

RESOLUTION NO. 4994

A RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH THE KEWANEE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN, AND DECLARING THAT THIS RESOLUTION SHALL BE IN FULL FORCE IMMEDIATELY.

**WHEREAS,** in the residential survey, conducted in January 2016, revealed the residents of the City desired a concerted effort towards economic development; and,

**WHEREAS,** Resolution #4960 was passed on February 8, 2016 to create committees to develop an Economic Development Plan and a Community Development/Neighborhood Revitalization Plan; and,

**WHEREAS,** committee members were appointed to the Economic Development Planning Committee on March 14, 2016 by Resolution #4965; and,

**WHEREAS,** committee members met on a regular basis to review and develop the Economic Development Plan attached hereto as Attachment A; and,

**WHEREAS,** the attached plan provides recommendations which, when implemented as presented in the plan, will help to improve the economic climate of the community and meet the goals outlined in the plan.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE KEWANEE CITY COUNCIL, IN COUNCIL ASSEMBLED, AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1** The Economic Development Plan for the City of Kewanee, as contained in Attachment A hereto, shall be and hereby is approved.

**Section 2** The City Manager is hereby directed to implement the plan and periodically update the status of the plan's implementation chapter as appropriate.

**Section 3** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval as provided by law.

Adopted by the Council of the City of Kewanee, Illinois this 8<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2016.

ATTEST:

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Melinda Edwards, City Clerk

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Steve Looney, Mayor

RECORD OF THE VOTE	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Mayor Steve Looney				
Council Member Deann Schweitzer				
Council Member Andrew Koehler				
Council Member Kellie Wallace-McKenna				
Council Member Michael Yaklich				