



SPECIAL MEETING: DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (DDA)

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 03, 2025 – 5:00 PM

CHAMBER OF BUCHANAN CITY HALL - 302 N REDBUD TRAIL, BUCHANAN MI

MINUTES

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Vice-Chair Joseph Williams at 5:00 PM.

II. Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

III. Roll Call

PRESENT: Vice-Chair Joseph Williams, Treasurer Fran Terry, Sidney Finan (5:06 PM), Michael Reed, Julie Capron

ABSENT: Mayor Mark Weedon

CITY STAFF: City Manager, Tony McGhee & City Clerk, Kalla Langston-Weiss

IV. Public Comments - Agenda Items Only *(3-minute limit)*

None.

V. New Business

A. Interviews

- 1) Haley Jones (5:00 pm)
- 2) Michelle Fletcher (5:15 pm)
- 3) Dion Bouzas (5:30 pm)
- 4) Libby Hein (5:45 pm)
- 5) Tracy Mast (6:00 pm)
- 6) John Wregglesworth (6:15 pm)
- 7) Caren Furdeck (6:30 pm)

The members of the DDA engaged in thoughtful discussions with each interviewee, posing a variety of questions to gather insights. Upon concluding the interviews, the DDA carefully considered the candidates and recommended four individuals to the Mayor for consideration for the City Commission: Haley Jones, Libby Hein, Michelle Fletcher, and Tracy Mast.

VI. Public Comment - Non-Agenda Items Only *(3-minute limit)*

None.

VII. Staff/Committee Comments

VIII. Adjournment

Williams adjourned the meeting at 6:58 PM.