

## **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD MINUTES OCTOBER 4, 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 Vice Chair Moody at 6:48 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

Absent: Chair Javier Gonzalez

### **STAFF PRESENT:**

John Cavanaugh, City Attorney  
John King, Assistant Planning Director  
Johnnie Rightmer, Building and Safety Manager  
Sol Bejarano, Management Analyst  
Leslie Corrales, Planning Intern  
Valerie Zaragoza, Administrative Assistant  
Biana Salgado, Office Assistant II

It was moved by Board Member Weisenburger, seconded by Board member Timmons, to excuse Chair Gonzalez from the Economic Development Board meeting. The motion was passed by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Board Members Esparza, Timmons and Weisenburger, Vice Chair Moody

NOES: None

ABSENT: Chair Gonzalez

ABSTAIN: None

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

There were none.

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

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

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

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

## **REPORTS**

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2. ORAL REPORT

Assistant Planning Director John King introduced Management Analyst Sol Bejarano, who gave a presentation on the Regional Economic Strategy and Data, Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG).

3. COMMENTS FROM BOARD MEMBERS AND STAFF

There were none.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

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There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned by Vice Chair Moody at 6:53 p.m. to the next Economic Development Board meeting to be held on Wednesday, November 1, 2023, at City Hall Council Chambers, 16400 Colorado Avenue, Paramount, California, at 6:00 p.m.

/s/ *David Moody*

David Moody, Vice Chair

ATTEST:

/s/ *Valerie Zaragoza*

Valerie Zaragoza, Administrative Assistant