Coahoma Economic Development Corp.

On Tuesday, May 13, 2025 the ECDC met at 7:00 pm in a regularly scheduled public meeting at Coahoma City Hall.

Members present: Kelly Seales, Shane Burt, Cody Ditto and Chance O'Daniel Members absent: Kandi Campbell, Ricky Crawford, and Vanessa King-Behrends

- I. Call to Order The meeting was called to order by Kelly Seales at 7:03 pm.
- II. Prayer/Pledge Cody Ditto led the prayer and Shane Burt led the pledge.
- III. Approve/Disapprove Previous Minutes Minutes from the April 2025 meeting were reviewed. Motion to approve minutes as written was made by Cody Ditto. Seconded by Shane Burt, motion carried 4-0.
- IV. Discuss/Consider Mural Project The board discussed completion of the project and specifically the completion of the Bulldog Mural. The board was provided with feedback from the building owner regarding the top portion of the building remaining unpainted. The board agreed that the building needs to be painted all the way to the top. The board instructed Board President to request mural artist finish up with red paint to the top of the building. The board discussed providing equipment to aide muralist in reaching top of building. Motion was made by Cody Ditto to pay for up to two days rental not to exceed \$500 total for skylift/manlift to aide in completion of the Bulldog Mural. Seconded by Chance O'Daniel, motion passed 4-0.
- V. Discuss/Consider Park Improvement Project Discussion regarding project including updates on awning construction and pouring of concrete pads. Contractor is still working towards having project completed prior to Labor Day. Board also discussed installing a Sand Volleyball court on the park property, installing new benches along sidewalks (already owned by city, new and unused) and purchasing additional playground equipment.
- VI. CEDC Financial Report Ricky Crawford was unavailable to present report. Board reviewed current bank balance and recent bills and deposits. No action was taken.
- VII. Approve/Disapprove Current Bills No bills at this time. Board discussed paying for August TEDC Training in Lubbock. President will attend, possibly other board members as well.
- VIII. New Property/Business Prospects/Projects The board discussed an Advertising opportunity within the Coahoma Little League Baseball/Softball organization that will also benefit the community youth sports league. Sponsorship for All-Stars Tournament includes advertising on large banners at the sports complex during all tournaments, and would benefit potentially 8 divisions of the league, including boys and girls in all age brackets. Motion to pay \$1,000 per league (boys and girls) for a total of \$2,000 for Advertising/Sponsorship was made by Chance O'Daniel. Seconded by Cody Ditto, motion passed 4-0.
- IX. Executive Session No executive session required.
- X. Adjourn Cody Ditto made motion at 8:17 pm. Seconded by Shane Burt, motion carried 4-0.

Kelly Seales, President

Kandi Campbell, Secretary