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### VILLAGE OF HANOVER PARK

#### CONECT COMMITTEE Regular Meeting

Municipal Building, Room 214  
2121 Lake Street  
Hanover Park, IL 60133

Tuesday, June 14, 2016  
12:30 p.m.

#### MINUTES

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Tobin called the meeting to order at 12:37 p.m.

**PRESENT:** Members: Angela Ligocki, Adam Cortes, Patrick Kaveney,  
Balwinder Chhokar, Rick Wulbecker, Kevin  
Swan, Michelle Macholl, Ricky Patel, Chairperson  
Gail Tobin

**ABSENT:** Members: Mary Morrison, Andy Bunge, Bob Morris, Jon  
Stickney, Brian Ducey, Sunny Patel, Gayle  
Peneschi, Nanette Gudenkauf, Blake Sotern

**VILLAGE STAFF**  
**PRESENT:** Director of Community & Economic  
Development Shubhra Govind, Village Planner  
Pat Ainsworth, Trustee Herb Porter, Village  
Mayor Craig, Village Manager Maller, Village  
Clerk Cooral Sepúlveda, Secretary Kathleen  
Arnold, CED Intern Dan Osoba

**GUESTS:** None.

#### 2. ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA:

Motion by Member Swan to accept the Agenda, seconded by Member Chhokar.

**Voice Vote:**  
**All AYES.**



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**Motion Carried:** Agenda Accepted.

**3. PRESENTATIONS/REPORTS: None.**

**4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

**4-a. Request to approve the Minutes of May 10, 2016.**

Motion by Member Swan to approve the Minutes, seconded by Member Wulbecker.

**Voice Vote:**

**All AYES.**

**Motion Carried:** Approved Minutes.

**5. ACTION ITEMS:**

**5-a. Discuss having businesses at Maxwell Street– to increase revenue and appearance.**

The committee discussed and recommended the following:

- Businesses have always been welcome at Maxwell Street except food vendors as the Boy Scouts prepares and sells food for one of their fund raisers.
- Maxwell Street is marketed as a garage/thrift sale so businesses with higher end merchandise do not feel it would be a good opportunity for them.
- Discussed setting up two distinct areas up-town and down-town but with limited staff and participants allowed to pick their space idea not well received.
- Considered adding businesses that sell only shelf stable food products. The Village Clerk will check with the Village Health Inspector to see if this can be added to the budget for this event. Guidelines would need to be established such as: no food prep on site, baked and pre-packaged.
- Research and see if we can incorporate vendors from the French Market that could not take funds away from the Boy Scouts.
- Consider changing name “Maxwell Street” lacks name recognition.
- Consider future plans for a “Taste of Hanover Park” in combination with Maxwell Street. Committee feels the two events should be separate and partnering with the Chamber may be a better fit.
- Further internal discussion is needed.

**5-b. ACCION Chicago – role of the CONECT Committee and Chamber.**

Director Govind advised the committee that ACCION Chicago is shaping up to be a promising event. We would like to thank our sponsors Hanover Park Community Bank and First Eagle Bank who have generously contributed to this event. The role available for the CONECT members is you can reserve a table to promote your businesses or simply attend. It is free to attend but the table would be an additional expense to ACCION Chicago and not the Village. The event will take place on Tuesday, July 19<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.



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at the Education and Work Center located at 6704 Barrington Road.

6. **TOWNHALL SESSION: None**

7. **OLD BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS): None**

8. **NEW BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):**

**8-a. Local Business Welcome Visit:**

- *A2Z Family Dental, P.C.* – Zaineb Jefry – 1645 Irving Park Road., 708.268.6725 will be welcomed by Member Cortes.

**8-b. Development Update:**

- Various updates were discussed.
- Village Manager Maller presented details to the committee on the Golden Corridor Enterprise organization that helps small businesses get to the next level and support for existing businesses. All the communities come together to get involved. The Village would be the member for a three year commitment for \$3,000 per year for a total cost of \$45,000. There would be no cost to the businesses and being a member could help find funding grants for more resources for the businesses.

**8-c. Bartlett Area Chamber Update:**

- The Mayor's Breakfast was held June 8<sup>th</sup>, event was well attended.
- Village Manager Maller attended the After Hours Event – Vertical Endeavors.
- Chamber is asking for more participation from Hanover Park Businesses and help from CONECT members to reach out to businesses and inform them about the Chamber.
- Suggest businesses check their "spam" folders as emails are being sent about events with little reply. It is too expensive to mail information out to businesses.
- Golfers needed for June 23<sup>rd</sup> event. Committee agreed to pay for one member to golf.
- Need to identify all our Hanover Park venues to host events to help promote more chamber events in the Village.

**8-d. Northwest Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Update:**

- The chamber will be hosting a Meet and Greet on June 23<sup>rd</sup> at the Schaumburg Boomers Stadium. A flyer will be emailed out to the members.
- July 9<sup>th</sup> they are offering business coaching. The coaching will be one on one and first come first serve. A flyer will be emailed out to the members.

9. **Upcoming Events:**

- Hanover Park Park District – 5K Dash N' Splash 2016 on July 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 a.m.



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9. **ADJOURNMENT:** 1:47 p.m. Motion by Member Patel to adjourn, seconded by Member Swan.  
Voice Vote: All AYES.  
Motion Carried: Adjourned.

Recorded and Transcribed by:

Kathleen Arnold, Secretary  
Community Development  
On this 14th day of June, 2016

Gail Tobin, Chairperson