

Regular Meeting
Town of Vernon Economic Development Commission
Wednesday, May 8th, 2013 at 7:30 A.M.
Vernon Town Hall, 3rd Floor, 14 Park Place
Rockville/Vernon, CT

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Agenda

- A. Call to Order
2. Public Forum
3. Approval of Minutes from meeting on April 10th, 2013.
4. Administrative Items
 - A. Communications and Correspondence
5. Economic Development Status Update
 - A. Current Projects
 - 200 West Main St.
 - Loom City Lofts and Talcott Brothers Mill
 - Kelly Rd Hotel
 - OPM- State POCD
 - Branding- On the Move.
6. New Business
 - A. Community Outreach/ Events
 - a. Economic Development Showcase- Broker/ Developer/ Business- **October 9th 2013 (after the regularly scheduled Meeting)**
 - b. Job Fair (Jim Sendrak and Peggy Jackle) first meeting was on 4-9-13. A June educational session is being planned, and a fall Job Fair is still being planned.
 - c. University Outreach – Met with a UConn Incubation business on 5-1-13 (outreach will take time but benefits are already showing)
 - B. Three year Plan discussion-
 - a. Timeline
 - b. Goals
 - c. Next Steps

7. Old Business

A. POCD Implementation objectives

- RDA/ Investing in Rockville/ Facades and design of Rockville. (**Bill Breslau, Jim Sendrak, Peter Olson**)
- Branding (**Jeffrey Cohen, Bill McGurk, Bruce Kellogg, Jill Merriam**) -
- Enhance Gateways (**Bruce Kellogg, Dan Kennedy**)
- Talcottville Mill (**Commission**)
- Development of exit 66 and 67 (**Entire Commission**)
- Retention and Business Development (**Entire Commission**)
- Parking Needs (**Jim Sendrak, Peter Olson, Bill Breslau**)

8. Adjournment

Jeffrey Cohen, Chairman