

DRAFT ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY COMMITTEE MINUTES

SEPTEMBER 19, 2025

Committee Members Present:

- 1. Council Member Fuentes
- 2. Council Member Siegel
- 3. Council Member Harper-Madison- Virtual

Committee Members Absent

- 1. Council Member Qadri
- 2. Council Member Velasquez

Call to Order

Mayor Pro Tem Fuentes called the committee meeting to order at 10:01 a.m.

Approval of Minutes

1. Approve the minutes of the July 18, 2025, Economic Opportunity Committee Meeting.

The minutes were approved on this the 19 day of September on Council Member Siegel's motion, Council Member Harper-Madison's second on a 3-0 vote.

Briefings

2. Briefing update on the Digital Kiosk program intended to provide digital, interactive wayfinding devices on City public rights-of-way.

The committee received a briefing from Anthony Segura, Interim Director - Economic Development Department

3. Briefing update on Infrastructure Academy Workforce Development which provides training to connect local people to careers in construction and operations.

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4. Briefing on the Financial Empowerment Center Model: Review of Citywide Service Assessment.

The committee received a briefing from Dr. Lindsey Wilson - Director of the Office of Equity and Inclusion

5. Briefing on the Creative Reset and Fiscal Year 2026 Grant Funding Guidelines and Process for Thrive, Elevate, Nexus, Live Music Fund, Creative Space Assistance Program, and Heritage Preservation grants.

The committee received a briefing from Angela Means, Director of Arts Culture Music and Entertainment.

Briefing By Memorandum

6. Summer Youth Initiatives Report Out memo dated September 12, 2025.

The committee received a briefing by memorandum from Anthony Segura, Interim Director - Economic Development Department

Identify Future Items

<u>Previously Distributed Memos to Mayor and Council</u>
- Staff update on Art in Public Places Program Review (Resolution No. 20250326-029) memo dated August 7, 2025.

Mayor Pro Tem adjourned the meeting at 11:54 a.m.

