

**ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY  
CITY OF RAMSEY  
ANOKA COUNTY  
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

The City of Ramsey Economic Development Authority (EDA) conducted a regular meeting on Thursday, April 14, 2022, at the Ramsey Municipal Center, 7550 Sunwood Drive NW, Ramsey, Minnesota.

Members Present:     Chairperson Michael Olson  
                            Member Chelsee Howell  
                            Member Rachal Johnson (via Zoom)  
                            Member William MacLennan  
                            Member Chris Riley  
                            Member Shanna Stewart  
                            Member Scott Wiyninger

Members Absent:     None

Also Present:         Sean Sullivan, Economic Development Manager  
                            Brian Hagen, Community Development Director/Deputy City Admin

**1.     CALL TO ORDER**

Chairperson Olson called the Economic Development Authority meeting to order at 7:30 a.m.

**2.     APPROVE AGENDA**

Motion by Member MacLennan, seconded by Member Riley, to approve the agenda.

A roll call vote was performed:

Member Johnson	aye
Member MacLennan	aye
Member Stewart	aye
Chairperson Olson	aye
Member Wiyninger	aye
Member Riley	aye
Member Howell	aye

Motion carried.

**4.02:   Consider Application for Sign and Awning Program: Allison’s Petite Pastries**

Economic Development Manager Sullivan presented the staff report.

Member MacLennan asked the total cost of the signage.

Economic Development Manager Sullivan replied that the cost is approximately \$8,000 for two types of signage, the sign on the building and the spot on the monument sign for the multi-tenant building.

Member Johnson asked how useful the signage has been for Kitchen Table. She stated she does notice the signage and asked if additional interest has been generated from that awning signage.

Economic Development Manager Sullivan stated that he has not received any comments but noted that the awning does draw attention. He stated that the program is utilized for new sit-down restaurant businesses.

Motion by Member Johnson, seconded by Member Winyinger, to recommend to City Council to approve a \$1,500 grant from the Sign and Awning Program for Allison's Petite Pastries.

A roll call vote was performed:

Member Johnson	aye
Member MacLennan	aye
Member Stewart	aye
Chairperson Olson	aye
Member Winyinger	aye
Member Riley	aye
Member Howell	aye

Motion carried.