



Village of Hampshire  
Business Development Commission Meeting  
Wednesday, April 8, 2026 - 6:30 P.M.  
Hampshire Village Hall  
234 South State Street, Hampshire, IL 60140

## MEETING MINUTES

### 1. **Call to Order**

The Village of Hampshire Business Development Commission was called to order by Chairman Pizzolato at 6:37 P.M.

### 2. **Roll Call**

Present: Commissioners Christopher Garcia, Karen Trzaska, Jennifer Abbatacola, Trustee Aaron Kelly, and Chairman David Pizzolato

Absent: Commissioner Bill Swalwell

Others Present: Mo Khan, Assistant Village Manager for Development

### 3. **Public Comments**

None.

### 4. **Review of Meeting Minutes from March 11, 2026**

Motion: Trustee Kelly

Second: Commissioner Garcia

Ayes: Commissioners Garcia, Trzaska, Abbatacola, Trustee Kelly, and Chairman Pizzolato

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Motion Approved

### 5. **Chamber of Commerce Discussion**

Ms. Jeanie Mayer of the Hampshire Area Chamber of Commerce provided an update to the Business Development Commission.

### 6. **Beautification Committee Report**

#### A. **Updates on Approved Façade Applications**

Mr. Khan provided an updated to the approved façade applications.

#### B. **Discussion on Future/Pending Façade Grant Applications**

Chairman Pizzolato asked to remove this item from the agenda moving forward as no funds were being budgeted for the Façade Improvement Program for the next budget year.

**7. Comprehensive Plan Discussion**

Chairman Pizzolato asked if the BDC should review the Comprehensive Plan RFP one more time before it goes out for publication. The Commission agreed that another review was not needed.

**8. Resident & Business Survey Discussion**

Chairman Pizzolato stated he has sent the survey for review by the Mayor and staff.

**9. Update on New Businesses and Existing Businesses in the Village**

No Report.

**10. New Business & Area Updates**

Chairman Pizzolato provided the BDC members with an area update for surrounding communities.

**11. Adjournment**

Motion: Commissioner Trzaska

Second: Commissioner Abbatacola

Ayes: Commissioners Garcia, Trzaska, Abbatacola, Trustee Kelly, and Chairman Pizzolato

Nays: None

Motion Approved

Adjourned at 7:41 P.M.

Submitted: May 13, 2026

Approved: May 13, 2026