

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING THE CORPORATION OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CITY OF BRIDGEPORT October 28, 2021

The Board of Directors of the Economic Development Corporation met in called meeting on Thursday, October 28, 2021 at 8:00 a.m. in the offices at 608 13th Street, Bridgeport, Texas.

DIRECTORS PRESENT: Corey Ingram, David Lawson, Angie Tyson, Alan Green, &

David Correll

DIRECTORS ABSENT: None

STAFF PRESENT: Leah Clark, Executive Director

Amy Hiler, Operations & Special Projects Manager

Отнего Present: Fred Meyers, Interim City Manager Isaac Turner, & Tracy Butler

CALL TO ORDER: Corey Ingram called the meeting to order at 8:03 am.

Invocation: Alan Green

Public Comment: None

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS: None

STAFF AND COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- 1. Project Updates
 - a. Board Information Plans to do a new strategic plan in Q1 of 2022
 - b. Sales Tax BEDC net deposit \$76,245, YTD up 23.5%
 - c. Buildings/Grounds Still waiting on good materials for Endeavor Wall.
 - d. Endeavor Bridgeport Master plan concepts for the Business Park were presented.
 - e. Dry Creek Retail Development EDPA has still not gone to council.
 - f. Ace Hardware Beautification grant has been issued. They are still waiting on C.O., hoping to open next month.
 - g. Marketing Catalyst will begin a marketing campaign for Endeavor when plans are finalized. EDC website is being fine tuned.

- h. Project Coffee Bean BEDC staff sent a certified demand letter.
- i. Main Street Trick or Treat on Halsell, October 31st
- j. Destination Bridgeport No updates, historic component being worked on by ThinkMents, may be added to the website.
- k. Chamber of Commerce There are available spots on the Board.
- I. Available Properties Walker's Park and Dry Creek Retail Planned development was approved. Mann/Carpenter property on Hwy 380 is under contract (planning on annexing). Wolf Property has a commercial real estate sign on it. JP Carpenter property on 114 South of town is available. 380 frontage, 5 acres available East of Love's.
- m. BPW / Pantera Ventures Attorneys are working on the demand letter.
- 2. Financials no questions.

No Executive Session

BEDC did not enter into Executive Session during this meeting.

Angie Tyson made a motion to approve the financial statements as presented October 28, 2021.

Alan Green seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0.

David Lawson made a motion to approve minutes from the Regular Board Meeting for September 23, 2021 as presented.

Angle Tyson seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0.

Angie Tyson made a motion to adjourn the meeting.

David Correll seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5-0.

The next BEDC meeting will be December 9, 2021 at 8:00 a.m.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 a.m.

David Correll – EDC Board Secretary

Date