

Business Advisory Board Minutes ---- August 17,2011

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 PM. A quorum being present the chairman proceeded with the agenda. Present were Brad, Joey, Dan, Omar and Ed.

1. Web site.
  - A. Brad will have Carol send a copy of the BAB's enabling ordinance. We will also post meeting dates.
  - B. Brad will check our authority to have a web site.
  - C. The web site should have a listing of CC businesses. Dan has developed an initial list that can be available.
  - D. Ed Wooley made a motion that we request the city to provide a quarterly update of city businesses. Motion was seconded and all were in favor.
2. Business cards. Dan made a motion to ask the city to provide members with business cards. Omar seconded the motion. All voted in favor.

3. Competition/costs of waste collection re businesses.

There was discussion that the city has a conflict of interest in awarding waste collection contracts that are exclusive and provide for no price or service competition. If lower prices are offered than the city's contractor, then the city will get less revenue. Also members expressed thoughts that competition would provide a wider range of services to choose from.

Ed Wooley made a motion that we request the city to review its contracting process with a view to using non-exclusive permits for waste collection services for businesses. Omar seconded the motion and all voted in favor.

4. Sign ordinances. Brad posed the question of whether there is any thing we can do to improve the visibility of businesses in CC? Dan stated that it is very hard to comprehend the numerous restrictions.

It was the sense of the board that we ask the city to accept permanently the moratorium on fines and prohibitions on small signs in front of businesses. Brad will request a copy of the moratorium.

It being 7:30 PM and no further discussion coming forward the meeting was adjourned.

Ed Wooley, Secretary

The foregoing minutes were approved on Sept 21, 2011, by Bradley X. Hartman, P.A., Chair of the BAB.

Brad Hartman, Chairman