MINUTES OF THE DOWNTOWN IMPROVEMENT BOARD

Regular Monthly Meeting Thursday, December 20, 2018, 7:30 a.m.

Attendance:

Chairwoman Deedee Davis, Members Teri Levin, Michael Carro, Charlie Switzer Lissa Dees, Executive Director

Call to Order:

a. Chairwoman Davis called the meeting to order at 7:30 a.m.

Recurring Agenda:

- a. Exec. Dir. Dees confirmed that the meeting was properly noticed.
- b. Motion for approval of the proposed meeting agenda carried unanimously.
- c. Motion for approval of the minutes from the regular meeting of the DIB held November 27, 2018, carried unanimously.

Ongoing Business:

- a. LTU/MOU Loitering letter to Mayor Robinson and City Council approved unanimously.
- b. 403(b) Plan revisions approved unanimously.
- c. Jefferson Street Alley Makeover
 - 1. Member Carro suggested a collaborative and open round-table discussion with the merchants.
 - 2. Member Levin made a motion to move forward conceptually with the plan for Phase 1, incorporating Member Carro's suggestion. Motion seconded by Member Carro and approved unanimously.
- d. StreetPlus Cleaning Ambassador program approved unanimously.
- e. January light turn-off and removal plan
 - 1. The tree will come down the week of January 7th and the lights are scheduled to come down the week of the 14th.

Parking:

- a. Parking Consent Agenda approved unanimously.
- b. Passport transition update
 - 1. Exec. Dir. Dees advised that the transition from Premium to Platform is going very well. Premium's service will end on January 31, 2019. A soft launch to begin using Passport will take place on Friday, February 1, 2019, and the hard launch will follow on Monday.
 - 2. A discussion ensued concerning the need to keep machines in good working order and educate the public about the new program.
 - 3. Ms. Sjoberg advised the Board of IdeaWork's efforts toward accomplishing a smooth transition.

Finance:

- a. Audit presentation
 - 1. Kristen McAllister, audit specialist with Warren Averett, presented the results of the 2018 audit.
- b. Finance Consent Agenda was presented by Exec. Dir. Dees
- c. Treasurer's Report was provided to board members by Ms. Dees
- d. DIB November Financials were approved unanimously.
- e. DPMD November Financials were approved unanimously.

Marketing Report:

a. Caron Sjoberg, of IdeaWorks, presented the December marketing report.

New Business:

- a. Executive Landscaping contract extension
 - 1. Member Switzer made a motion to extend the landscape maintenance contract for Jefferson Street Garage with Jerry Pate Designs for one year.
 - 2. After further discussion, the motion was withdrawn, and the issue was tabled. The contract expires February 2.
- b. Pensalocal Award presented to Quint and Rishy Studer for everything they have done and continue to do in making the city what it has become.

Hold Items:

- a. Downtown Pensacola Alliance pending IRS approval
- b. Parking Interlocal Agreement Modification on hold from November 2018
- c. Interlocal Agreement Plan for 2020 on hold until after meeting with CRA

Public Comment:

Public input was received from Quint Studer and Drew Buchanan.

Adjournment:

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 a.m.