#### **AGENDA**

#### Board of Directors Regular Meeting Tulsa County Conservation District 6660 S. Sheridan Rd. Suite 120 Tulsa, OK 74133 September 14, 2017 - 4:00 PM

- 1. Meeting called to order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Consider, Discuss, and Take possible action on the following agenda items:
- 4. Consideration of Consent Agenda:
  - A. Approval of Minutes from the August 10, 2017 Regular Meeting
  - B. Approval of Financial Statements & District Budget for Period Ending August 2017
  - C. Review of TACF Financials for Periods Ending in August 30, 2017
  - D. Approval of District Reimbursement Claims and Payment of Bills Owed by the District
  - E. Approval of District Employee Timesheet & Leave Records for the Month of August 2017
- 5. Consideration of and Possible Action on Items to be Removed Consent Agenda
- 6. Discussion and/or Possible Action on the Following District Operation Items:
  - A. Discussion and Acceptance of District Conservationist Agency Report
  - B. Approval of the NRCS Farm Bill Performance Worksheet
  - C. Crow Creek update with Jean Lemmon
  - D. TCCD Monthly Activities and Outreach Report
  - E. Discussion and Approval of TCCD/NRCS Operational Agreement
  - F. TCCD/NRCS Locally Led Meeting Update
  - G. RMC Planning Update
  - H. Discussion of the 2018 Home & Garden Show Booth Map
  - I. Approval of Area III Registration Fees for Gabriael Parker and Board Members (If Applicable)
  - J. Discussion and Possible Approval of Project Wet Workshop at Camp Loughridge
    Attendance
  - K. Discussion and Approval of Professional Grant Development Workshop at OU Attendance
- 7. Proposed Executive Session:

Vote in open session to enter Executive Session, as authorized by Title 25 O.S. Section 307 (B) (7), to discuss and review the conservation plans for Lottsie and Mike Spradling. If the executive session is approved, designate in open session the person keeping minutes.

A. Return to open session and establishment of quorum. Take any action or entertain a motion related to executive session described above.

- 8.
- 9. New Business:
- 10. Public Comments:
- 11. Adjourn:



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#### STATEMENT OF APPROVAL OF MINUTES

I certify that the minutes from the **Regular Meeting** of the Tulsa County Conservation District Board of Directors held on **September 14, 2017** were approved as written by a vote in the **Regular Meeting** of the Board of Directors held on **October 12, 2017** 

Chair, Board of Directors

October 12, 2017
Date

Attest:

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# Minutes Tulsa County Conservation District Regular Board Meeting

Date:

September 14, 2017

Time:

4:00 PM

Members Present:

Jana Black, Vice Chairwoman

Zach Kilburn, Treasure John Beasley, Member Tom Tolbert, Member

Members Absent:

Melissa Gray, Chairwoman

Others Present:

Gabriael Parker, District Secretary

Jean Lemmon, Director of Education and Reporting for the

Water Quality Division, Oklahoma Conservation

Commission

Cleaon Bradford, NRCS Acting District Conservationist

#### 1. Meeting Called to Order:

Vice-Chairwoman, Jana Black called the meeting to order at 4:07 PM. She noted this was a regular meeting and is held in compliance with the Open Meeting Act, Title 25 of the Oklahoma Statutes, Section 301 and following, as amended. Notice of this meeting is on file with the county clerk's office. The agenda for this meeting was posted on September 13, 2017 in the front window at 6660 S. Sheridan Rd. Suite 120, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74133.

- 2. Roll Call
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- 4. Consideration of Consent Agenda:
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After a brief discussion, John Beasley made a motion to approval the consent agenda as presented. Zach Kilburn 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Nays: None. The motion carries.

#### 5. Consideration of and Possible Action on Items to be Removed Consent Agenda

- 6. Discussion and/or Possible Action on the Following District Operation Items:
- A. Discussion and Acceptance of District Conservationist Agency Report Cleaon Bradford said Tulsa County had one Conservation Stewardship Program participant. All other potential participants were either ineligible or cancelled. All EQIP deadlines have been completed for FY-2017. Not all participants have completed their practices for FY-2017. Cleaon said they have yet to receive information on funds for FY-2018. The new fiscal year starts October 1<sup>st</sup>. Zach Kilburn made a motion to accept the District Conservationist's Agency Report.
- **B.** Approval of the NRCS Farm Bill Performance Worksheet
  After a brief discussion, John Beasley made a motion to approve the NRCS Farm Bill
  Performance Worksheet. Zach Kilburn 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Nays: None. The motion carries.

