

# Cornwall Economic Development Commission

## **Mission**

To create, develop and maintain a healthy and viable business climate, locale and heritage in Cornwall CT. To promote tolerance and acceptance of economic diversity and the right/need to work in Cornwall CT.

Topic: Cornwall Regular EDC Meeting at the Cornwall Library and via Zoom

Time: Tuesday Aug 26. , 2025 07:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89856619045?pwd=RfjDc92gT3HtODdopobRuJmtu92rHW.1>

Meeting ID: 898 5661 9045

Passcode: 912048

1. Call the meeting to order.
2. Approve minutes from the meeting of July 22, 2025

## **Communications**

### **Presentations**

Deidra Fisher of Branch Out coaching business

### **Unfinished Business**

Inventory of Commercial space (Neil)

Costs of lighting tree at Cornwall Bridge (Chris)

### **New Business**

1. Report by Treasurer; identification of future spending (Gary)
2. Costs for 2024 12Days of Christmas (Chris)
3. Music strategy for the Pink House and for Cornwall Market (Chris)
4. Cornwall Days and potential subsidization of music by EDC (\$5-600) (Mare)
5. How to ensure that guests of BnBs are aware of what is going on in Cornwall (Simon)

## **Report of Selectmen**

Rocco Botto

### **Goals for 2025**

1. Continue to promote Cornwall and its existing businesses; consistent outreach to Cornwall business community
2. Support BOS in attracting/ enabling new business entrepreneurs in Cornwall; help to identify business opportunities and help facilitate new business creation
3. Work more closely with Cornwall agricultural sector.
4. Develop Spring and Summer Events, including music events
5. Represent Cornwall at regional/state meetings.

**We are always looking for current ideas! Please share any thoughts on new businesses, new opportunities, etc.**

### **Announcements**

Next meeting is on Tuesday September 23, 2025 at 7:30pm in the Cornwall Library, and by Zoom

Meetings are held on the fourth Tuesday of each month, except in case of conflict with holidays.

### **Adjournment**