GFDA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES Wednesday, August 16, 2023 8:00 – 9:30 AM

IN PERSON MEETING with Zoom Option

AE2S Engineering The Portage Building 405 3rd Street NW, 2nd floor

Great Falls, MT

Meeting ID: 975 5141 3941

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GFDA Staff Present:

Jake Clark, Brett Doney, Jenn Gallmeier, Tracy Heggem, Lillian Sunwall, Jana Williams

GFDA Executive Committee Members Present:

Joe Briggs, Mark Cappis, Forrest Ehlinger, Rebecca Engum, Dr. Renee Pera, Errol Rice

Guests:

Brad Talcott

Times are approximate and items may be taken out of order. Any Director with a potential conflict of interest on the agenda should state the conflict at the start of the meeting.

- 8:00 1. Consent Agenda Mark Cappis
 - a) Accept excused absences: Janet Fritz, Mark Macek, Casey Schreiner, Len Watkins

ACTION TAKEN: Motion to approve excused absences for 8/16/23 meeting. Motion seconded. None opposed. Motion carries.

b) Approve/disapprove minutes of the 7/19/23 Executive Committee meeting.

ACTION TAKEN: Motion to approve minutes of 7/19/23 Executive Committee meeting. Motion seconded. None opposed. Motion carries.

8:05 2. MFP/Big Sky Cheese Loans – Brett Doney & Jill Kohles

Discuss status and take action as Committee desires.

- 8:10 3. Financials Jana Williams, Brett Doney & Forrest Ehlinger
 - a) Review July financials.
 - b) Approve/disapprove closing bank account used for City CDBG loan fund.

ACTION TAKEN: Motion to approve closing bank account used for City CDBG loan fund. Motion seconded. None opposed. Motion carries.

8:20 4. Loan Portfolio – Rebecca Engum & Jill Kohles

Review loan portfolio status and loan capital availability.

8:30 5. Grant, Loan & Other Applications – Brett Doney

Approve/disapprove grant, loan, and other applications.

• USDA IRP Loan

ACTION TAKEN: Motion to approve USDA IRP Loan application. Motion seconded. None opposed. Motion carries.

8:35 6. Contract Approvals – Brett Doney

Approve/disapprove authorizing President/CEO to execute contract(s).

- APEX Accelerator
- CDFI Equitable Recovery Program
- TrippUmbach Feasibility Study

ACTION TAKEN: Motion to authorize President/CEO to execute the APEX Accelerator, CDFI Equitable Recovery Program and TrippUmbach Feasibility Study contracts. Motion seconded. None opposed. Motion carries.

8:45 7. Investment –Jennifer Gallmeier

Discuss investment status and act on any investor pledge charge-offs.

- 8:50 8. Pipeline Report Jake Clark
- 8:55 9. CEO Report Brett Doney
- 9:00 10. Public Comment Mark Cappis Opportunity for public comment.

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