Tourism Product Development Committee Meeting – January 17, 2019, 6:00PM 3468 North Fulton Ave Hapeville, GA 30354

## 1. Welcome and Introduction

Chloe Alexander called the meeting to order at approximately 6:11 PM.

All members of the committee were present:

Chloe Alexander

David Burt

Katrina Bradbury

**Shannon Short** 

Tim Young

## 2. Election of Officers

Chairman-Katrina Bradbury

Vice-Chairman- Tim Young

Secretary- Chloe Alexander

## 3. New Business

- a. Hotel Motel Tax Overview- Discussion of Hotel Motel Tax, how it is collected, and differences between Hapeville's past and present designations. The committee discussed that the DCA allows cities to be represented by more than one DMO if desired.
- b. Discussed issues with past expenditures and recommendations by the DCA to avoid noncompliance with designated uses. Reviewed current and projected HMT collections through FY 2019, including the theater rebuild and Recreation Center kitchen remodel. The committee discussed diverting funds away from the Recreation Center conference room due to infrequent usage. Discussed that collected TPD funds should be spent within 12-18 months of collection.
- 4. Scheduling of February Meeting Date- Mr. Young departed the meeting early to attend the previously scheduled South Fulton Municipal Association meeting. The committee agreed to set the date for the February meeting after getting feedback from all members.
- 5. Adjourn- Chloe Alexander adjourned the meeting at 6:54 PM

Respectfully submitted,
Katrina Bradbury, Chairman
Chloe Alexander, Secretary