# CITY OF SAN ANTONIO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

## SMALL BUSINESS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVOCACY (SBEDA) COMMITTEE

# Meeting Minutes

Monday, February 27, 2023

Present
D1 Siew Pang
Mayoral
D2 Mohammad Rasool
D3 Joy McGhee
D4 Juanita Sepulveda
D5 Mark Andrew Garcia
D6 Angela Gonzales
D7 Katherine Sanchez-Rocha
D8 Anwar Tahir
D9 Steven A. Gonzales

Staff Present
Brenda Hicks-Sorensen
Ana Bradshaw
Margaret Toscano
Shuchi Nagpal
Michael Sindon
Sarah Martin

#### **Call to Order**

Chair Juanita Sepulveda called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m., February 27, 2023.

Roll call was taken by Michael Sindon. Quorum was met.

#### **Approval of Minutes**

D10 Roy Schauffele

Chair Juanita Sepulveda entertained a motion to approve the SBEDA meeting minutes from November 29, 2022.

Katherine Sanchez-Rocha motioned to approve the minutes. Roy Schauffele seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

#### **Public Comments**

No public comments were made.

#### **Briefing and Possible Action on the Following Items**

#### 1. SBEDA Committee Chair and Vice Chair Elections.

Committee Members, Mohammad Rasool and Anwar Tahir arrived at 9:07 a.m.

Michael Sindon opened the chair position for election.

Roy Schauffele motioned to nominate Juanita Sepulveda. Anwar Tahir seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Next, Michael Sindon opened the vice chair position for election.

Juanita Sepulveda motioned to nominate Roy Schauffele. Steven Gonzalez seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

### 2. Briefing on SBEDA Program FY 22 Annual Report

Michael Sindon presented the SBEDA Annual Report and answered questions from committee members.

Chair Juanita Sepulveda asked for the outreach information, resources, presentation, and more information to be passed to the board.

#### 3. Briefing on Diversity Action Plan FY 22 Annual Report

Michael Sindon presented the Diversity Action Plan Annual Report and answered questions from committee members.

#### **Chair and Staff Updates**

Michael Sindon gave the committee updates on the Disparity Study timeline, SBEDA Compliance Audit, SCTRCA Certification Audit, 2021 FCC Report Card, and FY 23 Annual Procurement Guide.

Chair Juanita Sepulveda made a call of action to reach out to staff about questions and resources.

Economic Development Staff made a call of action for flexibility for upcoming SBEDA meetings.

#### **Adjournment**

Steven Gonzales made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Anwar Tahir seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 10:18 a.m.