



# City of Venice

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## Meeting Minutes Economic Development Advisory Board

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Wednesday, November 16, 2016

3:30 PM

Council Chambers

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Special Event Sponsorship Request for Rotary Artfest - Wendy North

Mr. Ahren spoke in regards to the Rotary Artfest, provided a brief explanation of the event, request of sponsorship in the amount of \$3900, request excess, 50% of sponsorship approval, and recommendation to city council.

Mr. Clark spoke in regards to the sponsorship amount, recommendation to the city manager, and an administrative approval.

Ms. North answered questions from board members to include sponsorship amount, promotions, anniversary of event, attractions, and last years net amount.

Discussion took place regarding the event, funding, recommendation amount, city council discussion, event guidelines, economic development advisory board's (EDAB) involvement in the process, weather issues, long term commitment from Rotary, changed amount, general liability for event if there are weather issues, and insurance.

Mr. Clark spoke in regards to EDAB's recommendation to city council, amount of sponsorship and going before city council if the amount is higher than \$1,950.

**A motion was made by Mr. Young, seconded by Mr. Trammell, to recommend a sponsorship for \$2950 and recommendation to city council for approval. The motion carried by voice vote unanimously.**