

Downtown Area Citizens Advisory Council
Tuesday, January 3, 2023 at 7 pm at City Hall and via Zoom

Roll call:

Carolyn L Arcure: present

John Chamberlin: not present

Donald N Duquette: present in Ann Arbor on Zoom

Joan M French: not present

Peter Honeyman: present

Stephen G Palms: not present

Angela F Peat: present in Ann Arbor on Zoom

John Splitt: not present

Also attending: Joseph Arcure, Jeff Crockett, Julie Ritter, Chris Crockett, Grace Singleton, Sandra Andrade (Zoom), Chen Lyu (Zoom), Meryn Campbell (Zoom)

The Downtown Area Citizens Advisory Council, which works to advise the DDA and City Council about issues and opportunities that affect downtown livability, met in person and over Zoom on Tuesday, January 3, 2023. After an engaged conversation about recent developments, the Council met with Jonathan Laye, Case Worker in the City's nascent Supportive Connections program. Supportive Connections is a "gap service" (funded by weed \$\$\$) that serves individuals at risk of engaging with law enforcement. Supportive Connections serves them by interfacing with multiple agencies on issues of mental health, substance abuse, housing, and child protective services.