



**ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND INNOVATION COMMITTEE**

**Tuesday, March 21, 2023, 9:00 a.m.**  
**City Council Conference Room 2020, Second Floor, City Hall**  
**200 Texas Street**  
**Fort Worth, Texas 76102**

Committee Members

Leonard Firestone, Chair	Michael Crain, Vice Chair	Carlos Flores, Member
Chris Nettles, Member	Bobby Ahdieh, Member	Jonathan Balch, Member
Stephen Condon, Member	Cameron Cushman, Member	Holli Davies, Member
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Jarratt Watkins, Member		

City Staff

Staff Liaison: William Johnson, Assistant City Manager  
Robert Sturns, Economic Development Director  
John Strong, Senior Assistant City Attorney

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| <b>1. Call to Order</b>  | Leonard Firestone                   |
| <b>2. Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting</b>  | Leonard Firestone                   |
| <b>3. Discussion on a Fort Worth Entrepreneurship Center: A Launching Pad for Entrepreneurs in Fort Worth</b>          | Trey Bowles                         |
| <b>4. Update on the Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) Phase 0 Program with the Health Science Center (HSC)</b> | Adrian Denvir and<br>Nicole Reilley |
| <b>5. Adjourn</b>  | Leonard Firestone                   |

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City Secretary for the City of Fort Worth, Texas