



**MINORITY, WOMEN, DISADVANTAGED & EVANSTON BUSINESS ENTERPRISE
DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

**Wednesday, May 17, 2023 6:00 P.M.
Lorraine H. Morton Civic Center, 2100 Ridge Avenue, Room 2402**

AGENDA

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1. CALL TO ORDER/DECLARATION OF A QUORUM

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- A. Approval of the April 19, 2023 Minutes 3 - 5
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3. GUEST INTRODUCTIONS

- A. Wissam Akra (Tough Leaf)
B. RiseKit Platform Representative

4. STAFF REPORTS

- A. M/W/D/EBE and LEP Tracking Report – HOLD June 21, 2023

5. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Tough Leaf – Presentation 6 - 21

[Tough Leaf Evanston](#)

- B. **RiseKit Platform – Presentation** 22 - 35
[RiseKit CoE Community Information Session 4.2023](#)

6. OLD BUSINESS

- A. **M/W/D/EBE Certification for Local business, Certification Process - Discussion**
- B. **Anchor Procurement NLC Update**
- C. **M/W/D/EBE Committee Work Plan Updates** 36 - 41
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7. OTHER BUSINESS

8. ADJOURNMENT

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