

Minutes

Downtown Improvement Committee

September 11, 2026

Attending: Marylou Blaisdell, Fouad Mahfuz, Edward Haynes, Michael Buckley, Rich Lannan, Cole Morgan

Also, in attendance Alyssa O'Mera – GAD, Alderman Amber Morgan, Officer Joseph Fusco, Nashua PD, Sargent Chris Caron PD

Meeting call to order at 7:50 a.m.

Discussion Points

Downtown Stroll 2026 – discussed financial support from the DIC for 2026. Alyssa O'Mera discussed the expected expenses for 2026 and stated sponsorships are beginning. The committee felt it is important that the committee support the stroll. A motion was made by Michael Buckley, seconded by Edward Haynes to approve 15,000 for sponsorship. Unanimous approval.

Officers of Nashua PD attended to discuss any issues/concerns. Business owners know the downtown officers and receive good responses when issues come up. Dedicated officers downtown have made a huge difference. One issue that was discussed was E bikes downtown and the drivers ignoring traffic rules.

Discussion on invoices debited to DIC account – several invoices from 2022 were debited to the DIC account – these invoices were from ICON Architecture for design for W Pearl, the invoices are for 25,760, 14,787.20, and two for 3,680. Marylou stated she is working with city hall to resolve this issue and get the account corrected.

Edward Hayes requested a report from 2021-current of all expenses voted on from this committee.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:55 a.m.