D. Roll Call
- E. Active Items
  - 1) Motion to approve the March 2022 Consent Agenda:
    - a) Motion to approve February 2022 Meeting Minutes-Public Comments
    - b) Motion to approve the February 2022 Financial Statements-Public Comments
    - c) Motion to ratify the payment of the February 2022 Accounting Bill-**Public Comments**
    - d) Motion to ratify the payment of the February 2022 Legal Bill-Public Comments
    - 2) Motion to approve the GAEDA Rules of Procedures
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    - 6) Motion to approve a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the Central Louisiana Urban Businesses (C.L.U.B.) /Cares in an amount not to exceed Five Thousand

\*Additions to agenda made by unanimous consent only!

Dollars (\$5,000) for advertisement/marketing of the 2022 Community Business Academy Program to be held March-May 2022 - **Public Comments** 

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- G. Executive Director's Report
- H. Commissioner Comments
- I. Legal Counsel Comments
- J. Accountant Comments
- K. Public Comments or Questions
- L. Adjourn