

Elkton DDA Meeting
Tuesday, August 12th, 2025
Elkton Village Hall
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The Michigan Economic Development Corporation and Huron County Economic Development Corporation personnel shared information regarding development of the downtown businesses, funding sources for revitalization, and the progress of the Village as a Redevelopment Ready Community. The presentation lasted from 12noon until 12:50P.M. with interaction amongst the presenters and the DDA members.

President Dan Armbruster called the meeting to order at 12:51P.M. with lunch provided by Agnes Kosinski. Members present: Emma Heck, Dennis Ropp, Todd Schneider, Agnes Kosinski, and Tina Seley. Excused Absent: Chairman Carrie Williams, Brent Salas, and Gail Sember.

Motion Agnes Kosinski, second Tina Seley to approve the agenda, as presented.
Motion carried.

Guests: Huron County MEDC Presentation

The presentation was given prior to calling the meeting to order.

Old Business:

1. Review 2025 Completed Projects

Phyllis Baranski stated the banners and drinking fountain have been installed thus completing all the budgeted projects for 2025. Discussion on banners and Pocket Park maintenance and additional landscaping needs. Discussion on funds to plan additional projects. Phyllis Baranski stated the current DDA checking balance is \$56,857.15 with all the completed projects paid in full. The landscaping in the Pocket Park will be placed on the next agenda.

New Business:

1. Treasurer's Report

Phyllis Baranski gave the Treasurer's report during the previous discussion.

2. Exploring the Arts Donation Request

Phyllis Baranski stated Kevin and Laurie Cook sent a request letter for a donation to the Exploring the Arts Camp in Elkton. Discussion on the program and previous year donation amount. Motion Emma Heck, second Dan Armbruster to donate \$500 to the Exploring the Arts Program.

Motion carried.

3. Elkton Autumnfest Participation

Phyllis Baranski reminded the DDA members that the Elkton Community Club is always looking for volunteers to assist with events during the Elkton Autumnfest over Labor Day weekend.

4. New Project Ideas

Discussion about new projects that could be included in the upcoming fiscal year budget. The members will bring ideas, cost estimates, and designs to the next meeting.

Public Comment: None

Next meeting date for the DDA will be Tuesday September 16th, 2025 at 12:00 NOON. Lunch will be provided by Todd Schneider.

Motion Agnes Kosinski, second Tina Seley to adjourn the meeting.
Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 1:12P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,
Phyllis A. Baranski, CMC, MiPMC
Village Clerk/ Treasurer
DDA Secretary/Treasurer