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## **MINUTES**

Economic Development Advisory Committee Thursday, October 28, 2010 @ 7:00PM Norma Drummer Room/Seymour Town Hall

Members present: First Selectman Paul Roy, Bob Rich, Ted Holly, Preet Singh. Not present: Kristen Harmeling. Others present: Oley Carpp.

ITEM # 1 - Call meeting to order. The First Selectman called the meeting to order at 7:05PM.

ITEM #2 - Pledge of Allegiance. Everyone saluted the Flag and stated the Pledge of Allegiance.

ITEM # 3 – Presentation on possibly using a consultant for Economic Development Director by Oley Carpp.

Paul Roy introduced Oley Carpp who then discussed with the committee the role of an Economic Development Consultant. Mr. Carpp explained the pros and cons of the position as well as what the committee should be looking for in a consultant. The committee then discussed some of the economic development possibilities that the town has.

ITEM # 4 – Discussion on MEDP 2007.

First Selectman Roy distributed information from Ct. Main Street Center as well as information from the state listing the type of economic leaders other communities have. He explained to the committee the objectives of the MEDP 2007. The members then discussed how the plan relates to the hiring of a consultant or director. The members will review information and share thoughts at the next meeting.

ITEM # 5- Public Comment. None.

ITEM # 6- Adjournment.

Submitted by,

Paul Roy

Paul Roy First Selectman