



AEDC Board Meeting Agenda

Thursday, February 17, 2022, 12:00 Noon

Toast and via Zoom

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I. Call to Order – Todd Sommerfeld, Chair

- Welcome
- – Lunch Sponsor Casey's – Doug Beech
- Introductions
 - New members
 - Around the Room, Name and Company Name
- Lifetime Member – Marge King

II. Presentation

What's next for AEDC? Baton Global will share proposed mission, vision and next steps based on member survey.

III. Secretary/Treasurer's Report – Dave Nelson

A. Minutes

B. Financial Statements

- a. One lunch sponsorship left in 2022, if you are interested talk to Joey

IV. Community Updates – Todd Sommerfeld

V. Adjourn – Todd Sommerfeld

Reminder: Next meeting is April 21, 2022, 12-1pm at Courtyard by Marriott

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Board Meeting Minutes

Thursday, October 21, 2021, 12:00 Noon
FFA Enrichment Center and Online

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AEDC is a network of business leaders. As an advocacy group focused on the Ankeny area our mission is to support area industry and attract commercial development.

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- I. Call to Order –Melissa Johnson, Chair, called the meeting to order at 12:10 and welcomed approx. 40 in person and eight Zoom attendees. Melissa thanked Paige Moore of UnityPoint Health for sponsoring the event. Page shared information on UnityPoint facilities.

Melissa introduced Jeff Reed as a new AEDC member who spoke about his business, BIZLAB. Other members then self-introduced with their name and business name.

- II. Presentation
Mark Westgate, PhD, Chief Science Officer of local startup PowerPollen presented information about his company, PowerPollen, and fielded questions.
- III. Reports to Membership – Melissa Johnson
 - A. Salute to Industry will be Oct. 26, 5-7pm at Kreg Tool Global Headquarters
- IV. Secretary/Treasurer's Report – Dave Nelson
 - A. Minutes of the August 19 Board meeting were presented and approved on motion by Jenna Kimberley and seconded by Randy Munson.
 - B. Financial Statements from September were presented.
- V. Community Updates - Melissa Johnson
 - A. Sen. Jack Whitver, reported on State Budget and new district maps to be voted on.
 - B. Mayor Gary Lorenz reported on transportation study underway and regional water efforts.
- VI. Adjourn – Melissa Johnson
Meeting adjourned at 12:55 pm.

Reminder: Board/Member Meeting December 16, 2021, 12-1pm at Courtyard by Marriott. We will have business experts explain state programs to help support and fund growth.