

October 26, 2022

Seward Economic Development Program - LB 840 Application Review Board

October 26, 2022 - 5:30 p.m.

Seward Municipal Building, Council Chambers, 142 North 7th Street, Seward, Nebraska

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m., with the following members present: Ellen Beck, Jeremy Tonniges, John Owens, Patricia Johnson, Ann Underwood, Kevin Sagehorn. Absent: Pat Coldiron, Karl Miller. Also in attendance were: City Administrator/Program Administrator Greg Butcher (recording minutes).

1. CONSIDERATION OF SEWARD DOWNTOWN WINDOW POLICY STATEMENT FOR LB 840/DTR GRANTS/LOANS

Butcher explained that many downtown businesses would like to use funds on black and bronze frames. These were approved during the 2018 DTR grant cycle. SHIPO has not been approving them in 2022 cycle.

Johnson noted this is just more regulations and should be limited to the color issue.

Moved by Johnson, seconded by Tonniges, that the policy be approved, with an annual review.

Aye: Beck, Tonniges, Owens, Johnson, Underwood, Sagehorn.

Nay: None

Absent: Coldiron, Miller. Motion carried.

2. MOTION TO ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 5:47 p.m. in a motion by Underwood, seconded by Sagehorn.

Aye: Beck, Tonniges, Owens, Johnson, Underwood, Sagehorn.

Nay: None

Absent: Coldiron, Miller. Motion carried.