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AGGIEVILLE BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT
ADVISORY BOARD
Bluestem Bistro
September 4, 2014
10:00 AM

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mark Skochdople, Steve Levin, Kevin Peirce and Jeff Koenig

MEMBERS ABSENT: Krista Bramhall, and Megan Curtin

STAFF PRESENT: Karen Davis, Director of Community Development

Approve the minutes of the meeting of July 11, 2014. Approved as submitted.

Follow-up on 2015 fees and budget implementation. Davis indicated the ABID ordinance would be considered by the City Commission on October 7, 2014 and the Board Chair should be present. Items to be addressed will also include expansion of the Board membership into seven persons and the issue of possible changes to discourage businesses from creating large spaces that combine square footage for business purposes.

Discuss 2016 ABID fees.

Members discussed options to revise 2016 ABID fees, indicating issues of equity. Members agreed the calculation of fees could be made more simple and equitable so it is easier to understand. Discussion also included relooking at the types of activities the District funds to make for the most efficient use of dollars. Members asked Davis to check with other BID organizations in Kansas to determine their fees. Koenig indicated he had presented some options for billing that had been previously presented to the Board. If members have other options, they should provide those to Davis so they can be forwarded to the Board for its next meeting.

Set date of next meeting. October 14th or 16th, at 3:00pm, were identified as options for the next meeting. Davis will poll the membership to determine the best date and time.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Davis, AICP
Director of Community Development

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