



MINUTES
St. Clair County Board of Commissioners
Community and Economic Development Committee

Board of Commissioners' Room
County Administrative Office Building, 2nd Floor
200 Grand River Avenue
Port Huron, MI 48060

July 3, 2025 at 6:00 PM

1. Roll Call/Opening

Commissioner Fielitz called the meeting to order at 06:46 PM.

Present: Kerry Ange, Lisa Beedon, Joi Torello, Robert Fielitz, Dave Rushing, Dave Vandebossche and Steve Simasko

Absent: None

2. Additions/Deletions/Changes to the Agenda

Moved by Commissioner Rushing, supported by Commissioner Ange, to approve the agenda as presented. Carried - Voice Vote 7-0. Aye: Commissioner Fielitz, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Beedon, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Rushing
Nay: None

3. Citizens to be Heard

None

4. Updates

None

5. Conceptual Initiatives

None

6. Old Business

None

7. New Business

- A. RFP for "an assessment of the current state of economic and community development in the St Clair County with recommendations" per the attached RFP draft proposal - R. Fielitz

Moved by Commissioner Torello, supported by Commissioner Fielitz, to forward the RFP to the Regular Board meeting.

Moved by Commissioner Simasko, supported by Commissioner Fielitz, to amend the motion to direct the Administrator/Controller to issue an RFP for an Economic Development Consultant Carried - Voice Vote 7-0. Aye: Commissioner Fielitz, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Beedon, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Rushing
Nay: None

Moved by Commissioner Simasko, supported by Commissioner Rushing to direct the Administrator/Controller to issue an RFP for an Economic Development Consultant, to Carried - Voice Vote 7-0. Aye: Commissioner Fielitz, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Beedon, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Rushing
Nay: Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Vandebossche

8. Other Community and Economic Development Matters

None

9. Information Only

None

10. Receive and File Packets

Moved by Commissioner Rushing, supported by Commissioner Vandebossche, to receive and file packets and all information received. Carried - Voice Vote 7-0. Aye: Commissioner Fielitz, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Beedon, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Rushing
Nay: None

11. Adjournment

Moved by Commissioner Rushing, supported by Commissioner Torello, to adjourn at 06:49 PM. Carried - Voice Vote 7-0. Aye: Commissioner Fielitz, Commissioner Simasko, Commissioner Ange, Commissioner Beedon, Commissioner Torello, Commissioner Vandebossche, Commissioner Rushing
Nay: None