C. Crow Creek update with Jean Lemmon

Jean said we are all set for the cleanup on September 16<sup>th</sup>. We hope to have enough volunteers to help spot spray, pull weeds, and have a group pick up garbage along Brookside. Gabriael said she had not received any registration notifications from EventBrite, so she did not have an indication of how many people might show up. We have posted it on Facebook and other websites, and have had many people share the event. Jean said Scott VanLoo joined her and Gabriael for the door hanger walk yesterday. She said we spoke to several people who were out and about in the morning. Jean said she had great turnout when she would put door hangers up with Cheryl Cheadle so she was confident this would generate turnout. Hopefully, we have enough people to have a teams in the creek, walking around Cascia Hall, the Philbrook, and along Brookside. This event is partnership with the Ocean Conservancy's International Coastal Clean-Up. We are encouraging people who may not be able to come to Crow Creek, to "Walk Their Block". We are telling them to download the "Clean Swell" app, which will help track the trash collected on their block. The City of Tulsa is providing four trash bins in the area. We are putting signs on all sides telling people this if for the event.

Jean said she was able to get the OCC Staff meeting moved to Tulsa, so the OCC Staff can see the issues facing conservation in urban areas and urban districts. She said she was also looking to have the staff plant a couple of trees in the morning. The trees will be donated and did not know exactly what trees would be available, but was hoping to have a native nut tree, rose bud, or a sand plum. The OCC meeting is September 20, 2017, at Brookside Baptist Church. She said the group will meet at the meadow between 10:30 AM and 11:00 AM.

The City of Tulsa mowing contractor said he would reimburse us about \$500 for the lost Milkweed and other plants, but not the Buffalo Sod. Jean said the contractor would write a check to TACF sometime in the next month or so. She said we will buy seeds for spreading in November. No further action needed to be taken at this time.

#### D. TCCD Monthly Activities and Outreach Report

Gabriael Parker said it was a busy month as far as meetings go. Mostly because of the Monarch's on the Mountain meetings and gearing up for the Crow Creek Clean-Up. Other than that it was a relatively productive month. No further action needed to be taken at this time.

**E.** Discussion and Approval of TCCD/NRCS Operational Agreement After a brief discussion, John Beasley made a motion to approve the TCCD/NRCS Operational Agreement as presented. Zach Kilburn 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Nays: None. The motion carries.

#### F. TCCD/NRCS Locally Led Meeting Update

Gabriael Parker said the only people who attended the meeting was Jana Black, Cleaon Bradford and herself. We waited until about 7:15 PM before we left. She said we might try something different next time. Maybe we could hold several smaller meetings in different parts of the county. Zach Kilburn suggested we might be able to hand out surveys at the OK Food Security Council Summit next month, to get an idea of the resource concerns. Cleaon said that may be a good idea, since the turnout for the Locally Led Meeting was sub-par. Gabriael said she would talk to Katie Plohocky about the possibility of doing that. No further action needed to be taken at this time.

#### G. RMC Planning Update

The RMC meeting we had on the 2<sup>nd</sup> went well. Vernon and I were the only ones in the meeting on the 16<sup>th</sup>. We decided that we may not need to hold physical meetings for a little while. We can handle some of the details via email. No further action needed to be taken at this time.

#### H. Discussion of the 2018 Home & Garden Show Booth Map

After a brief discussion, the board directed Gabriael Parker to pick a booth close to the Master Gardeners booth. Gabriael said she would submit the request tomorrow. No further action needed to be taken at this time.

# I. Approval of Area III Registration Fees for Gabriael Parker and Board Members (If Applicable)

After a brief discussion, the board said they were not sure who might be able to attend the meeting in November, but suggested we approve Gabriael to attend and one of the board members, if available. Zach Kilburn made a motion to approve one registration for Gabriael Parker to attend the OACD Area III meeting, as well as one registration for a board member. The attending board member will be determined at later date. John Beasley 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Nays: None. The motion carries.

