

City of Hamtramck Downtown Development Authority Board Of Directors Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, April 20, 2022 • 6:05pm
Council Chambers (2nd Floor, City Hall) • Hamtramck City Hall, 3401 Evaline St.

Mission Statement: The City of Hamtramck’s Downtown Development Authority supports people, projects, and partnerships that further the economic growth and stability of a thriving Hamtramck.

1. **Call to order**
2. **Roll call:** Andrew Dow, Lawrence Ingram, Mark J. Hausner, Dr. Shamiran Golani, Joan Bittner, Mayor Ghalib, John Grossi, Andrew Kopietz, Milo Madole, Ahmad Al-Hasan, Amr Alhalemi, Anwar Hassan
3. **Pledge of allegiance to the flag**
4. **Public comment & introduction of the public** (*3 minutes per person limited to DDA issues*)
5. **Approval of agenda**
6. **Approval of minutes**

SECTION I: AGENDA ITEMS – For Discussion/Action/Information

1. Presentation on OPRA (City Staff) and follow-up discussion
2. Discussion of Façade Grant Program in the amount of \$500,000 for the DDA (\$50,000 match commitment needed in advance)
3. Board discusses making site visits to all businesses throughout the DDA district (Carpenter Street to Denton Street); introduce DDA board to merchants prior to surveying by Jon Barth & Assoc.
4. Board discusses and votes on its policies toward commercially-sponsored banner signage. Discussion about the implications of sponsored signage that highlights religious or institutional holidays/celebrations.
5. Board discusses renewing its funding for Hamtramck’s Summer Concert Series. The Detroit Social Club would like you to perform if the ‘Summer Concert Series continues.

SECTION II: OTHER ITEMS

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2. Chairman's Report (2 minutes)

3. Member' Report (5 minutes)

4. ADJOURNMENT

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