

## **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD MINUTES SEPTEMBER 6, 2023**

City of Paramount, 16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount, CA 90723

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### **CALL TO ORDER:**

The meeting of the Economic Development Board was called to order by Chair Gonzalez at 7:18 p.m. at City Hall, Council Chambers, 16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount, California.

### **ROLL CALL OF BOARD MEMBERS**

Present: Board Member Ernie Esparza  
Board Member Linda Timmons  
Board Member Gordon Weisenburger  
Vice Chair David Moody  
Chair Javier Gonzalez

Absent: None

### **STAFF PRESENT:**

John Carver, Planning Director  
John King, Assistant Planning Director  
Johnnie Rightmer, Building and Safety Manager  
Sol Bejarano, Management Analyst  
Smyrna Caraveo, Planning Intern  
Leslie Corrales, Planning Intern  
Valerie Zaragoza, Administrative Assistant

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

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There were none.

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### **1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Chair Gonzalez presented the Economic Development Board minutes of September 6, 2023, for approval.

It was moved by Board Member Timmons, seconded by Board Member Esparza, to approve the minutes as presented. The motion was passed by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Board Members Esparza and Timmons,  
Vice Chair Moody, Chair Gonzalez  
NOES: None  
ABSENT: None  
ABSTAIN: Board Member Weisenburger

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**REPORTS**

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2. ORAL REPORT Planning Director John Carver introduced Planning Intern Smyrna Caraveo who gave a presentation on the Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation.
3. COMMENTS FROM BOARD MEMBERS AND STAFF There were none.

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**ADJOURNMENT**

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There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned by Chair Gonzalez at 7:21 p.m. to the next Economic Development Board meeting to be held on Wednesday, October 4, 2023, at City Hall Council Chambers, 16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount, California, at 6:00 p.m.

/s/ *Javier Gonzalez*

Javier Gonzalez, Chair

ATTEST:

/s/ *Valerie Zaragoza*

Valerie Zaragoza, Administrative Assistant

APPROVED: October 4, 2023