#### J. Discussion and Possible Approval of Project Wet Workshop at Camp Loughridge Attendance

Gabriael Parker said she was interested in attending the workshop on November 5, 2017. She would like to see what materials are available for us to use. Jana Black asked

Gabriael if she was okay attending the workshop on a Sunday. Gabriael said it was not ideal, but she thought it would be worth attending. John Beasley made a motion to approve the \$20.00 registration fee for Gabriael Parker to attend the Project Wet Workshop on November 5, 2017. Zach Kilburn 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Nays: None. The motion carries.

#### K. Discussion and Approval of Professional Grant Development Workshop at OU Attendance

Gabriael Parker said it would be an interesting workshop to go to, but it is really expensive. She said she was unsure if it would be worth the cost of the workshop as well as the cost of mileage to Norman, OK. The board agreed, but said we should keep an eye out for other workshops that may be available in Tulsa and for a lower cost. Gabriael agreed. No further action needed to be taken at this time.

#### Jean Lemmon exited the meeting at 5:13 PM

#### 7. Proposed Executive Session:

Vote in open session to enter Executive Session, as authorized by Title 25 O.S. Section 307 (B) (7), to discuss and review the conservation plans for Lottsie and Mike Spradling. If the executive session is approved, designate in open session the person keeping minutes.

John Beasley made a motion to enter into Executive Session to review the conservation plans for Lottsie and Mike Spradling, with all staying and Gabriael Parker taking minutes. Zach Kilburn 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Nays: None. The motion carries. Entered Executive Session at 5:13 PM

# A. Return to open session and establishment of quorum. Take any action or entertain a motion related to executive session described above.

Exited Executive Session at 5:22 PM. John Beasley made a motion to approve the conservation plans for Lottsie and Mike Spradling. Zach Kilburn 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Nays: None. The motion carries.

#### 8. New Business:

None

#### 9. Public Comments:

None

#### 10. Adjourn:

Meeting adjourned at 5:23 PM

Next regularly scheduled meeting is October 12, 2017 at the Tulsa County Conservation District Office: 6660 South Sheridan Rd, Suite 120 Tulsa, OK 74133.

1:34 PM 09/06/17 Accrual Basis

# Tulsa County Conservastion District Profit & Loss July through August 2017

Jul - Aug 17 Income 0.49 **Administrative Income Cost-Share Reimbursements** 5,418.28 **Grant Income** 250.00 **OCC Reimbursements** 4,222.12 9,890.89 **Total Income Expense** Aministrative Expense 28.81 Cost-Share Payments 5,000.00 **Employee Benefits** 397.16 Payroll 4,169.87 **Payroll Tax** 1,504.47 Postage 6.02 Telephone and Internet 246.70 Travel 158.21 **Total Expense** 11,511.24 **Net Income** -1,620.35 1:30 PM 09/06/17 Accrual Basis

# Tulsa County Conservastion District Profit & Loss August 2017

	Aug 17
Income	
Administrative Income	0.24
Cost-Share Reimbursements	418.28
Grant Income	250.00
OCC Reimbursements	2,220.69
Total Income	2,889.21
Expense	
Aministrative Expense	8.01
Employee Benefits	198.58
Payroll	1,683.32
Payroll Tax	763.86
Postage	6.02
Telephone and Internet	123.35
Travel	75.11
Total Expense	2,858.25
Net Income	30.96

1:29 PM 09/06/17 Accrual Basis

# Tulsa County Conservastion District Profit & Loss Detail

August 2017

Туре	Date	Num	Name	Memo	Cir	Split	Amount	Balance
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Deposit Deposit	8/31/2017 8/31/2017		Arvest Arvest	Interest Pay Interest Pay		Arvest Checki Arvest Special	0.21 0.03	0.21 0.24
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# Tulsa County Conservastion District Profit & Loss Detail

August 2017

Туре	Date	Num	Name	Memo	Cir Split	Amount	Balance
Travel Check	8/11/2017	8556	Gabriael S Parker	July 2017 Mii	Arvest Checki	75.11	75.11
Total Travel						75.11	75.11
Total Expense						2,858.25	2,858.25
Net Income		•				30.96	30.96



TULSA COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT 6660 S SHERIDAN RD STE 120 TULSA OK 74133-1768

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#### **Summary of Accounts**

Account Type	Account Number	Ending Balance
NON-PROFIT INTEREST CHECKING		\$1,872.38
Total Current Value		\$1,872.38

