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Meeting at The Trestle Stop
Held by Lakeshore Advantage

Board Meeting Minutes
Allegan County Economic Development Commission

Meeting was called to order at 2:08 PM by Nora Balgoyen.

Roll Call showed the following members:

PRESENT: Nora Balgoyen
Stephanie Calhoun
Michelle Krcatovich
Mike VanDenBerg
Joe Novakoski
Michael Kiella
Taylor Hatten
Parker Johnson
Commissioner Jim Storey

ABSENT: Denise Siegel, Matt Smith, Rich Okoniewski

OTHERS: Katie Lokker: Lakeshore Advantage, Mandy Cooper: Lakeshore Advantage, Jennifer Owens: Lakeshore Advantage, Julie Adkins: Lakeshore Advantage, Dan Wedge: Allegan County, Rob Sarro: Allegan County

ADDITIONS/DELETIONS TO AGENDA – A motion was made by Michael VanDenBerg to accept the agenda, seconded by Jim Storey. The motion carried.

ADDITIONS/DELETIONS TO MINUTES – A motion was made by Michael Kiella to accept the minutes, seconded by Michael VanDenBerg. The motion carried.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:

1. Lakeshore Advantage Update

- a. Included in packet – reserving time for strategic planning.
- b. Annual Meeting: February 1, 2024

Discussion Items

1. Strategic Planning

- a. ACEDC members provide feedback on economic development activities and industry updates. Be a representative in your community to open doors for potential investment in economic development.

2. 2024 ACEDC Dates

- a. Discussed that they all be in person and travel throughout the county for each meeting.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

NEXT MEETING – February 28, 2024

ADJOURNMENT – With no further business we adjourned the meeting at **4:20pm**.

Submitted by: Katie Lokker