



The Economic Development Corporation of Lawrence and Douglas County

March 14, 2018

Diane Stoddard, Assistant City Manager
City of Lawrence
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Lawrence, KS 66044

Dear Diane,

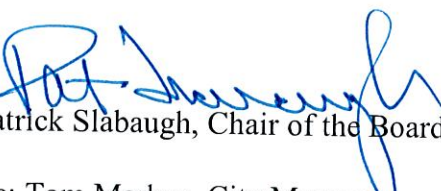
The EDC Board of Directors would like to request the Lawrence City Commission amend City Code: Chapter 1, Article 21, and associated Ordinances, which deals with the Public Incentive Review Committee (PIRC) and request that Brad Burnside continue to serve the group until July 2018. The EDC Board of Directors would appreciate the following changes:

- Allow for the EDC Board's representative to PIRC be the EDC Board Chair or **his/her designee**
- Allow for the appointed representative to serve on PIRC regardless of residence, as long as the appointee is involved in the Lawrence business community.

Currently, Brad Burnside, a member of the EDC Board, is serving as its representative on PIRC. The EDC Board of Directors requests that he remain as the representative until July 2018 when the 2018-2019 EDC Board of Directors is approved and a new appointment can be made.

We appreciate the opportunity to make this request for amendments to the City Code regarding PIRC.

Respectfully,


Patrick Slabaugh, Chair of the Board

Cc: Tom Markus, City Manager