#### **NON-PROFIT INTEREST CHECKING**

Account Summary		Interest Summary		
Date	Description	Amount	Description	Amount
08/01/2017	Beginning Balance	\$2,091.45	Annual Percentage Yield Earned	0.00%
	4 Credit(s) This Period	\$2,639.18	Interest Days	0
	9 Debit(s) This Period	\$2,858.25	Interest Earned	\$0.00
08/31/2017	Ending Balance	\$1,872.38	Interest Paid This Period	\$0.21
			Interest Paid Year-to-Date	\$1.50
			Interest Withheld Year-to-Date	\$0.00

#### DORMANCY: A MONTHLY FEE WILL BEGIN IF NO ACTIVITY FOR 12 MONTHS.

#### **Electronic Credits**

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Date	Description	Amount
08/09/2017	VENDOR PAYMENTS MISC REIMB	\$2,001.43
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08/23/2017	VENDOR PAYMENTS MISC REIMB	\$418.28
	TULSA COUNTY CONSERVAT	
08/28/2017	VENDOR PAYMENTS MISC REIMB	\$219.26
	TULSA COUNTY CONSERVAT	

#### **Other Credits**

Date	Description	Amount
08/31/2017	INTEREST PMT	\$0.21

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Date	Description	<u>Amount</u>
08/10/2017	863329 POS PUR FROM CHK  WM SUPERCENTER #  TULSA. OK 5411	-\$8.01
08/10/2017	IRS USATAXPYMT TULSA COUNTY CONSERVAT	-\$668.86
08/15/2017	781070 POS PIN PUR FROM CHK	-\$6.02



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#### **NON-PROFIT INTEREST CHECKING**

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#### **Checks Cleared**

Check Nbr	Date	Amount	Check Nbr	Date	Amount
8555	08/02/2017	\$198.58	8558*	08/15/2017	\$841.66
8556	08/11/2017	\$75.11	8560*	08/31/2017	\$841.66

<sup>\*</sup> Indicates skipped check number

Date	Amount	Date	Amount	Date	Amount
07/31/2017	\$2,091.45	08/11/2017	\$3,142.32	08/29/2017	\$2,713.83
08/02/2017	\$1,892.87	08/15/2017	\$2,199.64	08/31/2017	\$1,872.38
08/09/2017	\$3,894.30	08/23/2017	\$2,617.92		
08/10/2017	\$3,217.43	08/28/2017	\$2,837.18		



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#### **Summary of Accounts**

Account Type	Account Number	Ending Balance
NON-PROFIT INTEREST CHECKING	a = 2 4	\$333.17
Total Current Value		\$333.17

#### **NON-PROFIT INTEREST CHECKING**

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Date	Description	Amount	Description	Amount
08/01/2017	Beginning Balance	\$83.14	Annual Percentage Yield Earned	0.00%
	2 Credit(s) This Period	\$250.03	Interest Days	0
	0 Debit(s) This Period	\$0.00	Interest Earned	\$0.00
08/31/2017	Ending Balance	\$333.17	Interest Paid This Period	\$0.03
			Interest Paid Year-to-Date	\$0.07
			Interest Withheld Year-to-Date	\$0.00

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08/04/2017	DDA DEPOSIT	\$250.00

#### **Other Credits**

Date	Description	Amount
08/31/2017	INTEREST PMT	\$0.03

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07/31/2017	\$83.14	08/04/2017	\$333.14	08/31/2017	\$333.17



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Account TypeAccount NumberEnding BalanceNON-PROFIT INTEREST CHECKING\$5,222.90Total Current Value\$5,222.90

#### **NON-PROFIT INTEREST CHECKING**

Account Summary			Interest Summary	
Date	Description	Amount	Description	Amount
08/01/2017	Beginning Balance	\$5,222.46	Annual Percentage Yield Earned	0.00%
	1 Credit(s) This Period	\$0.44	Interest Days	0
	0 Debit(s) This Period	\$0.00	Interest Earned	\$0.00
08/31/2017	Ending Balance	\$5,222.90	Interest Paid This Period	\$0.44
			Interest Paid Year-to-Date	\$3.32
			Interest Withheld Year-to-Date	\$0.00

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**Other Credits** 

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 08/31/2017
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 \$0.44

