



Marion County Development

MISSION: *The mission of the Marion County Development Commission (MCDC), a department of county government, is to enhance the quality of life and standard of living in Marion County by promoting and developing Marion County as a quality destination to live, work and visit.*

A G E N D A

Wednesday, February 8, 2023, 7:15-8:30 AM

**Location: 3014 East Main Street, Knoxville, IA 50138
(in-person only meeting)**

1) Call to Order

2) Discussion & Potential Action Items:

- a. FY22-23 Regular Meeting Schedule-Change April date
- b. FY23-24 Budget Request Meeting Recap
- c. Best of Red Rock Announcement Event
- d. Top 10 Under 40
 - i. Selection
 - ii. Announcement Event
- e. March CONNECT meeting focus & speaker ideas
- f. 2023 Pitch Event and YEA! Awards
- g. IEDA Boost Fund Grant Application

3) Updates

- a. 2023 Red Rock Guide
- b. Soul of Iowa 2.0
- c. Bandwango Seasonal Tourism Passport Project (IEDA Grant Project)
- d. Succession Planning
- e. Websites
- f. Leadership Red Rock
- g. VA District Demolition Grant Application
- h. Office location

4) Meetings & Conferences

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">a. GDSMP, Feb. 6b. Leadership Red Rock (final session), Feb. 16c. I-LEAD (speaker), Feb. 23-24d. Iowa Restaurant Assoc. Pitch Event (judge), Feb. 28e. Marion County Employers Council Meeting, March 2f. CONNECT ED meeting, March 3 | <ol style="list-style-type: none">g. Empower Rural Iowa Task Force Meeting, March 9h. PDI Legislative Spring Event, March 21i. Iowa Tourism Conference (speaker), March 22-23j. GDSMP, April 3k. Rural Summit, April 10-12 |
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5) Community Updates

6) Adjourn

Next Meeting: TBA-April

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