

**AGENDA**

**HARDWICK DOWNTOWN PARTNERSHIP MEETING**

**MONDAY April 17, 2023**

**9:00AM**

**Front Seat Coffee/Birdsong Beer & Wine**

9:00am Call to Order

Add/Adjust Agenda

Review & Approve Minutes of the March 20<sup>th</sup> Meeting:

<https://hardwickvt.gov/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/March-2023-Minutes.pdf>

Item #1 – Downtown Hardwick Contact List Project Update and discussion about various uses for the info and how to collect missing business contacts.  
Mechanisms to distribute information on benefits of designation.  
Identify interest in future collaborations.  
Gathering information for VT Tourism site.

Item #2 – Treasurer’s Topics:  
Discuss potential book-keeping service.  
Discuss accessing REDI assistance in making an application for a Vermont Bicycle & Pedestrian Grant to support the downtown park w/connector loop from the LVRT (maybe with a walking tour element?).  
Discuss policy for HDP acting as Fiscal Sponsor/Fiscal Agent for activities that align with our mission.

Item #3 - Determine ways to support Spring Festival  
Financial  
Float, information table at Atkins Field  
Duck Drop Ticket Sales - % fee?

Item #4 - Facilitator for organizational prioritizing meeting/retreat?  
Posting & paying for a web designer (inquiry has been made to Katherine Lovinsky and NCIC technical support grant program)  
Logo development (Abrah has offered in-kind help☺)  
Animating Infrastructure Grant for retaining wall mural facing new downtown park or other public art downtown? ( June 1 deadline) visit link for more info:  
<https://www.vermontartscouncil.org/grants/organizations/animating-infrastructure>

Other Business/Updates

Determine date/time for next meeting☺

