

## **STAFF REPORT**

MEETING DATE: April 17, 2023

**TITLE:** Discussion and possible action on the existing BEDC policy in Resolution No. R-2022-26 approved by the City on February 8, 2022, related to metrics and industry gap analysis.

**AGENDA ITEM SUBMITTED BY:** Sylvia Carrillo, City Manager & Interim Director of the Bastrop Economic Development Corporation (BEDC)

**BACKGROUND/HISTORY:** In 2022, the City and BEDC approved a policy by which the BEDC would operate.

Proposed amendments to the policy (enumerated to match the policy for reference) include:

- 3: BEDC Performance
  - a. Recommended Sectors: Based on the industry analysis, what should those be?
  - b. The film and entertainment industry is listed as a priority. Should it remain so?
- 4. Strategic Plan
  - a. Should be informed by the industry analysis
  - b. An annual business plan has not been provided
    - c. A proforma or other financials have not been provided to the board for determination.
- 5. Metrics
  - a. What does success look like?
  - b. Metrics for the organization, and each project in the performance agreement.
- 6. Coordination
  - a. Discussion on the matrix of responsibility and a good handoff for success.
- 7. Accountability
  - a. Should be labeled Coordination; ensuring all parties are involved and understand the issues before all of the taxing entities.
- 8. Administration
  - a. There is a need to further refine the application to show what the propect is really requesting from all entities.
- 9. Administrative support services:
  - a. Further outlined in the responsibility matrix.

FISCAL IMPACT: None.

**RECOMMENDATION:** None

ATTACHMENTS: Resolution R-2022-26