

Bond Advisory Committee

October 22nd, 2014, 2:00 p.m.

Upstairs Conference Room – Civic Center Tour of Project Sites

The Bond Advisory Committee met on Wednesday, October 22nd, 2014 at 2:00 pm in the Upstairs Conference Room, Civic Center, 1100 North 6th Street, Abilene, Texas. Stormy Higgins, Chairman of the Committee was present and presiding with the following members: Carissa Platt, Jack Wilson, Sylvia Leal, John Hill, Shannel Anderson, Dr. Allison Garrett, Sam Vinson, Mike Dunnahoo, Lt. Col. Michael Harner, Brent Casey, Michael Hernandez, and Rev. Iziar Lankford. Committee member absent was Terry Johnson. Various members of the City Staff and Media were also present

Stormy Higgins called the meeting to order.

Chairman Higgins stated that the committee has been given the minutes from the October 8th meeting and there being no additions, corrections or deletions to the minutes as presented, Shannel Anderson made the motion to approve the minutes as presented. Clarissa Platt made the second, motion carried.

Chairman Higgins handed out a project list and asked that each committee member check off the projects that are most wanted, needed, and to consider the tax rate increase. After a brief discussion, the group followed James Childers to see a demonstration of the Civic Center “fly weight” system in the theatre. Audrey Perry led the group on a tour of the lobby, exhibit hall and kitchen.

Afterwards, the committee members boarded a CityLink bus at 2:45 pm. Stops included Fire Station #4 with Chief Ken Dozier, Zoo Medical Clinic and Maintenance Barn with Zoo Director, Bill Gersonde, Animal Services facilities with Aaron Vannoy, and the Fire Maintenance building. During the bus route, Megan Santee, Director of Public Works, discussed the street repairs that were on the project list.

Upon completion of the tour, the bus returned to the Civic Center and Chairman Higgins adjourned the meeting at 4:55 p.m.

Danette Dunlap, TRMC
City Secretary

Stormy Higgins
Chairman