



Marion County Development

MISSION: *The mission of the Marion County Development Commission (MCDC), a department of county government, is to enhance the quality of life and standard of living in Marion County by promoting and developing Marion County as a quality destination to live, work and visit.*

A G E N D A

Tuesday, September 17, 2024, at 7:15 AM

Location: Smokey Row Coffee Co., 111 East Monroe Street, Pleasantville, IA

This is an in-person meeting.

As of July 1, there are some new rules with open meetings regarding requirements for virtual meeting options. We will discuss these at the September meeting to establish a process which complies with the new rules.

1) Call to Order

- Welcome & Introductions
- July Minutes

2) Discussion & Potential Action Items:

- New State Open Meetings Law implications & Procedures
- Annual Planning Meeting in October
- Strategic Plan Roll-out
- Economic Gardening Fee Sponsorship & Grant Assistance
- Iowa Tourism Grant Application
- Pitch Sponsors
- Leadership Red Rock class size
- Other items as needed

3) MCDC Updates

- CONNECT Preview
- Renew Rural Iowa Business Seminar Sponsorship
- BRE Update
- Quarterly Business Pulse Survey
- Partners for Rural America Tour, Sept 12
- GDSMP Update
- Other items as needed

4) Community Updates

5) Adjourn

Annual Planning Retreat: October 15 from 7:15-9 am at Cordova Park Office

Next Regular Meeting: November 5 in Pella

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