

The Village of Ellsworth
Downtown Development Authority
April 20, 2026
Meeting Notes

Because the village has become a Redevelopment Ready Community so we were able to offer our downtown businesses an opportunity apply for the Match on Main Grant offered by the MEDC. The Front Porch & The Good Samaritan Furniture store applied and after careful review it was decided to support both grants. So Lynn and Tina worked on getting the grants submitted on time. Today was the deadline.

The Concert Agenda is set:

June 24--Tradesmen –Heather Beem Host-----Food Truck

July 1—RPM—Tina Sundelius Host

July 8—Drawbridge Ukelele—Chris Wallace Host

July 15—Jake Slatter, Elvis—Heather Beem Host-----Food Truck

July 22—Sunshine String Band—

July 29—Gospel Night—

August 5—Foghorn Jazz—

August 12—Open Mic—

We have \$16,795.00 in the bank.

Topics to finalize:

- Coffee Shop

Village President stated that Jailhouse Cannabis has asked about setting up shop in Ellsworth. Presently we have an ordinance against all cannabis activities. Would have to investigate changing ordinance.

He was supposed to meet with FEMA today. They haven't called yet. RE: Water levels/flooding.