Date	<u> Amount</u>	Date	Amount
07/31/2017	\$5,222.46	08/31/2017	\$5,222.90



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Account Type	Account Number	Ending Balance
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Total Current Value		\$10,584.69

#### **BUSINESS MONEY MARKET**

Account Summary			Interest Summary	
Date	Description	Amount	Description	Amount
08/01/2017	Beginning Balance	\$10,583.34	Annual Percentage Yield Earned	0.00%
	1 Credit(s) This Period	\$1.35	Interest Days	0
	0 Debit(s) This Period	\$0.00	Interest Earned	\$0.00
08/31/2017	Ending Balance	\$10,584.69	Interest Paid This Period	\$1.35
			Interest Paid Year-to-Date	\$11.48
			Interest Withheld Year-to-Date	\$0.00

DORMANCY: A MONTHLY FEE WILL BEGIN IF NO ACTIVITY FOR 24 MONTHS.

**Other Credits** 

 Date
 Description

 08/31/2017
 INTEREST PMT

 \$1.35

Date	Amount	Date	Amount
07/31/2017	\$10,583.34	08/31/2017	\$10,584.69

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I certify that the above items as marked have been accomplished according to the terms of this agreement and meet with my full satisfaction

Conservation District Board Representative (Signature & Date)

NRCS District Conservationist (Signature & Date)

## TCCD Monthly Outreach and Activities Report August 2017



Meetings:	
08/02/2017	RMC Planning Meeting
08/03/2017	Sustainable Tulsa Meeting (Did not Attend)
08/07/2017	Monarchs on the Mountain Planning Meeting
08/09/2017	Crow Creek Leadership Team Meeting
08/09/2017	TACF Board Meeting
08/10/2017	TCCD Board Meeting
08/14/2017	Monarchs on the Mountain Planning Meeting
08/06/2017	Crow Creek Leadership Team Me
08/16/2017	RMC Planning Meeting
08/17/2017	Grant Meeting w/ Jana Black and Katie Plohocky
08/23/2017	Crow Creek Leadership Team Meeting
08/25/2017	Grant Meeting w/ Jana Black and Katie Plohocky
08/28/2017	Monarchs on the Mountain Planning Meeting
08/29/2017	Crow Creek Leadership Team Meeting

#### **Special Events:**

None

Upco	ming	Meetings
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09/13/2017	TCCD/NRCS Locally Led Meeting
09/18/2017	Monarchs on the Mountain Planning Meeting
09/20/2017	OCC Staff Meeting

#### **Up Coming Events:**

09/16/2017	International Costal Cleanup on Crow Creek
09/20/2017	OCC Crow Creek Tree Planting @ 10:30 AM
09/23/2017	2 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Monarch's on the Mountain @ Turkey Mountain

#### **Upcoming NRCS Deadlines:**

09/01/2017	CSP Application Deadline for 2 <sup>nd</sup> Level Review for Obligations
09/01/2017	CSP Renewal Deadline

#### **Upcoming Holidays:**

#### **Side Notes:**

#### **Work Duties Performed:**

- Assemble Agenda and Minutes for Meetings
- Answer phones
- Cost-Share Year 17 & 18
- TCCD/TACF Website Updates
- **Email Correspondences**
- Bill Pay
- NRCS/TCCD File Organization
- Office Mail
- **Update Office Calendars**
- Meeting Organization and Coordination
- FY 18 Audit Prep

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# SAVE THE DATE!

# 30<sup>th</sup> RESOURCE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

When:

**February 15, 2018** 

Time:

8:00 AM to 4:30 PM

Where:

**Tulsa City-County Library 400 Civic** 

Center, Tulsa, OK 74103

Facility Management and Energy Efficiency

[Description of the Conference]

<u>Sponsored by</u> Tulsa County Conservation District (TCCD), Tulsa Area Conservation Foundation (TACF), City of Tulsa and INCOG (If I am leaving someone out, please add).

Registration Fee \$75 early until January 15, 2018, \$125 afterwards (includes lunch)

#### SPONSOR, VENDOR and EXHIBITOR OPPORTUNITIES:

Please inquire with TCCD office about helping to sponsor conference costs, provide door prizes, and exhibiting your products and services.

