

# CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE DOWNTOWN ADVISORY BOARD ECONOMIC VITALITY TEAM



Downtown Program Office | 125 Fifth Avenue West, Suite 200 | Hendersonville NC 28792 Tuesday, September 05, 2023 – 4:00 PM

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# MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER – In attendance: Caroline, Jerry, Phil, John, Nancy

## 2. OLD BUSINESS

1. Parking Updates / Discussion -

The team discussed if there has been any improvements since the changes were made in July. In general it seems that sales are down but less complaints on parking – generally it is the adverse reaction to change.

The team then discussed any recommendations for January – February and potentially March to provide some off-season relief:

- a) free parking on certain days of week
- b) reducing hours per day for parking

The committee was more in favor of reducing hours per day. They also requested further data to better determine if there is a difference between types of customers – local vs visitors, times of day, etc. The committee does not want to suggest any further parking changes until a complete year of parking data / collections, not counting March/April 2023 on those numbers.

### 3. OTHER BUSINESS

Jerry suggested improvements to the back side of the buildings in the alley in between the parking garage with the newly activated space / seating area.

### 4. ADJOURNMENT

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