

**CITY OF HANCOCK
DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
MINUTES OF JANUARY 9, 2023**

Regular Meeting:

Call to order: Chairperson Jon Luse at 6:00 p.m.
Present: Patchin, Blau, Lahti, Luse, Zutter, Diebel, Frantti
Quorum present
Absent: LaBine, Heinonen

Motion by Member Diebel and supported by Member Patchin to approve the agenda as presented as presented.

Yes: All
No: None
Motion Carried

Motion by Member Diebel and supported by Member Blau to approve the minutes 12-5-2022.

Yes: All
No: None
Motion Carried

Public Comment- Allyson Jabusch-quoted Elise Nelson-appreciates your support

Updates/Information

- Heikinpaiva-2023 Schedule
- Match On Main-reviewed program fact sheet

New Business

- a. Motion by Member Zutter and supported by Member Frantti to approve the Hancock Beautification Committee requests in the amount of \$1,734.96.

Yes: All
No: None
Motion Carried.

Old Business

- a. DDA Coordinator Candidates
 - Candidate Todd Gast, Dollar Bay, MI was interviewed by the DDA. Chairman Luse asked Todd a series of prepared questions.

- Candidate Cathy Lucchesi-Gedda, Pine Street, Hancock, MI was interviewed by the DDA. Chairman Luse asked Cathy a series of prepared questions.

Upon closing the interviews discussion ensued pertaining to each interviewed candidate.

Motion by Member Blau and supported by Member Zutter to Mary, City Manager, the decision making power as to which candidate to hire.

Motion withdrawn

Motion by Member Diebel and supported by Member Frantti to support the hiring of Todd Gast.

Yes: All

No: None

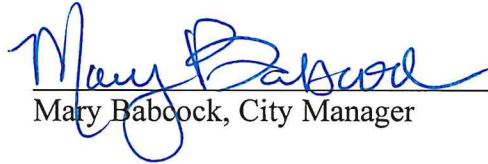
Motion Carried

Motion by Member Blau and supported by Member Zutter to adjourn the meeting at 7:22p.m.

Yes: All

No: None

Motion Carried



Mary Babcock, City Manager