



SCREVEN COUNTY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

**Screven County Development Authority
Board of Directors Meeting
March 28, 2017**

Members Present: Bobby Smith, Davy Wells, David Boddiford, Todd Bazemore, John Mark Counts

Others Present:

Enoch Autry, Sylvania Telephone Newspaper
Dorie Bacon, Executive Director
Stacy Mathis, City of Sylvania
Mayor Preston Dees, City of Sylvania

Bobby Smith called the meeting to order at 8:06 a.m. and Todd Bazemore gave an invocation.

Approval of Minutes:

Davy Wells made a motion to approve the February 2017 minutes as presented, David Boddiford seconded, passed unanimously

Approval of Financials:

David Boddiford made a motion to approve the February 2017 financials as presented, Todd Bazemore seconded, passed unanimously

Director's Report:

Executive Director Dorie Bacon thanked the state and utility partners for participating in the recent East Georgia Alliance trip to Dallas to call on consultants and brokers. She also mentioned other recent activity including Oneal's team visiting the Cutler Building, ongoing planning for the middle school career fair, and GEDA.

Old Business:

CEDOP: Chairman Smith reminded the group of the economic development training for elected officials the following day. Executive Director Dorie Bacon shared the itinerary for the event and discussed the presenters.



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Industry Appreciation Event: Chairman Bobby Smith asked board members to be at Quarter Oaks by 4 p.m. on the 20th to assist with cooking and preparations.
Manufacturing Study: Executive Director Dorie Bacon presented the board and attendees with the completed report by Georgia Southern's Bureau of Business Research on the importance of manufacturing to Screven County's economy.

New Business:

Office Roof: The board was informed that more damage had been done to the office roof during the recent storms. The roof will probably need to be replaced in the near term. Though bids have not been submitted, it has been estimated to be somewhere less than \$10,000.

Chairman Bobby Smith called the meeting to a close at 8:44 a.m.

**Respectfully Submitted,
Dorie Bacon**