

CITY OF VENTURA
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

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**REGULAR MEETING
TUESDAY, MAY 5, 2020 at 2:00 P.M.**

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR'S EXECUTIVE STAY AT HOME ORDER AND THE COUNTY OF VENTURA HEALTH OFFICER DECLARED LOCAL HEALTH EMERGENCY AND BE WELL AT HOME ORDER RESULTING FROM THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19), CITY HALL IS CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC. TO FIND OUT HOW YOU MAY ELECTRONICALLY ATTEND THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING AND PROVIDE PUBLIC COMMENT PLEASE REFER TO PAGE 2 OF THIS AGENDA.

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4. When watching the live stream or WebEx meeting, submit a Public Comment for items not on the day's agenda or comments on a specific agenda item as it is being heard, submit your comment using this form <https://www.cityofventura.ca.gov/1829/City-Council-Meeting-Electronic-Comment-> or send an email to cglenn@cityofventura.ca.gov (up to 1000 characters). Every effort will be made to read your comment into the record, but some comments may not be read due to time limitations. All comments received by the conclusion of the agenda item will be made part of the record.



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ROLL CALL

PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS (Refer to Page 1 of the Agenda on how to submit your Public Comments electronically).

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

1. Minutes

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve the Action Minutes from March 3, 2020

2. Economic Development Strategy

ACTION: Pivot to COVID-19 Recovery: City staff will continue the efforts in developing the Economic Development Strategy

3. Establish the Role of the Economic Development Committee for COVID Business Recovery

ACTION: The Economic Development Committee to provide essential policy considerations to City Council to aid in the recovery, reopening and resiliency efforts for COVID-19 impacts to business.

COMMITTEE AND STAFF COMMUNICATIONS

- COVID Impact Survey Results and Findings
- Opening Businesses Responsibly
 - Brainstorming and Idea Gathering

The next regularly scheduled meeting is June 2, 2020.

ADJOURNMENT