Bloomingdale Economic Development Commission (EDC) Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: 3/23/2023 Time: 7:00pm Location: Zoom

Present:

- John Graziano
- Theresa Merino
- Michele Reynolds
- Liz Weinberg
- Leanne Scaturro
- Lisa Bendel
- Tom Fox

Absent:

- Anne Sundstrom
- Elisa Kolenut
- Jennifer Ellis
- Nadia Hussain

Meeting Discussion:

- February 2023 minutes approved
- Treasurer Report
 - Waiting for budget confirmation for 2023
 - o Only known spending for 2023 so far are the carolers for Holiday Stroll 2023
- Cones With Cops March 19, 2023 11am -1pm
 - Wonderful turn out of Bloomingdale Police department, community leaders and residents
 - Next event has been proposed as a "Cookies with Cops" event held possibly at Magpie Bakery. EDC discussed asking the Fire Department as well
 - Michele Reynolds to reach out to Fire Department Chief to ask about participation
 - o Leanne Scaturro to ask Melanie at Magpie Bakery about possible dates for August 2023
- Bloomingdale Celebration Day Planning Sept. 23, 2023
 - Lisa Bendel has been confirming vendors for the event
 - Mama JoJo Crayons has confirmed their participation
 - o Theresa Merino will be reaching out to additional food contacts

- Michele Reynolds to confirm if tables and chairs can be used from St. Anthonys Church in Butler for the event
- o Shamrock School of Music has confirmed to be musical act for the day
- Main Street Banners
 - Banners are to be hung back up on Main Street for April 1st.
- Ribbon Cuttings
 - Leanne Scaturro reached out to Tastefully British to see if they'd be interested in a ribbon cutting with their new building. Owner said that they are planning a large event for summer once the building is finished. More details to follow.