EQUAL BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION

June 09, 2020 Meeting Minutes

ITEM	DISCUSSION	ACTION
	Meeting held through conference call. Nancy Briguglio called the meeting to order.	Meeting called to order at 9:07 a.m.
Minutes: April 07, 2020	Nancy Briguglio called for approval of the Minutes. Nathaniel Alston moved that the Minutes be approved; the motion was seconded by Roger Barnes.	Unanimously approved
Certifications: April 07, 2020 through June 02, 2020	Roger Barnes moved that the applications be approved; the motion was seconded by Nathaniel Alston.	Unanimously approved
	Mahesh reminded the commissioners to send their inputs and suggestions to Nancy Briguglio and Roger Barnes as a follow up to the draft letter shared earlier regarding the EBOC recommendation about a Disparity Study. Mahesh and Dean shared information about the Virtual Construction & Paving Local Business Outreach Event scheduled for July 01, 2020.	
Member Comments	Sharon Pinder inquired if the Howard County Economic Development has done an economic impact study. Vernon mentioned that their office does an analysis of activities of individual deals on behalf of the County if there are incentives involved. He added that he can have his colleague, Zachary Jones present some of this data to the EBOC. Nancy Briguglio mentioned that she would like the EDA support the letter that the EBOC plans to send to the County Council regarding a disparity study.	
Adjournment of Meeting at 9:16 am	Motion to adjourn by Nancy Briguglio. Next regular EBOC Meeting scheduled for August 04, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.	

EBOC MEMBER ATTENDEES:

1. Roger Barnes (conference call)
2. Nathaniel Alston (conference call)
3. Nancy Briguglio (conference call)
4. Margaret Kim (conference call)
5. Shahan Rizvi (conference call)
6. Sharon Pinder (conference call)

ABSENT:

1. Jason Peay
2. Neil Madan
3. Cynthia Gula

NON-MEMBER ATTENDEES:

1. Dean Hof (conference call)
2. Mahesh Sabnani (conference call)
3. Vernon Thompson (conference call)

ABSENT
1. Constance Tucker