

Economic Development Committee
8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m., Thursday, October 25, 2012
Meeting Minutes

Present: Todd Baright, Amanda Bodian, Kate Karakassis, Chris Klose, Ken Migliorelli, Harry Colgan (*ex officio*), members; Ed Blundell (Mayor of Red Hook), Brent Kovalchik (Deputy Mayor of Red Hook), Kim Gomez (Red Hook Area Chamber of Commerce);

Not Present: Dan Budd, Beth Jones, Laura Pensiero, George Verrilli, members; Juliet Harrison (Red Hook CAN); Johanna Bard (Red Hook Area Chamber of Commerce), Rich Biezynski (Red Hook Ag & Open Spaces Committee).

Call to Order: Chris Klose, chair, called the meeting to order when a quorum was present at 8:33 a.m.

Minutes: On a motion by Mr. Budd and a second by Ms. Bodian, the committee unanimously approved the Minutes of Thursday, October 11, 2012.

Old Business:

1. Survey of Red Hook Businesses – The Committee approved wording for the final questionnaire (attached to these Minutes). The following members volunteered to conduct the survey, finishing by November 30:
 - Ken Migliorelli and Harry Colgan – Farmers and Tivoli
 - Amanda Bodian – Milan and Rock City
 - Ed Blundell, Brent Kovalchik, Kim Gomez and Chris Klose – Red Hook village and Elizabeth Street/Firehouse Lane
 - Todd Baright – Hardscrabble Plaza and east side of Rt. 9, up to Hoffman's
 - Kate Karakassis – Upper Red Hook

Next Meeting: Thursday, November 8, 2012 at the Red Hook Village Hall.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 9:04 a.m.

Respectfully submitted: Christopher Klose, Secretary