

Prairie City Economic Development Commission
Wednesday, November 18, 2015

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Roll Call: Chaz Allen, Mike Buitenwerf, Katherine McClure, Melissa Mindham, Manny Toribio,

Call to Order at 12:17 p.m. at Uptown Restaurant & Lounge

JEDCO Update:
Working on infrastructure with City of Colfax on annexation.

Hometown Pride has been going great.

Univ of Iowa project for trailhead is progressing. Next step is sitting down with students that are working on the project.

Another group of students will work on water management projects for the City of Prairie City.

Community sustainability program is new option for branding and marketing.

Railroad sale and railroad right away is almost complete. Funding is almost complete. Almost a million raised so far.

Gearing up to apply for a variety of grant opportunities across Jasper County.

Monitoring research on downtown second floor residential options.

New business:
Mike is leaving the EDC. We need two more members.

We need a new representative for JEDCO. Bi monthly meeting in Newton. 3rd Tuesday every other month
4:00 pm

Uptown Restaurant & Lounge is now for sale.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, December 9, 2015 at noon at Uptown.

Meeting adjourned at 12:43 pm.