



Community Economic Development Advisory Board

2025 Annual Report to City Commission

Pursuant to City Administrative Code Section 4-4 Reports, all boards shall provide a verbal or written report to the City Commission including the previous year's activities and goals for the upcoming year. The following was approved by the Community Economic Development Advisory Board to forward to Commission.

Community Economic Development Advisory Board **accomplishments for 2025 include:**

- **Discussion and recommended approval to the City Commission to extend operational hours for select commercial businesses in Corridor Transitional (CT) and Corridor (COR) Districts.**
- **Discussion and recommended approval to the City Commission to review City Code, Chapter 6 – Alcoholic Beverages, Sec 6.4 – Sales Near Churches or Schools.**
- **Discussion and recommended approval to the City Commission to adopt the proposed ordinance as presented, amending Chapter 58.**
- **Completed Annual Sunshine Training.**
- **Discussion and motion made to elect Chair Burroughs as Chair.**
- **Discussion and motion made to elect Board Member Holland as Vice Chair.**

The Board ended 2025 with 10 members. 4 members were newly appointed in 2025.

The Board goals for 2026 include:

- **Make recommendations on any updates to the city's business and economic development strategic plan with long-term goals and objectives.**
- **Provide recommendations on any city commission short-term action plans and measurements.**
- **Make recommendations on resources allocated for economic development activity of the city.**
- **Provide recommendations on policies and ordinances affecting economic development.**