TO REGISTAR: Go to http://tulsaccd.org/ (Will have a link to the EB registration as soon as I make it live) and look under the Upcoming Events tab to sign-up.

Email for More Information: Tulsaccd@conservation.ok.gov or call 918-280-1596 ext. 3

#### RMC Planning Committee Meeting Summary, 8-16-17

#### **Decisions Reached**

- 1. If we can get access to the library, registration will run from 7:30 am to 8:30 am.
- 2. Opening comments and keynote speaker from 8:30 to 9:00 am.
- 3. There will be a ten (10) minute break between sessions to allow attendees to stretch, visit with vendors and get refreshments downstairs.
- 4. Session times will be closely monitored and speakers will be prompted at 5 min., 3 min., 1 min. and then stopped when their time is up.
- 5. Vendor booth prices will be as follows:
  - > \$250 for a booth and one person
  - > \$300 for a booth, two people and a 10 minute speaking slot during the two hour lunch
  - > Vendors will be able to choose their booth location based on the order in which we receive their registrations forms
- 6. Sponsor Levels will be as follows:
  - > \$500 for two people, a booth and company recognition on banners/signs (Silver?)
  - > \$750 for three people, a booth and company recognition on banners/signs (Gold?)
  - > \$1,000 for four people and naming the vendor stage or recognition as a refreshment or lunch sponsor (Platinum?)
  - > \$2,500 for six people and recognition as a conference sponsor
- 7. Registration: Early registration \$75.00 (Oct. 1 to Jan. 15)

Late registration or at the door \$125.00 (after Jan. 15)

#### Work to Do

- 1. Check with the library to see when the facility will be available for vendor setup Vernon
- 2. Check to see how early we can get library access and start registration Vernon
- 3. Research payment options Gabriael
- 4. Design the "Save the Date" notice Group Effort
- 5. Design the Registration Flyer Group Effort
- 6. Continue to research possible speakers Group Effort
- 7. Compile a list of potential vendors and participants. Possible organizations: BOMA, NAIOP, OML, Schools, Churches, Stores, Auto Dealers, Utility Companies Group Effort

#### **Next Meeting** (date and time to be determined)

- 1. Try to finalize speakers and company representatives for each session.
- 2. Try to finalize the "Save the Date" notice.
- 3. ?????



Home Builders Association of Greater Tulsa ●11545 E. 43rd St., Tulsa, OK 74146 ● (918) 663-5820 ● Fax: (918) 628-0493 ● www.TulsaHBA.com

Tulsa County Conservation District Gabriael Parker 6660 S. Sheridan Rd., Suite 120. Tulsa, OK 74133

September 8, 2017

Dear Tulsa Home & Garden Show Exhibitor:

Enclosed you will find the "NEW" map, booth selection form and booth rules for the 2018 Greater Tulsa Home & Garden Show, scheduled for March 8th to 11th. Look over it carefully before making your selections; below is a list of helpful tips when selecting your booth location. If you have difficulty seeing the numbers or identifying the booth sizes, please visit our website at www.tulsahba.com for a PDF of the map that you may download, which will allow you to zoom in and out for better viewing.

The process for assigning booths will go as follows:

- 1. Show Seniority exhibitors who have been in the Show longest will be assigned first. If exhibitors have the same number of years then it will go by membership, then order received
- 2. HBA Membership members will be assigned before non members.
- 3. Order Received everything is time stamped when it arrives whether it comes by fax, email or mail.

#### Helpful tips:

- 1. When making your selections review the following closely; notice electrical boxes, late move-in and early move-out booths. Electric is identified by the little squares on the map.
- 2. Enclosed is a copy of the booth rules that will be strictly enforced. Please review.
- 3. Do not put the booth down you had last year everyone gets a new location. Please give several options.
- 4. Feel free to combine booths to get the size you need. If you are combining, put all the booth numbers on one line; then make the next selection on the next line.
- 5. I will not be able to assign booths over the phone (due to the number of exhibitors). Please fill out the attached form and return it in.
- 6. When in doubt go ahead and write what you think and return the form in.
- 7. If there is a problem or I do not understand your form I will contact you.
- 8. I will not assign any booths until the deadline has passed to ensure that everyone is treated fairly.
- 9. It is your responsibility to call and confirm we received your selections.

