

**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE  
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY BOARD (EDAB)  
Wednesday, November 13, 2019, 3:45 PM  
City Hall, 100 North Andrews Avenue, Fort  
Lauderdale, Florida 8<sup>th</sup> Floor Commission  
Conference Room**

**EDAB Purpose:** Provide the City with the benefit of knowledge, experience and business resources of the members in order to further the efforts of the Economic Development Department in business attraction, retention and development; to serve as business ambassadors by promoting the City to the business community throughout the country and the world; advise the City Commission on specific issues regarding local, national and international business recruitment, retention and expansion. Advisory on types of cultural activities that would best appeal to the City of Fort Lauderdale, that provides support for the cultural community, and simultaneously promote economic development in the City.

- I. Call to Order & Determination of Quorum Chair Jordan Yates
  
- II. Approval of October 9, 2019 Meeting Minutes Chair Jordan Yates
  
- III. Staff Updates - General Update (5 minutes)
  - New Member- John Vratsinas
  
  - Meeting Conflicts 2020- Feb 12<sup>th</sup> (Commission Meeting) and November 11<sup>th</sup> (Veterans Day)
  
  - Due to the recent software migration of Accela the October 2019 permit totals is unavailable for publication
  
- IV. Dr. Mildred Coyne, Senior VP, Workforce Education and Innovation– Broward College
  
- V. Old Business
  
- VI. New Business

**Please be advised, Dr J. Chris Ford, Mission-to-Market Manager of the Applied Research Center (ARC) at Florida International University (FIU) will be attending the M2M Sub-Committee meeting starting at 2:30PM in advance of this meeting. Please plan to join if you are available.**

**The next Economic Development Advisory Board meeting will be December 11, 2019.**

**Note:** Two or more City Commissioners and/or Advisory Board members may be present at this meeting. If any person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at this public meeting or hearing, he/she will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the

testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. If you desire auxiliary services to assist in viewing or hearing the meetings, or reading meeting agendas and minutes, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 954-828-5002, and arrangements will be made to provide these services for you. Thank you.