



**Town of Milton**  
**Economic Development Commission Meeting**  
**Wednesday, February 26, 2020 at 4:00 p.m.**  
**Milton Municipal Building**  
**Town Manager's Conference Room**  
**43 Bombardier Road, Milton VT 05468**

## MINUTES

**Members Present:** Don Turner, Jr., Chair; Louis Mossey, Community Member; Lindsey Ruhl, Community Member; Jamie Parent, Milton Business Association; Ian Squirell, Business Member; Kym Duchesneau, Director of Recreation; Michael Joseph, Business Member; Richard DeSouza, Business Member

**Members Absent:** Richard Saunders, Community Member; Anthony Micklus, Clerk; Robert Lombard, Community Member

**I. Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order by Don Turner, Jr. at 4:10 p.m.

**II. Agenda Review**

Louis Mossey added item regarding local option tax discussion.

**III. Public Forum**

None.

**IV. Staff Update**

- Building renovations – added 452 square feet of usable office space. Renovations were paid with vacancy savings.
- Congressman Peter Welch recently visited Milton for a tour of Boves along with Don Turner, Jr. and Darren Adams. Boves applied for a 20,000 square foot addition.

**V. Business**

**A. Commercial Kitchen Update**

Jamie Parent gave an update of the Commercial Kitchen.

**B. Discuss Quarterly Social Meeting**

Discussion regarding holding the April Quarterly Social Meeting at the Arrowhead Tap Room or Vermont Sports Car.

**C. 1% Local Option Tax**

Lou Mossey who is also on the Charter Review Committee, asked the Commission how they felt about Milton instituting a 1% local option tax. Commission generally supported concept.

**VI. Upcoming Business**

**A. Green Mountain Power Electric Vehicles March 25, 2020 Meeting**

*Jean Cortez*

Jean Cortez of Green Mountain Power will be discussing the Local-Use Option regarding electric vehicles at the March 25, 2020 EDC meeting.

**VII. Approval of Minutes of January 22, 2020**

**Motion made by Michael Joseph to approve the Minutes of January 22, 2020 with a second by Jamie Parent. Approved Unanimously.**

**VIII. Adjournment**

**Motion made by Michael Joseph to adjourn the meeting at 5:08 p.m. with a second by Louis Mossey. Approved Unanimously.**

Don Turner, Jr. adjourned the meeting at 5:08 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Sheila Mooney

APPROVED MINUTES:

 \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 9/23/20  
Don Turner, Jr., Chair

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