City of Bloomington – Bloomington Digital Underground (BDU) Advisory Committee

MEMORANDA
January 18, 2023 4:00PM

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Meeting Called to Order: 4:05 p.m. by Rick Dietz
Board Members Present In Person: Michelle Cole, Chris Robb,
Board Members Present Virtually: Marianne Chitwood
Board Members Absent: Mike Sullivan, Mike Trotzke, Mike Allen, and Mike Satterfield
City Staff, officials, and guests present: Rick Deitz, Victoria Jones, and Dave Brodin

1) Convene / Attendance
2) Staff Reports
   a) Administrative Business & Updates
   b) ITS Department Updates
      i) Current Fiber Projects (Parks DE WiFi)
      ii) Other topics (ARPA projects, CiviForm, IU Datacenter)
3) New Business
   a) Digital Equity Initiatives (Staffing, Strategic Plan, Grants)
   b) City/Meridiam Fiber Proj: HoosierFiberNetworks Progress Report
   c) Other Opportunities (Fed Grants, ARPA, Others)
4) Continuing Business
   a) Bloomington Networking Initiatives – Local, State & National
   b) ITS Special Projects and Initiatives
      i) Website, Open Data, Process Improvement
   c) IT Operations, Challenges, and Opportunities

d) General Discussion (Topics of Interest to Members)
5) Member Reports (Items not on the agenda)

Adjournment: 4:43 p.m.

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