

## **LEGAL ACTION REPORT**

## MONTHLY MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF TUCSON, ARIZONA ("Authority")

Thursday, April 20th, 2023 3:00 p.m.

The public is invited to join the Authority's Board meeting on-line via Zoom: <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84840348558">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84840348558</a>

Meeting ID: 848 4034 8558 One tap mobile +1 669 444 9171 US

Present Absent

Board Members: Moniqua Lane

Judy Clinco Meredith Aronson

Sandra Barton (arrived 3:29pm) Mimi Noshay-Petro (arrived at 3:15pm)

Sharayah Jimenez

Patricia Schwabe (arrived at 3:07pm)

Staff & Advisors:
Dre Thompson, CEO
Wendy McBroom, Portfolio Manager
Sara Lippitt, Operations Manager
Nicole Johnson, Community Development Champion
Chris Ambrosio, Legal Counsel
Scott Riffle, Stifel
Riana Linksy, Dark Horse CPA



**Open Meeting:** Pursuant to **Arizona Revised Statutes Section 38-431.02**, notice is hereby given to the general public and to the members of the Authority's Board of Directors that the Authority will hold a virtual meeting open to the public via Zoom to discuss, consider and take legal action on the Agenda items below:

**Executive Session** – Upon a public majority vote of members constituting a quorum, the Board of Directors may hold an Executive Session. To comply with A.R.S. §38-431.03(B), all non-essential electronic devices, including cell and smart phones, iPads, notebooks, tablets and laptops shall be turned off and stored during Executive Session.

April 20, 2023				
1	Call to Order and Mission Statement: Tucson IDA enables strategic, economic and community development by providing financing and access to capital for projects and programs that benefit a thriving Tucson	Judy Clinco	The meeting was called to order at 3:03pm	
2	Approval of Minutes: Approve the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of April 20th, 2023	Judy Clinco	A MOTION was made and seconded M Aronson/M Lane) to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting of March 16th, 2023 as presented.  Approved: 4 Abstained: 0 Against:0	
3	Discussion and Action on the Approval of Cash Movement to Groundswell:  The Board will discuss the authorization of capitalizing the AVANZA Loan Fund, prior to receiving disbursement from the City of Tucson through a donation to Groundswell Capital.	Dre Thompson	A MOTION was made and seconded M Aronson/M Lane) to approve the Cash Movement  Approved: 5 Abstained: 0 Against: 0	
4	Discussion and Action on the Approval of Employee Handbook. The Board will review and discuss a redline version of the Employee Handbook for reauthorization for the new fiscal year.	Dre Thompson Sara Lippitt	A MOTION was made and seconded M Aronson/M	



			Lane) to approve the Cash Movement
			Approved: 6 Abstained: 0 Against: 0
4	CEO Update & Status Report: The CEO will provide an overview of the organization's key metrics of success:  • Financial Position  • Program Updates  • AVANZA Empowerment Fund & Center  • Facilities update  • Strategic Framework Update	Dre Thompson	
5	Call to the Public	Judy Clinco	-
6	Adjourn	Judy Clinco	There being no further business, the President adjourned the meeting at <b>4:05pm</b> .

**Announcements:** Announcement of future meeting dates and other information concerning the Authority.

**Call to the Public:** Please limit comments to **3 minutes**. Public comments will be at the discretion of the President. Persons wishing to address the Authority's Board of Directors are to request permission in advance and complete a "**Request to Address the Board**" card.

Further Information: For further information, please contact Sara Lippitt, Tucson IDA <a href="mailto:sara@tucsonida.org">sara@tucsonida.org</a> | 520-222-7304.

Mailing: This Notice and Agenda of the Regular Meeting was emailed to the Authority's standard Agenda mailing list.

**Posting**: A copy of this Notice and Agenda of the Regular Meeting has been posted on the bulletin board of the Clerk of the City of Tucson, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, 255 West Alameda, Tucson, Arizona 85701

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