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Brookline Economic Development Advisory Committee

Economic Development meeting Tuesday, August 23, 2016 – 6:00 pm

Present: Tad Putney, Valerie Rearick, Ron Pelletier, Steve Russo, and Eric Bernstein

Update on New Businesses

Dunkin' Donut construction site has started and should be opening by the end of the year. Stephens-Marquis is the general contractor.

The Alamo could be open in two months or so.

New site plan on lot K-23-3, 63 Route 13 is proposing 4 self-storage buildings

Economic Revitalization Zone (ERZ)

The State approved the 5 zones and Tad has prepared a letter that will be sent to all business and land owners located in the zones - A total of 45 parcels.

Additional economic development incentives are being pursued and will require the approval of town voters. A warrant article will be prepared for March Town Meeting.

Update on Bridal Show

The event has been booked since early July. Discussed details about organization / set up, music during the event. Ads will be prepared and printed in local newspapers.

Newsletter

New "Jobs & Careers" section will announce job openings in Brookline. The newsletter is being finalized and will be distributed early September.

Distinguished Site Award

As previously discussed, this would be a great new event. Late spring seems to be the best time and will give enough time to advertise it after fall and winter events are over.

Other Items

RMMS is thinking about organizing a Winter Carnival. This could possibly be the same weekend as the fishing derby and the cook-off.

Meeting adjourned at 7:10 pm

Next Meeting

Tuesday, September 27th, 2016 – 6:00 pm - Conference room, Town Hall.