

City of Charlotte

*Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center
600 East 4th Street
Charlotte, NC 28202*



Meeting Agenda

Monday, May 4, 2026

**Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center, Room
CH-14**

Economic Development and Workforce Council Committee

*Mayor Pro Tem James Mitchell, Chair
Council Member Dante Anderson
Council Member J.D. Mazuera Arias
City Council Member LaWana Mayfield
Council Member Victoria Watlington*

11:00 a.m. Economic Development and Workforce City Council Committee Meeting

The public and the media can view the meeting on the Government Channel or on the city's YouTube Channel.

1. Mobility Impact Report + Gap Analysis - 45 Minutes

Staff Resource(s):

*Monica Allen, City's Manager's Office,
Danielle Frazier, Special Assistant to City Manager, Workforce Development
Sha Rana, Director Economic Development
Edward McKinney, Special Assistant to City Manager
Cheryl Wright, Director Contracting and Procurement*

Explanation

- An update will be provided on the impact report that focuses on workforce and business investments needed to support transit and transportation in the region.

Action: Informational

[\(6\) Certified Small Business Uses City Contract to Install Solar Street Lines in Arrowood SIA - YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-ALqpelvbns&t=3s>](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-ALqpelvbns&t=3s)

[01 JED Presentation 5-4-26 Final](#)

2. Upcoming Council Action - Eastland Yards - 15 Minutes

Staff Resource(s):

Todd DeLong, Economic Development

Explanation

- Staff will provide a brief update regarding upcoming Council actions in May.

Action: Informational

3. CBIAC Update - 10 Minutes

Staff Resource(s):

Monica Allen, City Manager's Office

Guests: Zahn Patin, President of the Charlotte Business Inclusion Advisory Committee (CBIAC)

Explanation

- The Charlotte Business Inclusion Advisory Committee (CBIAC) that represents a variety of businesses and whose members are appointed by the City Council will present its report to Committee.

Action: Informational

[03 CBIAC 2025 Annual Report Revised V2](#)

4. ED Project Prioritization - 10 Minutes

Staff Resource(s):

Alyson Craig, Deputy City Manager

Explanation

- Staff will provide a brief introduction to upcoming ED projects that may come before Committee and Council in upcoming months.

Action: Informational

5. Small Business Month/Upcoming Events - 10 Minutes

Staff Resource(s):

Shahid Rana, Economic Development Department

Explanation

- This presentation will highlight key economic development events taking place in May.

Action: Informational

[#31DaysofBiz 2026 Recap Video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4wRCC7GNg2k&list=PLu5-dD-0UcL74ru_cNJ-j7DLOxzb2iWmZ&index=2>](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4wRCC7GNg2k&list=PLu5-dD-0UcL74ru_cNJ-j7DLOxzb2iWmZ&index=2)

[05 Small Business 04 May 2026. EDW Committee](#)

Adjournment