

JOINT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & TOURISM AND SPECIAL CALLED COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING  
TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2022  
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
CONFERENCE ROOMS D&E

## MINUTES

COUNCILOR HUNTER WILLIAMS, CHAIR  
COUNCILORS J. T. MOORE AND DARRELL O'QUINN, COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Councilor(s) Present: Williams, Moore, O'Quinn

1. **Call to Order**  
The meeting was called to order by the Committee Chair, Councilor Williams.
2. **Approval of the Minutes**  
**Action Taken:**  
**Councilor O'Quinn Motioned to Approve.**  
**Councilor Moore Seconded the Motion.**  
**The April 12, 2022 Joint Economic Development & Tourism and Special Called Committee of the Whole Meeting Minutes were Approved as Recorded.**
3. **BOLD Grantees Mid-point Check-ins**
  - a. **Women's Foundation of Alabama – Elizabeth Hubbard, Development Associate; Paige Jordan, BOLD Partner and Director Development at East Lake Initiative**  
**Action Taken:**  
**Elizabeth Hubbard & Paige Jordan presented an updated to the Committee.**  
**No Action –Information Only**
  - b. **Rebirth Christian Fellowship - Doug Taylor, Pastor**  
**Action Taken:**  
**Doug Taylor presented an updated to the Committee with PowerPoint presentation.**  
**No Action –Information Only**
  - c. **Urban Impact –Ivan Holloway, Executive Director; Courtney Craig, Program Manager**  
**Action Taken:**  
**Ivan Holloway and Carla Youngblood presented an update to the Committee.**  
**No Action – Information Only.**
  - d. **Community Care Development Network – Tamika Holmes, Founder and Executive Director; Carrie Humphries, Life Services Administrator, Kortni Sheffield, Career Coach**  
**Action Taken:**  
**Tamika Holmes and Kortni Sheffield presented an update to the Committee with a Power Point Presentation.**  
**No Action – Information Only.**
  - e. **Ed Farm- LaToria Foy, Workforce Coordinator**  
**Submitted by: Rachel Buchan**  
**Action Taken:**  
**LaToria Foy presented an update to the Committee with a Power Point Presentation.**  
**No Action – Information Only.**

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4. **Freedom 1957, LLC**

- a. A Redevelopment Agreement with **Freedom 1957, LLC**, under which Freedom 1957 will undertake a project to repurpose the former McCoy Center/Church Building located at 700 & 730 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue West, Birmingham, and a vacant lot located at 619 8<sup>th</sup> Street West, Birmingham, for private and non-profit office space and other venues, and the City has agreed to make the property available to Freedom 1957 at a use value of \$600,000 in support of the project.

**Submitted by: Janice Douthard**

**Action Taken:**

**Councilor O'Quinn Motioned to Approve.**

**Councilor Moore Seconded the Motion.**

**Item Recommended to the City Council Consent Agenda.**

5. **Industrial Development Board Reappointments**

- a. Kirk Atkinson

- b. David Perry

**Action Taken:**

**Councilor O'Quinn Motioned to Approve.**

**Councilor Moore Seconded the Motion.**

**Kirk Atkinson and David Perry Recommended to the City Council Consent Agenda for Industrial Development Board Reappointments.**

6. **Adjournment**

**Councilor O'Quinn Motioned to Adjourn.**

**Councilor Moore Seconded the Motion.**

**The Meeting was Adjourned.**