

MINUTES
Dearborn County Redevelopment Commission
Special Meeting
Monday, August 25, 2025

A special meeting of the Dearborn County Redevelopment Commission was held at 5:00 p.m. on Monday August 25, 2025 in the Henry Dearborn room located in the Dearborn County Government Center, 165 Mary Street, Lawrenceburg, IN 47025.

Attending:

Board members Jim Deaton, Jim Mansfield, Dennis Kraus, Jr., Tom Tepe, Jordan Hoffman, Trevor Bischoff and Doug Baker were present. Also attending both meetings were; Connie Fromhold, Treasurer for the Board, Mike Perleberg, One Dearborn and Sue Hayden, minute taker. Anthony Smart, Attorney for board and Daryl Cutter, non-voting school board member were absent. Dennis Kraus, Jr. did leave the meeting at 6:00 p.m. due to a prior commitment.

Jim Deaton called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. and the Title VI statement for compliance was read.

The purpose of this special meeting was to consider a grant request from the Bright Fire Department. Kendall Eberhardt, Chief Bright Fire spoke regarding the request of a grant to assist in purchasing a Quint Truck, fire engine with ladder on top.

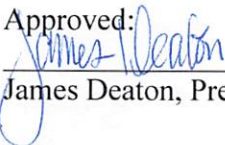
Patricia Little, Miller Township Trustee spoke about what the Township provides for fire protection.

Cathy Keith from Bright addressed the board and Chief Eberhardt about Bright coverage.

After much back-and-forth discussion a motion was made by Trevor Bischoff to support the request of \$250,000 contingent upon inspection of the fire truck as well as a contract to purchase. This was seconded by Doug Baker who mentioned in the future there needs to be more information for the board about the grant requests. Vote with 4 approvals; Jim Mansfield, Jordan Hoffman, Trevor Bischoff and Tom Tepe voting nay. Request approved.

Adjournment – 6:20 p.m.

Approved:


James Deaton, President DCRC