

NORTHERN NEXUS
Grand Traverse Region Next Michigan Development Corporation (NMDC)

August 27, 2015

Chair Korn called the meeting to order at 1:31 p.m. in the Commission Chambers located in the Governmental Center, 400 Boardman Avenue, Traverse City, Michigan.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jeanine Easterday, Bob Johnson, Chuck Korn, Glen Lile and Patrick Pahl

STAFF PRESENT: Marcia Carmoney, Jean Derenzy and John Sych

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Moved by Pahl, seconded by Lile to approve the May 28, 2015 NMDC minutes as presented.
Approved unanimously.

PUBLIC COMMENT/INPUT

None

REPORTS/Receive and File Communications:

Update on Economic Development Strategy – Community Business Leader Interviews

Sych reviewed the results of the business leader interviews conducted by Megan Olds as outlined in the report from Parallel Solutions. Next steps in the development of an economic strategy include continued outreach and dialogue with community business leaders, and the identification of tangible short-term goals.

PUBLIC COMMENT/INPUT

None

NOTICES

Sych and Korn will be attending the Michigan Supply Chain Innovation Summit to be held August 30-31, 2015 in Dearborn, Michigan.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 2:44 p.m.

Chuck Korn, Chair