# Devon SSA #43 Commission Meeting

Monday, October 26, 3 pm

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# **M**INUTES

Commissioners Present: Pete Valavanis, Irshad Khan, Maura Levitt,

Mohammed Junaid, Jay Shewakramani

Commissioners Absent: Avi Bereliani, Rebeca Vasquez

Others Present: Cindy Plante, RPBA

### I. Call to Order

Meeting called to order at 3:10pm

#### II. Public comment

There was no public comment.

### III. Approval of minutes from the 9/21/2020 & 10/1/2020 meetings

Pete moved approval; Maura seconded APPROVED

#### IV. BIP application for Atlantic Express at 2551 W. Devon

Cindy presented the application for BIP funding via screenshare including drawings and estimates. The applicant is seeking funding approval for a lit channel sign.

Maura moved approval of funding at 50%, Pete seconded. APPROVED 5-0

Pete asked about how these types of requests are different from the Music House's request for funding for their mural, which was voted down.

Irshad said that they had been requesting 100% rather than the usual 50%, and had been asked to mention Devon in some way, which they didn't want to do. If it was just advertising for the one business it would have been eligible for 50%. A request for security camera funding was also rejected because they were asking for funding for monthly maintenance which isn't eligible.

Pete asked that the distinction be made more clear moving forward.

#### V. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 3:23pm

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Next meeting: Monday, November 16, 2020; 2:30pm, Zoom