## **Forward Jefferson Corporation**

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# Forward Jefferson Corporation ANNUAL MEETING

November 21, 2019 at \*9:00 A.M. JEDCO Administration Building

700 Churchill Parkway, Avondale, LA 70094

#### **AGENDA**

### I. Call to Order - Chairman, Lloyd Clark

- Approval of Absences
- Approval of Minutes for August 29, 2019

### II. Public Comments on Agenda Items

#### III. Unfinished and New Business

- Approval of the transfer of \$10,000 plus interest from Forward Jefferson Corporation to JEDCO – Cynthia Grows
- Acknowledge appointments by JEDCO to the Forward Jefferson Corporation Board of Directors for 2020
- Election of Officers and appointment of Registered Agent for 2020
- Appointment of Bylaws Committee for 2020

### IV. Annual Financial Report - Cynthia Grows

#### V. Adjournment

\*or as soon as the JEDCO Quarterly Board of Commissioners meeting adjourns.

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## Forward Jefferson Corporation August 29, 2019 at 9:00 A.M.

JEDCO Administration Building 700 Churchill Parkway, Avondale, LA 70094

#### **MINUTES**

Call to Order:

9:15 a.m.

Attendance:

Mickal Adler, Jimmy Baum, Lloyd Clark, Lesha Freeland, Tom

Gennaro, Brian Heiden, Teresa Lawrence, Stephen Robinson

Staff:

Jerry Bologna, Lacey Bordelon, Cynthia Grows, Annalisa Kelly,

Jennifer Lapeyrouse, Scott Rojas, Kelsey Scram, Penny Weeks

Absences:

Mario Bazile, Bruce Dantin, Roy Gattuso

### I. Call to Order - Chairman, Lloyd Clark

- Approval of Absences Lesha Freeland motioned, seconded by Brian Heiden to excuse Bruce Dantin and Roy Gattuso. The motion passed unanimously.
- Approval of Minutes for November 29, 2018 Brian Heiden motioned, seconded by Teresa Lawrence to approve the minutes. The motion passed unanimously.

## II. Public Comments on Agenda Items None

#### III. Unfinished and New Business

• Approval of Forward Jefferson Corporation 2018 Form 990 Tax Return

Jeanne Driscoll and Melanie Garofalo, with LaPorte CPAs & Business Advisors, presented the Form 990 Tax Return. There being no changes, Jimmy Baum motioned, seconded by Lesha Freeland to accept the report as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

IV. Adjournment – Teresa Lawrence motioned, seconded by Lesha Freeland to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.

Tom Gennaro

**Forward Jefferson Corporation Secretary** 

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

Date:

November 14, 2019

To:

Forward Jefferson Corporation Board of Directors

From:

Jerry Bologna, JEDCO President & CEO via

Cynthia Grows, Controller / cg/

RE:

Approval of the transfer of \$10,000 plus interest from FORJ to

**JEDCO** 

#### BACKGROUND:

After the unwinding of the New Market Tax Credit financing structure, the payout completion and refinancing of this building in 2016, a balance of nearly \$247,000 remained in the FORJ account. In May 2016, the FORJ board agreed to transfer \$237,742 to JEDCO for debt service leaving \$10,000 in FORJ's account (as required by Capital One Bank).

#### **DISCUSSION:**

As a conduit for contributors seeking not-for-profit benefits, FORJ receives contributions for various programs such as Jefferson EDGE and the JEDCO Challenge, for example. On a monthly basis, those contributions are transferred out of FORJ into the appropriate program. After those transfers are completed, the FORJ balance remains at the previously-approved amount of \$10,000 plus interest.

In January 2019, Iberia Bank became JEDCO's new fiscal agent and by April 2019, all accounts owned and administered by JEDCO were transfers to Iberia Bank. Iberia Bank does not require a minimum balance for any of the JEDCO accounts.

#### RECOMMENDATION:

Since the FORJ account is no longer with Capital One and a \$10,000 balance is not required with the new bank, we recommend that the FORJ Board of Directors approve the transfer of \$10,000 plus interest from the FORJ account to the JEDCO General Fund Account.

	( A ) 2018 Final Amended Budget		(B) 2019 Adopted Budget		(C) Actual October-19		( D )  Actual  Year-to-Date ( @10/31/2019)		(E) Estimate Remaining for Year			:) ected
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SUMMARY OF REVENUES BY SOURCES								•				
LOCAL SOURCES:		10.000		10.000								
Account Balance JEDCO Bldg. Lease Income	\$	10,000	\$	10,000	\$		\$	- 7	\$	•	\$	•
Insurance Revenues						-		-		0.40		
111301 BILLE 1/E4CH0C3		•		•		7.5		7,5		(5)		
Total Revenues from Local Sources	\$	10,000	\$	10,000	\$	•	\$	•	\$	•	\$	•
DITURES BY CHARACTERS												
Debt Service/Capital One Loan		*		-								-
Monthly Lease Payments										1.50		1.5
Insurance				-								
Other Fees				-				-				<u> </u>
Total Expenditures by Characters	\$		\$		\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	
SUMMARY OF OTHER FINANCING USES												
Transfer to other funds (JEDCO)				-								<u> </u>
<b>Total Other Financing Uses</b>				-								17
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	s	10.000	Ś	10.000	\$	-	\$				\$	