I know this process can get confusing and seem crazy but please be patient with me. I will not assign you a booth that you have not selected without your knowledge. Thank you again for being part of our Show. We know the reason we have been so successful over the years is because of our great exhibitors, Thanks!

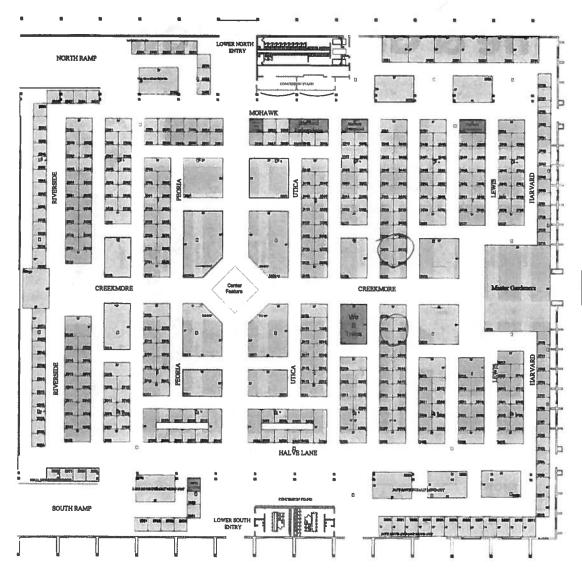
Sincerely,

Jeffrey Smith

Executive Vice President/CEO

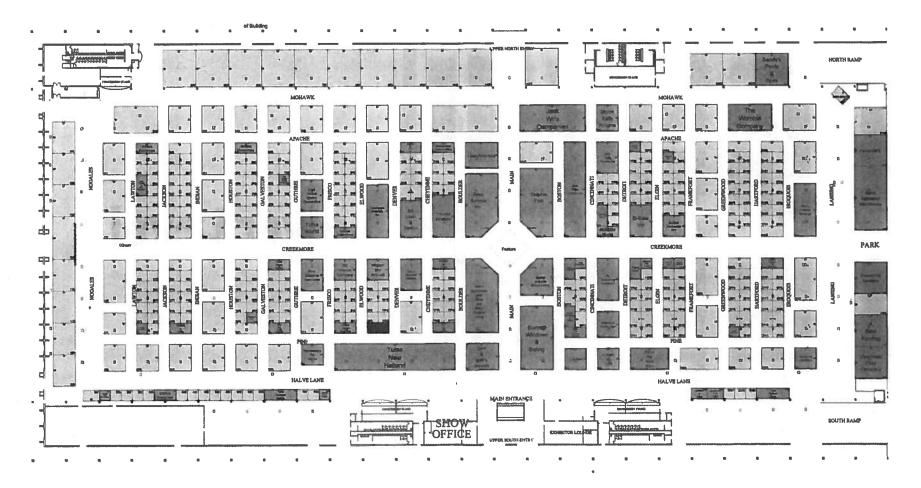
Home Builders Association of Greater Tulsa

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# **Lower Level**

# 2018 Tulsa Home & Garden Show





## 2018 Booth Selection Form

Company Name	TULSA COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT
Contact Person:	
Product/Service:	
Email Address:	
Phone:	
Please	review the "Helpful Tips" and "Booth Rules"
in your	packet prior to making your booth selections.
Your 2017 booth	number was: 3\38
Here are my booth s	selections (Must be different from 2017):
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Return form to: Jeffrey Smith HBA of Greater Tulsa, 11545 E. 43<sup>rd</sup> St., Tulsa, OK 74146 918-628-0493 Fax \* jsmith@tulsahba.com

This form must be returned by Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2017. It is your responsibility to ensure receipt of this form.

#### **REGISTRATION FORM**



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Tuesday November 7, 2017
Tri County Tech Center
6101 Nowata Rd., Bartlesville, OK 74006

**District Name** 

List name, title and amount due for each person attending from your district. The registration fee of \$35.00 is to be paid for each District Director and District Employee. NRCS registration fees will be billed directly to NRCS; mark "Direct Bill" in the amount column for NRCS employees. All speech contestants, guests and spouses should be prepared to pay the \$15.00 luncheon fee. Speech judges and legislators will be guests of OACD and will not be required to pay. Please write "Legislator" or "Judge" in the amount column.

Please send to Caney Valley CD by October 31, 2017.

