

## Town of Stonington **Economic Development Commission**

152 Elm Street Stonington, Connecticut 06378

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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.

FINAL MINUTES
Special Meeting
Wednesday, March 6, 2019
Stonington Town Hall

152 Elm Street, Stonington, CT

Attending: EDC: Rich Balestracci, Dave Hammond, Kevin Bowdler, Jim Lathrop; Department of Planning: Jason Vincent.

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m.

The Targeted Community Investment discussion was continued, specifically to plan a presentation to Town Officials and the business community with regards to the state of the economy and how the Tax Increment Financing tool could be used to attract investment:

- a. Schedule a Community Form for April 23, 25, or 30 pending availability of Courtney Hendrickson (CERC) for keynote address, and venue.
- b. Prepare Targeted Community Investment presentation.
- c. Schedule a review meeting end-March to review draft presentation materials and schedule courtesy preview meetings with Town officials.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dave Hammond, Chairman Economic Development Commission

David Hammond, Chairman Approved March 20, 2019