



MEDA – Annual Conference - Business Meeting Minutes

Inclusivity & Resilience Amid the Pandemic – A focus for Economic & Community Development

September 21, 2020 - 9:30 AM

Online via Zoom

The meeting was called to order by MEDA Board President Heather Gramm at 9:30AM. Heather thanked everyone for attending the MEDA Annual Conference – Inclusivity & Resilience Amid the Pandemic – A Focus for Economic & Community Development virtually. She also thanked the event sponsors which allowed this conference to happen virtually. Heather also recognized Danny Thompson, Vice President of MEDA and the program committee members who assisted in preparing the event agenda and panelist. Heather also reminded everyone that this years Annual Conference will be broken down into 2 days – Monday and Tuesday

Heather reminded everyone to keep checking MEDA’s website for upcoming events.

Minutes:

Heather invited MEDA Secretary Richard Griffin to present the minutes of the July 29, 2020 business meeting for approval. Richard presented the minutes and asked for approval from the members. There was a motion by Renee Winsky and second by Merry Mears, and the minutes were unanimously approved using the online poll. Richard thanked the attendees for their approval.

Membership:

Membership co-chair Renee Winsky submitted 19 names of new and returning members for consideration for membership in MEDA. With those new members, MEDA is now at 460 members. Renee asked for approval from the members. A motion was made by Tammi Thomas and a second was made by Cynthia Stewart Rivarde. All new members were approved unanimously using the online poll. Renee thanked the attendees for the approval and welcomed the new members.

The business meeting was adjourned at 9:45 AM