

**COMMITTEE OF 100
MINUTES**

DATE: September 10, 2020

Meeting called to order: The September 10, 2020 meeting of the Committee of 100 was called to order at by Past President Ron Jordan at The Venue of Lenoir City.

Invocation: Dr. Chris Whaley gave the prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Kent Calfee.

There were __ members and guests standing. Several prospects members/guests introduced themselves.

MINUTES APPROVED: _____

TREASURERS REPORT: _____

COMMUNITY UPDATES & ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Discussion of credit issued for membership dues due to the lack of meeting during the Covid-19 event.

- Loudon County Visitor Bureau: April took a big hit due to Covid however starting to rebound. 100% occupancy for Labor Day. The Marketing Plan is “Safe Travel”.
- Loudon County Chamber: DIY workshops are continuing. October afterhours on 10-13-2020 at 5pm at Calhoun’s. Chamber Gala on 10-22-2020.
- City of Loudon – Jeff Harris: Approved zoning for housing. Cedar Grove is sold. Budget approval with 0 tax increase. There is active development riverfront. Monkey Town Brewing Co. coming to the Old Train Depot. Planning services are now local.
- Loudon County – Buddy Bradshaw: Loudon County seemed to fare pretty well during the Covid event. Tax revenue was up. State of TN recognized Loudon County for doing well.
- City of Lenoir City – Tony Aikens: Hwy 11&321 intersection is complete. Simpson Rd. project is in progress. I-75 project 12-14 months. Town Creek & Old 95 project is underway. The special park splash pad has received contributions and grants to move forward.

SPECIAL FEATURE:

- John Goddard and Neal Denton:
 - Discussion on the effects of Covid on farming and “Farm to Table” issues.

Motion to adjourn.

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MEETING ADJOURNED.

SUBMITTED BY: member, in lieu of Heather Phillips, Secretary