# City of Southgate **Downtown Development Authority**

Regular Meeting May 18th, 2023

A regular meeting of the Downtown Development Authority was held on May 18, 2023, at City Hall, 14440 Dix-Toledo Highway, Southgate, MI in the Mayor's Office

**MEMBERS PRESENT**: Joseph Kuspa, Bruce Genthe, Lauren Moser, Mohammad Aborabboh, Jeff Taylor

MEMBERS ABSENT AND EXCUSED: Wally Kleit, Brian Batko, Ron Moran, Alex Leonard

STAFF: Assistant City Administrator Doug Drysdale

**GUESTS:** Greg Kowalsky (City Council Liaison)

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Kuspa at 12:20 PM

## Reports:

a) Minutes – April 20, 2023 Regular Meeting

It was moved by Genthe, supported by Moser, to approve the meeting minutes of May 18th, 2023 as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

### **New Business:**

# a) Art Banner Cost

Kaylee Mondrella presented a quote from Display Sales for replacement of the Student Art Banners in the park for 2023.

It was moved by Aborabboh, supported by Genthe, to approve the spending of up to \$4257 for the replacement of the Art Banners in Market Center Park for the 2023 season.

# b) Laser Show Cost

Kaylee Mondrella presented a quote from Laser Encore for \$7500 to host a 20 minute laser show in Market Center Park on June 17<sup>th</sup> during the Heritage Days Festival.

It was moved by Aborabboh, supported by Genthe, to approve the spending of up to \$4000 for the first annual Heritage Days Laser Show.

### ADJOURNMENT:

It was moved by Aborabboh supported by Genthe to adjourn the meeting at 1:00pm. Motion carried unanimously