



**TOWN OF KILMARNOCK**  
**Council Committee Agenda –Economic Development**

**Date:** January 7, 2016      **Time:** 9:00 AM      **Location:** Town Hall

**Town Council Member Attendees:**

X = present

**Chair:** Council Member Emerson Gravatt \_X\_  
Council Member Dr. Curtis H. Smith      \_\_  
Mayor Mae Umphlett (ex-officio)      \_X\_

**Town Staff Attendees:**

Town Manager Tom Saunders      \_X\_  
Deputy TM Susan Cockrell      \_X\_  
Planning & Zoning Director Marshall Sebra \_\_

**Visitors:** Betsy Crowther

**Discussion items:**

1. The committee reviewed the status of any new or closing businesses.
2. The committee was updated on Branding work: the website is now 98% complete and a rollout plan has been developed.
3. The committee was apprised of the VDOT Rt. 3 corridor study. This is a longer term view of the needs of Rt. 3. Approximately \$50 million in project costs have been identified with \$28 million of that would take place within the town’s boundaries. If the corridor study is adopted as a guiding document we should consider updating our Comprehensive Plan to include these anticipated changes-primarily improvements along James B. Jones Hwy and Harris Road.

FYI: None

**Recommendations to Council: None**

**Recommended for further study: None**