



**Economic Development  
Committee Minutes  
April 17, 2025 – 9:30 AM**

Present: Darryl Stansfield, Chair  
Lisa Thomson  
Diana Morris  
Savannah Rogers  
Roseann Knechtel, Secretary

Regrets: Kim Lyon

**1.0 Call to Order**

The Chair called the meeting to order at 9:32 a.m.

**2.0 Approval of the Agenda**

**Moved by Thomson and Seconded by Morris**

That the agenda be approved.

**Carried.**

**3.0 Minutes of the Previous Meeting**

**Moved by Rogers and Seconded by Thomson**

That the minutes of March 17, 2025 are approved.

**Carried.**

**4.0 Disclosure of Pecuniary Interests**

Diana Morris declared pecuniary interest to item 5.1.

**5.0 New Business**

**5.1 BEA Nominations**

Diana Morris declared pecuniary interest and left the meeting at 9:38 a.m.

**Moved by Rogers and Seconded by Thomson**

That the Economic Development Committee encourage Mulmur Council to consider sponsoring the Dufferin Board of Trade Business Excellence Awards or consider sending a Mulmur representative to the event on May 29, 2025.

**Carried.**

Diana Morris returned to the meeting at 9:44 a.m.

Member discussed business nominations and directed staff to nominate the following:

- Alex Kozack Gravel Driveways & Concrete – Community Impact
- Mansfield Outdoor Centre – Local Impact Award
- Pine River Café – New Business, Local impact
- Carly Ferris – Businessperson of the Year
- Bruce Trail – Non-profit
- Hill n Dale – Business of the Year
- James Godbold – Business Person of the Year
- Mrs. Mitchells – Small Business
- The Wood Smokeshack – New Business
- Fiddle Foot Farm – Local Impact
- Deans Tree Care – Small Business

## **5.2 2025 Mulmur Spring Market**

Members reviewed registrations to date.

## **5.3 2025 Mulmur Garage Sale**

Members requested staff share the garage sale information on community Facebook groups and through myHoneywood.

## **5.4 2025 Year End Market – December 13 2025 @ MOC**

Members discussed potential themes, vendors and event experiences including:

- Free entry with donation to foodbank
- Invite Mulmur-Melancthon Fire Department to sell trees
- Gift/Holiday Theme
- Sleigh rides
- Hot chocolate/ bon fire
- Cookie decorating
- DIY Santa pictures
- Township to sell mugs and hats

## **5.5 Dufferin Board of Trade Business Survey Results**

Members received the survey results.

## **1. Items For Future Meetings**

- 6.1 **Mulmur 175**
- 6.2 **EDC Breakfast / Business Event**
- 6.3.1 **Honeywood Arena Business / Corporate Fundraising**

7.0 **Adjournment**

**Moved by Rogers and Seconded by Thomson**

That the Economic Development Committee adjourns the meeting at 10:30 a.m. to meet again on May 22, 2025 at 9:30 a.m. or at the call of the Chair.

**Carried.**