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CITY OF NEWTON, MASSACHUSETTS

Economic Development Commission

AGENDA

DATE: Tuesday, December 12, 2023

TIME: 7 p.m.

LOCATION: City Hall, Room 204. To attend remotely,
please visit <https://newtonma-gov.zoom.us/j/85877693278>
or call +13092053325,,85877693278#.

1. **Attendance**
2. **Approval of minutes**
3. **Guest Speaker:** Amanda Chisholm, Development Director
at WS Development
4. **City Updates & EDC Discussion**
 - a. Facilitate Owning & Operating Businesses
 - i. Discussion of pop-up retail
 - ii. Use Table update
 - b. Strengthen Village Centers
 - i. Zoning update
 - ii. Washington Street update
 - c. DEI
 - d. Increase Newton's commercial tax base
5. **EDC Project Subgroups**
6. **Other/New Business**
 - a. EDC year-end assessment
 - b. EDC meeting dates for 2024
 - c. EDC guest speaker list
7. **Next meeting:** January 9, 2024
8. **Adjournment**

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