

Economic Development Commission (JDPEDC) Minutes of Meeting

Wednesday, May 8, 2024, at 12 Noon, First Guaranty Bank

The regular meeting of the Jeff Davis Economic Development Commission was called to order, and the following attendance was noted.

Name	Standing for	Present	Absent
Creed Romano, CEO/President	Jeff Davis Economic Development	X	
Mike Heinen	J.D. Tourist Commission	X	
Beau Hearod	Jennings	X	
Shane Fontenot	Jennings	X	
Judy Petry	JD Tourist Commission		X
Ronnie Petree, Chairman	Welsh	X	
Carter Prejean	Jennings	X	
Marilyn Watkins	JD Tourist Commission	X	
Rick Arceneaux	Attorney	X	
Greg Marcantel	CPA		X
Mayor Henry Guinn, Advisory	City of Jennings	X	
Senator Jerry Theunissen	EDC Advisory Board	X	
Tony Hulsey	EDC Advisory Board	X	
Jim Wright	EDC Advisory Board		X
Alex Guillory, Guest	Blue Wing Engineering	X	
Zach Hager, Guest	Entergy	X	
Megan Duhon	One Acadiana	X	
Randy Whetstine, Facilitator	Jeff Davis Economic Development	X	
Linda Leblanc	Jeff Davis Economic Development	X	
Macey Guidry	Jeff Davis Economic Development	X	

Call to Order: Chairman Ronnie Petree called the meeting to order.

Prayer and Pledge: Mike Heinen led the prayer, and Carter Prejean led the pledge of allegiance.

Approval of Agenda: Mike Heinen made a motion, seconded by Beau Hearod, and it passed unanimously.

Approval of Minutes: The April 10, 2024, minutes were presented. Mike Heinen moved to accept the minutes as presented, seconded by Dr. Shane Fontenot, and passed unanimously.

Approval of Financials: Creed Romano presented the financials. Marilyn Watkins moved to accept the budget as presented, seconded by Dr. Shane Fontenot, and passed unanimously.