

MINUTES
MONTEREY PARK ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COMMISSION
Regular Meeting
January 28, 2025

The Economic Development Advisory Commission of the City of Monterey Park held a Regular Meeting of the Commission at City Hall Community Room #102, located at 320 W. Newmark Avenue in the City of Monterey Park, on Tuesday, January 28, 2025, at 7:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER:

Commissioner Newman called the meeting to order at 7:15 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

Economic Development Manager Joseph Torres called roll:

PRESENT: Amy Newman, and Julio Garcia

ABSENT: Dora Leung, and Billy Yeung

ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

1. **PRESENTATION**

1-A. Monterey Park Business Alliance (MPBA) and the Thrive in 2025! Monterey Park Small Business Expo & Networking Event

2. **CONSENT CALENDAR**

2-A. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

It is recommended that the Economic Development Advisory Commission consider: Approving the Minutes of the March 26, 2024, Regular Meeting; and taking such additional, related action that may be desirable.

3. **PUBLIC HEARING**

4. **OLD BUSINESS**

4-A. Economic Development Strategic Plan (EDSP) Update

5. **NEW BUSINESS**

5-A. **ELECTION OF BIDAC CHAIRPERSON**

It is recommended that the Economic Development Advisory Commission consider:

- (1) Conducting an election for a chairperson from its membership for a one-year term due to the seat vacated by the previous chairperson; and
- (2) Taking such additional, related action that may be desirable.

5-B. EDAC MEETING TIME CHANGE

It is recommended that the Economic Development Advisory Commission consider:

- (1) Changing its regular and special meeting 7:00 pm start time to 5:00 pm or earlier to potentially increase participation and convenience; and
- (2) Taking such additional, related action that may be desirable.

6. COMMISSION COMMUNICATION

7. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURN

Due to the lack of quorum, the meeting was adjourned by Commissioner Newman at 7:15 p.m.



Joseph Torres
Economic Development Manager