

**ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MEETING  
JUNE 7, 2021**

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**CONCLUSION/ACTION SUMMARY**

In attendance: Committee Chair Zuniga, Committee Member Maust, Acting City Manager Parker, Development Services Director Dalquest, Development Services Manager Chavez, Economic Development Coordinator Picazo, and Contract Housing Programs Coordinator Arellano

This meeting was conducted pursuant to the Governor's Executive Order N-29-20 which suspended certain requirements of the Brown Act. All committee members and staff were present via videoconference. The public was able to observe the meeting via live stream on the City's website or on the public access cable channels. Public comment was offered via telephone.

- 1) **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS** None
- 2) **DISCUSSION OF PLANNING DIVISION CURRENT DEVELOPMENT HIGHLIGHTS**, Development Services Director Dalquest provided a brief update on the current Development Highlights as prepared by the Planning Division and answered questions from the Committee Members. Contract Housing Programs Coordinator Arellano provided an update on the business assistance efforts to The Galley Fish Grill and Pro-Five Brewery in downtown, in relation to the Commercial Rehabilitation and the Business Attraction and Assistance Programs.
- 3) **COMMERCIAL REHABILITATION PROGRAM UPDATE**, Development Services Director Dalquest introduced Contract Housing Programs Coordinator Arellano who presented a brief update on the Commercial Rehabilitation Program Historic Downtown Façade Revitalization Grant. A total of 11 grants for new and existing downtown businesses have been approved for the program with a total funding amount of \$285,000.
- 4) **BUSINESS ATTRACTION AND ASSISTANCE PROGRAM UPDATE**, Contract Housing Programs Coordinator Arellano presented an update on the Business Attraction and Assistance Program. There are 5 downtown businesses that were approved for a forgivable loan, with a total funding amount of \$200,000.
- 5) **UPLAND SMALL BUSINESS SUPPORT: RENT RECOVERY PROGRAM**, Contract Housing Programs Coordinator Arellano provided a brief presentation on the status of the program. There are a total of 30 businesses Citywide that will be assisted as part of the program.

The meeting adjourned at 4:55 p.m.