Meeting Minutes from 09-13-18

- 1. Introductions.
 - a. Robert: Unison: modern home furnishings, unisonhome.com (catalog)
 - b. Shannon: Green Diaper Babies: cloth diaper service
 - c. Connor: Oda-la-Rose: flower company
 - d. Laurel: ICNC-international trade----09-19 | Export Compliance (all-day), 09-20 | Illinois Round-table (1.5 hours).
 - e. Merly: ICNC-SBDC---
 - f. Nathan: Mojo Coffee//Shops
 - g. Catalina: Catan Pisco: Chilean liquor
 - h. Jon: Studio Thread: web & video <u>Jon@studiothread.com</u>
 - i. Non-profit: digital rights & privacy | Netizen
 - i. Hannah: ICNC--TIF--reimbursement opportunity, employee training__ON HOLD-Jan 2019 projected
 - j. Jenny: Rhine Hall Distillery : European Fruit Brandy
- 2. No Parking Signs | Be considerate---loading docs & ease of usage
 - a. YOUR CAN BUY A PARKING SPOT! veronica@industrialcouncil.com
 - b. Be careful---new cop on the beat is eager; more tickets.
- 3. LUNCH POP-UPS----every other Wednesday. Catering business interested in POP up---needing suggestions (\$600-\$800 revenue, 75 buyers)
 - a. Vietnom-nom
 - b. Pastoral
 - c.NEED more suggestions!
- 4. OPEN HOUSE: 09-27 4-7pm | Tips and Tricks to prep your space & get ready
- 5. Tenant lounge 10-3, 10-12, 10-17, 10-30 (Banking, Insurance, Advising sessions to help small business owners, as well as personal banking/questions)--for owners, employee, everyone!

6. NEXT MEETING is Thursday, October 11, 3:45pm-4:45pm @ Tenant Lounge

- 7. Please be on-time to meetings, meetings will also be on time.
- 8. Always bring business cards and be open to making connections outside of the monthly meeting.
- 9. Communication outside of the meetings will be on **Slack.** Email Hannah if you need a new link to join the conversation with other owners here at ICNC.

Questions & Additional

1. Recycling | Cardboard and Glass

- a. Consolidation--find a recycling or TRASH buddy!
- 2. Compactor: sign up through Republic
- 3. Tenant Lounge | Coffee pot & tea offered.
- 4. Courier services---by Door Dash Drive
- 5. Logistics Company | Like Eco-logistics; Homer Logistics
- 6. <u>Shlep</u> Furniture delivery company

" Make City" on Slack.

We have multiple channels, get involved, start a conversation!

WINS

-Rhine Hall | get people in the tasting room

-Studio Thread | client win!

-Catan | beginning the journey, 2 months old!

-Mojo | got bought! **Cooks Global Foods**

-Merly | personal fun!

-Hannah | trip to Portugal

-Laurel | wants to be exporting more out of ICNC! Visit to Uruguay

-Oda La Rose | new hires!

-Unison | great year over year reports! --looking for a Accounting+Operations Manager

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-Green Diaper Babies | New hire wins!