# **SOUTH PLAINS ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS**

## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MINUTES**

# **TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2020**

Be it remembered that the Board of Directors of South Plains Association of Governments met at 10:00 A.M., Tuesday, March 10, 2020 in the SPAG Board Room.

☑ Indicates board members who were present.

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

NAMANAN NAMANAMAN	Judge Lee Norman, presiding Mayor John Baker Judge Jim Barron Mayor Cliff Black Councilmember Karen Boyce Judge Kevin Brendle Mayor Blake Cate Councilmember Juan Chadis Commissioner Tommy Clevenger Commissioner Jason Corley Judge Duane Daniel Mr. Calvin Davis Judge Mike DeLoach Mayor Wendell Dunlap Commissioner Gilbert Flores Judge Rusty Forbes Mayor Geronimo M. Gonzales Councilmember Jeff Griffith		Judge Pat Sabala Henry Councilmember Latrelle Joy Mr. Armando Lopez Judge Marty Lucke Judge Woodle McArthur Commissioner Mario Martinez Councilmember Steve Massengale Judge Jim Meador Judge David Mull Mayor Lynn Nowlin Judge Curtis Parrish Councilmember Shelia Patterson-Harris Senator Charles Perry Mayor Barbra Pinner Mr. Floyd Price Mayor Clinton Sawyer Commissioner Chad Seay Ms. Lottie Spencer
<u>iY</u> i	Councilmemper Jeff Griffith	Ø	Ms. Lottle Spencer Judge Jackie (Butch) Wagner

### STAFF:

Tim Pierce Belinda Solis Tim Schwartz Kelly Davila Tommy Murillo Ashlyn Smith Liz Castro Jared Velasquez Gyn Samples Chelsey Baldivia Gina Barrera Naomi Couture Hadiqa Basit GayLynn Mosher Ayda Chapa

### President Lee Norman called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

B-019-20 President Lee Norman opened the floor to receive Public Comment from citizens to address the Executive Committee/Board concerning an issue of interest that is posted on the agenda for the meeting. No Public Comments were received.

B-020-20 Motion made by Latrelle Joy seconded by Wendell Dunlap and unanimously approved the minutes and ratification of the actions taken at the February 11, 2020 meeting.

B-021-20 Motion made by John Baker seconded by J. D. (Butch) Wagner and unanimously approved acceptance of the financial report for the month of January 2020.

B-022-20 Presentation by Ginny Lewis, Executive Director, Texas Association of Regional Councils (TARC), regarding key initiatives currently affecting Texas Councils of Governments (COGs).

B-023-20 Presentation by Judy Wilhelm, Executive Regional Director of Northwest Texas Small Business Development Centers on "Helping South Plains Businesses Grow".

B-024-20 Motion made by J. D. (Butch) Wagner seconded by Duane Daniel and unanimously approved the 2021-2022 Area Agency on Aging Area Plan.

B-025-20 Motion made by Mike DeLoach seconded by J. D. (Butch) Wagner and unanimously approved the purchase of 9-1-1 Public Safety Awareness Point (PSAP) equipment.

B-026-20 Motion made by Gilbert Flores seconded by Mike DeLoach and unanimously approved the resolution authorizing the submission of a grant application in the amount of \$55,430.80 to the Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice Division, Violence Against Women Justice and Training Program.

B-027-20 Motion made by Floyd Price seconded by J. D. (Butch) Wagner and unanimously approved the prioritization of the FY' 2021 Homeland Security Grants Division Applications as recommended by the Emergency Responder Advisory Committee (ERAC).

B-028-20 Motion made by Wendell Dunlap seconded by Cliff Black and unanimously approved the nomination of Erik Rejino, Levelland City Manager, as the South Plains Representative for the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) Statewide Unified Scoring Committee (USC).

B-029-20 Motion made by Clinton Sawyer and seconded by Duane Daniel and unanimously approved authorizing 1 new FTE for Regional Services Department, and a change in classification for an existing Regional Services Department position.

#### **B-030-20 Staff Reports**

 Tommy Murillo reported I-info system network will be used for communicating with Board members if meetings are cancelled and requested Board contact info be up-to-date. SPAG Board of Directors March 10, 2020 Meeting Minutes Page 3 of 3

Tim Pierce reported on the Commission on State Emergency Communications (SCEC)
 FY'2019 Final Compliance Assessment.

Minutes Read and Approved this 15th day of April 2020.

Lee Norman, President

Tim C. Pierce, Executive Director