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EDC Goals:
To assist in the establishment of new business in Stonington; finding business locations; State of Connecticut and local assistance and incentives; introductions to area officials and business leaders; and area statistics and information.

AMENDED AGENDA

Regular Meeting
Wednesday, April 19, 2017
7:00 P.M.

Human Services Building
 166 South Broad Street, Pawcatuck, CT

1. Call to order: 7:00 p.m.
2. Approval of prior Minutes: March 15, 2017
3. Comments from the Public.
4. Comments from Planning Department.
5. Old Business:
 - Economic Clusters:
 - Reconcile businesses on Grand List by Cluster.
 - Status Reports – accomplishments since last meeting and next steps – by cluster leaders (5 minutes each) framework (POCD 10.2.11, 10.4.2).
 - Agriculture / Aquaculture (Ward, Danielle)
 - Marinas (Kevin, Virginia)
 - Manufacturing (Pete, Ed)
 - Retail (Suzanne)
 - Lodging (Virginia)
 - Attractions / Culture / Heritage (Tourism) (Joel, Mark)
 - Report out: Tourism Forecast Breakfast (Dave, Suzanne, Rich)
 - Restaurant / Entertainment / Events (Kevin, Danielle)
 - Eldercare (Dave)
 - Real Estate (Residential, Commercial) (Rich)
 - Other Old Business
 - Signage, especially in support of Tourism at Mystic Gateway
6. New Business:
 - Develop time-phased project plan for completing POCD tasks 10.2.11 and 10.4.2
 - Review PV5 Economic Impact Analysis. (POCD 8.1.5, 8.3.2, 10.2.4, supports 10.2.5)
 - Parking in Downtown Pawcatuck.

- **Develop a Community Planning Forum** series where we bring in thought leaders to talk about “emerging” issues. ***Expected Outcome:*** brainstorm list of forum ideas, prioritize and time-phase

7. **Adjournment.**

Dave Hammond, Chairman
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