

## **Economic Development Corporation**

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

## CITY OF FLINT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION MEETING

On Tuesday, March 10, 2020, Governor Gretchen Whitmer declared a State of Emergency after two individuals were confirmed testing presumptively positive for COVID-19. On Thursday, March 12, 2020, Mayor Sheldon A. Neeley declared a local State of Emergency to exist in the City of Flint as a result of the threat of COVID-19. On Sunday, March 15, 2020, effective March 17, 2020, Mayor Neeley, based on the COVID-19 public health threat, closed City Hall to the public. Residents were asked to take precautionary measures. On March 22, 2020, Mayor Neeley, asked residents to participate in a voluntary shelter in place. On March 23, 2020, the City Council approved the continuation of the declaration of a local State of Emergency.

On June 1, 2020 Governor Whitmer instituted Executive Order 2020-110 (temporary restrictions on certain events, gatherings, and business) in order to reaffirm, clarify and extend the suspension of activities not necessary to sustain or protect life. On June 5, 2020, Governor Whitmer instituted Executive Order 2020-115 amending in part Executive Order 2020-110. The order took immediate effect. On June 18, 2020, Governor Whitmer instituted Executive Order No. 2020-127 (Declaration of State of Emergency and State of Disaster related to the COVID-19 pandemic), which took immediate effect and rescinded EO 2020-99. On Friday, July 29, 2020, Governor Whitmer issued Executive Order 2020-160, Amended Safe Start Order, replacing orders 2020-115, 2020-120, 2020-133 and 2020-143.

On June 18, 2020, Governor Whitmer instituted Executive Order 2020-129 (Temporary authorization of remote participation in public meeting and hearings and temporary relief from monthly meeting requirements for school boards), which extended the duration of remote meetings, and rescinded EO 2020-75. Therefore, in accordance with Governor Whitmer's Executive Order 2020-129 promoting the public health and safety of the state of Michigan and its residents, and allowing for electronic public meetings during this pandemic, the following meeting is scheduled electronically:

City of Flint Economic Development Corporation, Tuesday, October 6, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

- 1. The public and media may listen to the meeting through **Start Meeting Solution** by dialing (617) 829-7076.
- 2. In order to speak during the public speaking period by telephone, you will also call (617) 829-7076:

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- a. The public speaker will be unmuted when it is your time to speak.
- b. The public speaker should state and spell name their name and be allowed 3 minutes for public speaking.
- c. The speaker will be returned to mute after the 3 minutes have expired.
- d. After the telephonic public speakers are completed, then emailed public comments will be read.
- 3. The public may send public comments by email to <a href="mailto:kstephens@cityofflint.com">kstephens@cityofflint.com</a> no later than 10 minutes prior to the meeting start time of 10:00 a.m.
- 4. Persons with disabilities may participate in the meeting by the abovementioned means and by emailing a requesting for an accommodation to <a href="mailto:kstephens@cityofflint.com">kstephens@cityofflint.com</a> with subject line Request for Accommodation or by contacting Khalfani Stephens at 810-237-0297 to request accommodation including but not limited to interpreters.

If there are any questions concerning this notice, please direct them to Economic Development at 810-237-0297.