**Bloomingdale Economic Development Commission (EDC) Meeting Minutes**

**Meeting Date:** 5/23/2024

**Time:** 7:00pm

**Location:** Zoom/Council Chambers

**Present:**

* John Graziano
* Jennifer Ellis
* Michele Reynolds
* Leanne Scaturro
* Casey Morgan
* Matt Redfield
* Nadia Hussain
* Alex Delannoy

**Absent:**

* Elisa Kolenut
* Marisa French
* Theresa Merino

**Meeting Discussion:**

* April 2024 Minutes are approved
* Treasurer Report
  + $2K Budget approved for Economic Development Commission for 2024
* Bloomingdale Celebration Day Planning – 9/21/2024
  + Michele Reynolds to send John Graziano event flier with Bob Kochka awards added
  + Glenwild Garden Center has agreed to decorate the entry way to Delazier at Ballston St.
  + Liana Chetnik from Creative Abilities has sunflower photo cut out for event
  + Leanne Scaturro to help with food vendor permits for health dept.
  + John Graziano to confirm band payment for day of entertainment
* Holiday Stroll 2024 Pre-Plan
  + Michele Reynolds to email Claim to Fame to see they’d like to have dancers participate
  + DJ Nick Salsa to be added to the event.
    - Vote for DJ - $350 expense:
      * Casey – YES
      * Michele – YES
      * Leanne – YES
      * Jen – YES
      * Alex – YES
      * John – YES
      * Matt – YES
      * Nadia - YES
* Welcome to Bloomingdale Signs
  + Michele Reynolds to reach out to Wayne Johnson
  + Jen Ellis to reach out to Glenwild Garden Center
  + Tilcon has paid and will be included on a sign
* Bloomingdale Scavenger Hunt – October 19, 2024
  + Prizes from businesses
  + Business participation
  + Running Google Doc with ideas and information
  + Michele Reynolds to create the Google Form for sign up
* Ribbon Cuttings/ New Businesses
  + A new business has gone into the former Brothers Auto Hunt space. They are a company who creates prosthetic limbs for animals.
    - Jen Ellis to follow up for more information