

**CITY OF WASHINGTON**  
**COURT HOUSE**  
**Economic Strategies and Cooperation Meeting**  
**August 17, 2020**

The Economic, Strategies and Cooperation Committee met in the City Council Chambers of 105 North Main Street on Monday, August 17, 2020 at 4:00 pm. Ms. Kendra Hernandez presided and those in attendance were Mr. Dale Lynch Council Member, Mr. Steve Shiltz, Council Member, Mr. Jim Blair, Council Member, Mr. Jim Chrisman, Council Chairperson, Mr. Joseph Denen, City Manager and Mr. Mark Pitstick, City Attorney.

1. The Committee reviewed progress with industrial development. The Administration reported the completion of the YUSA Expansion.
2. The Administration advised the Committee of multiple projects. Open projects were reviewed by the Committee.
3. The Committee noted that discussions for downtown events continued including the recent success of the Shop and Feast Shop Hop.
4. The Administration noted that the Chocolate Walk had been rescheduled for October 17<sup>th</sup>.
5. The Committee noted several new businesses and interest within the community and downtown. The Committee noted openings of Calm Massage and Spa, and Platform Coffee. The Committee also noted that new location of Three Birds Boutique.
6. The Committee was advised that work on the murals was progressing.
7. The Committee discussed in length structural issues involving a few downtown buildings within the city. The Committee noted that discussions would continue, no resolution was noted at this time.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ms. Kendra Hernandez, Chairperson, Economic Strategies and Cooperation Committee  
Mrs. Kelley Ford, Recording Secretary