

Negaunee Downtown Development Authority July 20, 2020 Minutes

The Negaunee Downtown Development Authority was called to order by DDA Chairman Gary Nelson at 6:02 PM, on July 20th, 2020, at the Negaunee Ice Arena. Present were authority Members Nate Heffron, Jeff Plummer, Gary Nelson, Pete Munson, and Haley Thomas. Absent: Scott Soeltner, Maryhanna Ockerman, and Jeremy Poch.

DDA Member Haley Thomas made a motion to approve the agenda. Seconded by DDA Member Jeff Plummer. Motion Passed.

DDA Member Jeff Plummer made a motion to approve the minutes from the meetings held on the following dates: January 27, 2020. Seconded by DDA Member Haley Thomas. Motion Passed.

DDA Member Heffron presented one candidate for the DDA consultation position for the DDA. The name of Mona Lang was submitted, the one and only RFP received. Discussion was had on her credentials and whether to recommend to the council to hire her firm.

DDA Member Pete Munson made a motion to recommend to the City Council to hire Mona Lang's firm for DDA consultation services. Seconded by Gary Nelson. Motion Passed.

DDA Members Nate Heffron presented meeting dates for committees to begin their work. Discussion was held and it was decided to have such meetings at the next DDA meeting starting at 5:30 PM.

The Next DDA meeting will be on August 17, 2020, at 5:30PM, at the Negaunee Ice Arena.

Public Comment:

Jason Wallner: Made comment on the DDA reaching out to non -profits like the VFW to partner with them, thanked everyone for their service, and talked in support of the selection for DDA consultant.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30 PM.



Nate Heffron