## Revised Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Directors Upper Illinois River Valley Development Authority October 10, 2017 Morris, Illinois

## **Members Present**

Robert Bakewell, Marshall County Appointment
Andrez Beltran, Kendall County Appointment
Kevin Considine, Lake County Appointment
James Ghiglieri, Governor's Appointment, Marshall
Michael Guilfoyle, LaSalle County Appointment
Dennis Hackett, Governor's Appointment, Grundy
Deb Ladgenski, Bureau County Appointment
William Meagher, Governor's Appointment, LaSalle
Philip McCully, Governor's Appointment, Marshall
Greg Meyers, Kane County Appointment
Kevin Olson, Grundy County Appointment
Josh Potts, Department of Central Management Services
Kurt Schneider, McHenry County Appointment
John Shaw, Governor's Appointment, Kendall

## **Members Absent**

Thomas Setchell, Governor's Appointment, LaSalle William Steep, Governor's Appointment, LaSalle Carrie Zethmayr, Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity

## **Others Present**

Andrew Hamilton, Executive Director

The meeting was called to order at 12:00 p.m. Roll call was made identifying that a quorum was present. It was moved and seconded to approve the agenda. The motion carried. It was moved and seconded to approve the minutes of the July 18, 2017 meeting and the minutes and actions of all previous meetings as presented. The motion carried. It was moved and seconded to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. The motion carried.

Welcome New UIRVDA Board Members from Lake County & CMS - Staff welcomes Kevin Considine as the Lake County member and Josh Potts as the CMS Designee on the UIRVDA Board. The board welcomed the new members.

Cambridge Lakes Charter School Project – Staff presented Resolution No. 17-005 – A Bond Resolution on behalf of Cambridge Lakes Learning Center in an amount up to \$22,000,000. Northern Kane Educational Corp. (NKEC) is planning to make capital improvements, acquire approximately 1.65 acres of land, construct a new parking lot and refund debt. Prior deb was used to pay for the costs of the acquisition, design, improvements, construction and equipping of several buildings, the Annex, the tutoring center, the Retherm Link, classrooms and site work for Circle Drive. The Campus is known as the Cambridge Lakes Learning Center on an approximately 15-acre campus located at 900 Wester Boulevard and related addresses at 805-840

Campus Drive and 1115 Cambridge Lakes Drive in Pingree Grove Illinois. The total bonds will not exceed \$22,000,000 and will retain 43 jobs.

Cambridge Lakes Charter School, established in 2007, is a K-8th grade school and middle school with an Academy of 9-12<sup>th</sup> grade located on a 15-acre campus in Pingree Grove, IL (Kane) and is part of Community Unit School District 300. Students can transfer to the school or out-of-district students can pay tuition. The student teacher ratio rose from 14.9 to 21 in 2015 with approximately 869 students. The school was ranked the #1 Elementary and Middle School in Illinois by niche.com. Schooldiggger.com ranks them 115<sup>th</sup> of 1,309 of Illinois public middle schools.

Thereupon, Chairman Olson presented and read the Resolution. Secretary Meyers moved and Member Bakewell seconded that the resolution as presented and read be adopted. Following discussion, Chairman Olson directed that the roll be called for a vote upon the motion to adopt the resolution. Upon the roll being called, the following members voted AYE: Robert Bakewell, Andrez Beltran, Kevin Considine, James Ghiglieri, Michael Guilfoyle, Dennis Hackett, Deb Ladgenski, William Meagher, Philip McCully, Greg Meyers, Kevin Olson, Josh Potts, Kurt Schneider and John Shaw. The following members voted NAY: None. The following members voted present: none. The following members were absent: Thomas Setchell, William Steep and Carrie Zethmayr. WHEREUPON, Chairman Olson declared the motion carried and the resolution adopted, and did direct the assistant secretary to record the same in full in the records of the Authority.

<u>UIRVDA Enterprise Zone Second Amendment</u> - Staff presented an Ordinace approving a third amendment to the UIRVDA Enterprise Zone to add additional territory. Ordinance 17-006 is an Ordinance to Add Territory to the Upper Illinois River Valley Development Authority Enterprise Zone on behalf of Eakas Corporation of Peru, IL, Shodeen Development – One Washington Place of Batavia, IL and Shodeen Prairie Centre of St. Charles, IL.

Thereupon, Chairman Olson presented and read the Ordinance. Secretary Meyers moved and Member Ladgenski seconded that the Ordinance as presented and read be adopted. Following discussion, Chairman Olson directed that the roll be called for a vote upon the motion to adopt the Ordinance. Upon the roll being called, the following members voted AYE: Robert Bakewell, Andrez Beltran, Kevin Considine, James Ghiglieri, Michael Guilfoyle, Dennis Hackett, Deb Ladgenski, William Meagher, Philip McCully, Greg Meyers, Kevin Olson, Josh Potts, Kurt Schneider and John Shaw. The following members voted NAY: None. The following members voted present: none. The following members were absent: Thomas Setchell, William Steep and Carrie Zethmayr. WHEREUPON, Chairman Olson declared the motion carried and the resolution adopted, and did direct the assistant secretary to record the same in full in the records of the Authority.

Ottawa Dental Laboratories Project – Staff presented Resolution No. 17-007 – A Preliminary Inducement Resolution on behalf of Ottawa Dental Laboratory in an amount up to \$5,000,000. Ottawa Dental Laboratory, LLC is planning to construct a new facility in Ottawa, IL for the manufacture of denture products The Company has outgrown their existing facility and need more space to add more employees. The Company has experienced rapid growth and needs to add and additional 11,000 square feet of office, production, training, accounting, customer service, production, shipping

and receiving. Future growth is expected in their digital work flow using computer aided design and manufacturing. The method of product processing by analog impressions has been flowing into digital design work flow and producing high volumes. The total project is \$4,500,000 an will create 50 new jobs. Ottawa Dental Laboratory, LLC, established in 1937, is a third generation Illinois Corporation. They currently employ 109 on three shifts in Ottawa, Illinois. The Company built there current facility on 3.5 acres in 1979 that originally was 11,000 square feet. They soon added an additional 11,000 square feet in 1995. They have experienced rapid sales and anticipate it continuing over the next five years.

Thereupon, Chairman Olson presented and read the Resolution. Member McCully moved and Member Bakewell seconded that the resolution as presented and read be adopted. Following discussion, Chairman Olson directed that the roll be called for a vote upon the motion to adopt the resolution. Upon the roll being called, the following members voted AYE: Robert Bakewell, Andrez Beltran, Kevin Considine, James Ghiglieri, Michael Guilfoyle, Dennis Hackett, Deb Ladgenski, William Meagher, Philip McCully, Greg Meyers, Kevin Olson, Josh Potts, Kurt Schneider and John Shaw. The following members voted NAY: None. The following members voted present: none. The following members were absent: Thomas Setchell, William Steep and Carrie Zethmayr. WHEREUPON, Chairman Olson declared the motion carried and the resolution adopted, and did direct the assistant secretary to record the same in full in the records of the Authority.

With no further business, it was moved and seconded to adjourn. The motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 12:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Greg Meyers, Secretary