



**The City of Lee's Summit**  
**Action Letter - Draft**  
**Community and Economic Development Committee**

Wednesday, April 14, 2021

4:00 PM

Via Video Conference  
and

City Council Chambers - City Hall  
220 SE Green Street  
Lee's Summit, MO 64063

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Notice is hereby given that the Community and Economic Development Committee of the City of Lee's Summit will meet on Wednesday, April 14, 2021 at 4:00 pm in person and by video conference as provided by Section 610.015 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Missouri. Due to the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic, public attendance in the meeting room at City Hall is extremely limited, and therefore the public is invited to attend the meeting by one of these methods: Therefore the public is invited to attend the meeting by one of these methods:

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- By leaving a voicemail at 816-969-1005 or
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**1. Call to Order**

Chairperson Forte called the April 14, 2021 Community and Economic Development Committee meeting to order at 4:05 p.m.

**2. Roll Call**

**Present:** 5 - Chairperson Diane Forte  
Vice Chair Fred DeMoro  
Councilmember Hillary Shields  
Councilmember Beto Lopez  
Planning Commissioner Donnie Funk

**3. Approval of Agenda**

Vice Chair DeMoro made a motion to approve the April 14, 2021 Community and Economic Development Committee agenda as presented, seconded by Councilmember Shields.

**The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.**

**4. Public Comments**

There were no public comments.

**5. Business**

- A. [2021-4036](#) Approval of the March 10, 2021 Community and Economic Development Action Letter.

Councilmember Shields made a motion to approve the March 10, 2021 Community and Economic Development Committee action letter, seconded by Vice Chair DeMoro.

**The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.**

- B. **TMP-1892** An Ordinance adopting new standards associated with beekeeping.
- Josh Johnson, Assist. Dir. of Development Services, and Rodney Wagner, Animal Control Manager, updated the Committee on the beekeeping public meeting held on April 5, 2021 via zoom stating they had very positive responses from the public. Mr. Wagner presented the draft ordinance for the Committee's review. He added the timing of the ordinance is important because people typically purchase bees in the spring to allow time for the bee colonies to become established before winter.

**Vice Chair DeMoro made a motion to send to City Council for approval TMP-1892 ordinance adopting new standards associated with beekeeping after amending the language to include "solid" fence and adding the license requirements, seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Lopez.**

**A voice vote has taken and the motion passed unanimously.**

- C. [2021-4081](#) Presentation/Discussion - Overview of Roles and Responsibilities of stakeholders involved in development projects

**This Discussion Item was received and filed.**

**6. Roundtable**

There was no roundtable discussion.

**7. Adjournment**

There being no further business, Chairperson Forte adjourned the meeting at 4:58 p.m.

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