

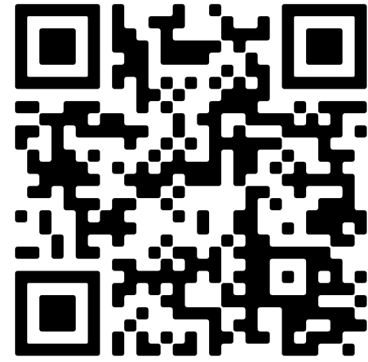
# Meadows Place

Economic Development Corporation

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The Meadows Place Economic Development Corporation (MPEDC) is charged with attracting new businesses , promoting business retention and coordinating economic development efforts in our city. These are the foundational basics used by our EDC to strengthen the economic environment and future of The City of Meadows Place.

Meadows Place EDC Welcomes the latest member to join our Board of Directors— **Emily Merkley** ! Emily has long been an active member of our community, regularly attends City Council meetings, is the current President of the Meadows Place Swim Team and now brings her skills, dedication and love for the City to the EDC. Emily is a great addition and will serve alongside the following members of the EDC Board of Directors:

BRIAN FRAME      TIM GOODING      Hon. DAVID MERTINS

RICHARD A. RAMIREZ      TERRY HENLEY      CHARLES JESSUP

*These positions are appointed by City Council.*

## WE WANT COMMUNITY INPUT

Meadows Place EDC is looking for Community Input to let us know What Business YOU want to see here. We have assembled a Search Team to gather the ideas, thoughts and commercial desires of the residents of Meadows Place . After receiving your input, we will focus on the businesses you would like to see here and build a target list. The input will be compiled and divided into two main categories : Retail / Restaurants and Commercial. This List will be a starting point for the Search Team to begin contacting companies to let them know about Meadows Place and that YOU want them.

We created an email address to help us collect your input. Put *Suggestion* in the Subject line.

Email— [EDC@cityofmeadowsplace.org](mailto:EDC@cityofmeadowsplace.org)

Just send us the name of the company you want and we will take it from there. It's that simple. If you happen know a contact, franchise or business owner, do include that info. But please limit your input to (2) choices (not including HEB, they are on almost everyone's list). Send them soon. We are anxious to get started.

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MPEDC now has positions on the EDC Advisory Council. These non-voting positions allow you to be at the table and fully participate in the meetings. Anyone may apply but those with retail, business or commercial real estate experience are asked to consider serving .

MPEDC meets at 6:30 pm on the 2nd Thursday of every month at the Discovery Center. Join us.