

CITY OF VENTURA

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SUBCOMMITTEE

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**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2023
REGULAR MEETING – 3:30 P.M.**

**SANTA CRUZ CONFERENCE ROOM – CITY HALL
501 POLI STREET, ROOM 223, VENTURA**

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CALL TO ORDER – 3:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL

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FORMAL ITEMS: *The public may comment on each item listed on the agenda for Formal Items as the item is taken up. Formal Items may be reordered at the discretion of the Chair. The public may speak up to three (3) minutes on each agenda item.*

1. [Approval of Committee Minutes for July 18, 2023](#)

RECOMMENDATION

Approve the minutes for the July 18, 2023 meeting.

INFORMATION ITEMS: *The public may comment on each item listed on the agenda for Information Items as the item is taken up. Information Items may be reordered at the discretion of the Chair. The public may speak up to three (3) minutes on each agenda item. No formal action will be taken on Information Items.*

2. [Economic Development Strategy Update](#)

RECOMMENDATION

Receive the Ventura Vibrant Vision – A Five-Year Economic Development Strategy draft report and offer final feedback.

ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE AND STAFF COMMUNICATIONS

ADJOURNMENT

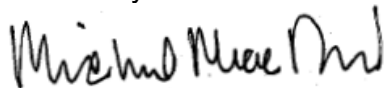
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Resource Items for the Public:

- [City Council Protocols](#) which include Rules of Decorum for the Public
- [City Council Goals](#)
- [Budget Principles](#)
- [City Charter](#)

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Michael B. MacDonald, CMC  
City Clerk