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SOUTH PLAINS ASSOCATION OF GOVERNMENTS

BOARD OF DIRECTORS TELECONFERENCE MEETING MINUTES

TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 2020

Be it remembered that the Board of Directors of South Plains Association of Governments met at 10:00 A.M., Tuesday, June 9, 2020 via teleconference.

- ☑ Indicates Executive Committee (EC) and Board members who were present:
- ☑ Judge Lee Norman EC (presiding)
- ☑ Mayor John Baker EC
- ☑ 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 EC
- ✓ Judge Mike DeLoach EC

 Mayor Wendell Dunlap EC

 Commissioner Gilbert Flores EC
- ✓ Judge Rusty Forbes
 Mayor Geronimo M. Gonzales
- ☑ Councilmember Jeff Griffith EC Judge Pat Sabala Henry
 - **STAFF PRESENT:**

Tim C. Pierce Belinda Solis Tim Schwartz Kelly Davila Liz Castro Ayda Chapa

- ☑ Councilmember Latrelle Joy Mr. Armando Lopez
- ☑ Judge Marty Lucke
- ✓ Judge Woodie McArthur Commissioner Mario Martinez
- ☑ Councilmember Steve Massengale
- ☑ Judge Jim Meador EC
- ✓ Judge David Mull
- ☑ Mayor Lynn Nowlin
- ✓ Judge Curtis Parrish
- ✓ Councilmember Shelia Patterson-Harris Senator Charles Perry
- ✓ Mayor Barbra Pinner EC Mr. Floyd Price
- ✓ Mayor Clinton Sawyer Commissioner Chad Seay
- ☑ Ms. Lottie Spencer
- ☑ Judge J. D. "Butch" Wagner

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President Lee Norman called the meeting to order at 10:00 A.M.

B-048-20 President Lee Norman opened the floor to receive Public Comment from citizens to address the Board concerning an issue of interest that is posted on the agenda for the meeting. No Public Comments were received.

B-049-20 Motion made by Marty Lucke seconded by Jim Barron and unanimously approved the minutes and ratification of the actions taken at the May 12, 2020 meeting.

B-050-20 Motion made by J. D. Wagner seconded by David Mull and unanimously approved the financial report for the month of April 2020.

B-051-20 Motion made by Clinton Sawyer seconded by Mike DeLoach and unanimously approved the submittal of a noncompetitive Supplement Grant Application to the U. S. Department of Commerce, Economic Development Administration (EDA) as part of the 2020 CARES Act Recovery Assistance Program.

B-052-20 Motion made by Curtis Parrish seconded by Jim Barron and unanimously approved the submittal of a noncompetitive SPAG COVID-19 Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) Grant Application to the U. S. Department of Commerce, Economic Development Administration (EDA) as part of the 2020 CARES Act Recovery Assistance Program.

B-053-20 Motion made by Barbra Pinner seconded by John Baker and unanimously approved authorizing the purchase a new modular workstation system for the Regional Services, Economic Development and Finance Departments.

B-054-20 Motion made by Mike DeLoach seconded by Blake Cate and unanimously approved authorizing 2 new FTE's classified as Regional Services/Economic Development Specialist II (B-15) for the Regional Services/Economic Development Department.

B-055-20 Lee Norman, President, appointed the following individuals to serve on the 2020-2021 SPAG Nominating Committee:

- Mayor Wendell Dunlap (Chair)
- Judge Pat Henry
- Councilmember Jeff Griffith
- Judge Mike DeLoach
- Mayor Barbra Pinner
- Judge Kevin Brendle
- Judge Lee Norman (Ex-Officio)

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B-056-20 Lee Norman, President, appointed the following individuals to serve on the 2020-2021 Financial Plan Committee:

- Judge Lee Norman
- Mayor John Baker
- Councilmember Jeff Griffith
- Judge Mike DeLoach
- Mayor Barbra Pinner
- Commissioner Gilbert Flores
- Mayor Wendell Dunlap
- Calvin Davis

B-057-20 Motion made by Marty Lucke seconded by J. D. Wagner and unanimously approved the appointment of Patti Lowrance (Floyd County), Retha Pittman (Lynn County), Todd Stiggins (Lubbock County), and Tim Crosswhite (Hale County) to the Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC).

B-058-20 Staff Reports

- Tim Pierce announced the July monthly SPAG Board of Directors meeting will be a teleconference meeting due to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Tim Pierce provided an overview of the TDEM and CJD grant opportunities and announced a teleconference in regards to the TDEM Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) will be held on June 17th at 10:00 A.M.
- Tim Pierce provided a status update on the SPAG office and employees in regards to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Minutes Read and Approved this 14th day of July 2020.

Lee Norman, Président

Tim C. Pierce, Executive Director