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Checks show	ld be payable to: Oklahoma Association o	of Conservation Districts

Mail registration form(s) and payment to:
Caney Valley Conservation District
1067 NE Washington Blvd.
Bartlesville, OK 74006-1222
Please call Patty Underhill at 918-331-9800 if you have questions.

#### **Project WET Workshop**

Cheryl Cheadle [cheryl.c@camploughridge.org]

Sent: Thursday, August 31, 2017 3:12 PM

**Cc:** Cheryl Cheadle [cheryl.c@camploughridge.org]

Attachments: WETnov127.pdf (339 KB)

Educators, Friends, and others who care about our wonderful outdoors! Camp Loughridge is hosting a fun and informative Project WET Workshop on Sunday, November 5, 2017. WET stands for Water Education for Teachers. I am excited to be in a co-facilitator role with Candice Miller, our state WET coordinator and Blue Thumb educator. Please – consider joining us at this workshop. Basic information is below and more details are in the attached flyer. Please help me out by sending this information on to others. Thank you, CHERYL

# Project WET Workshop, Sunday, November 5, Noon to 6:00 p.m.

Camp Loughridge (4900 W.71<sup>st</sup> Street, Tulsa)

\$20 Registration fee, can pay on day of workshop

During the workshop we will Introduce Project WET curriculum and go through several activities, plus participants will be made aware of how to check out materials. Project WET is for you if you:

- Work with children within any age bracket
- Need a variety of natural resource related activities that fall within a variety of disciplines (language arts, math, chemistry, biology, etc.)
- Understand the need to help young people become stewards of land, water, and wildlife
- Want to move into less conventional teaching methods and
- Are willing to provide students with guidance and then turn them loose to gather data, perform experiments, draw their own conclusions

\*\*\*good way to accrue professional development hours\*\*\*

# This is the place to start if you want to wake children up to the magical world of water!

For more information, call Candice Miller at 405-521-6788 or candice.miller@conservation.ok.gov

#### **Cheryl Cheadle**

Lead Naturalist – Outdoor Classroom 918-720-8128

#### **Camp Loughridge**

4900 W. 71st ST

We envision a world in which action-oriented education enables every child to understand and value water, ensuring a sustainable future.

# Project WET Workshop

# **Workshop Information**

Location: Camp Loughridge

**Activity Cabin** 

4900 W 71st St.

Tulsa, OK 74131

Date: November 5, 2017

Time: 12:00pm-6:00pm

**Cost:** \$20

## **Contact:**

Candice Miller

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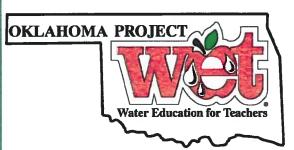






#### Project WET workshop includes:

- ♦ Award-winning, NSTArecommended Curriculum and Activity Guide 2.0
- **♦** Certificate for professional development or continuing education hours
- ♦ Access to Project WET education portal
- **♦** Hands on experience with WET activities
- Access to check-out materials



# **Agenda**

# November 5, 2017 Project WET Workshop - Camp Loughridge, Tulsa

12:00pmWelcome		3:15pm	Plunge Through the Portal
12:15pm	Activity #1	3:30pm	Peer Teaching
12:45pm	Intro to Project WET		Activity #4 Activity #5
1:15pm	Activity #2		Activity #6
	Activity #3	5:30pm	Wrap-Up
2:30pm	Break		Evaluations
2:45pm	Splash Through the Guide		Certificates
	SOME MARKET	6:00pm	Dismiss

# **Registration Form**

Project WET Workshop—Camp Loughridge, Tulsa November 5, 2017

Name:			
School/Organization:			
Grade(s) and subject(s) you teach:			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Email:		Phone:	
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How did you find out about this workshop?

What would you like to learn from this workshop?

To register, send form to:

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Advanced payment is encouraged, but \$20 fee may be paid on day of the workshop.

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#### FW: Two-Day Grant Development Workshop at The University of Oklahoma

Jean Lemmon

Sent: Tuesday, September 05, 2017 11:33 AM

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## Professional Grant Development Workshop

Master the techniques of writing superior winning proposals

To be held at the:

University of Oklahoma

Norman, OK

September 25-26, 2017

8:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m.

Sponsored by: The Grant Training Center

This intensive two-day grant proposal workshop is geared towards those who wish to strengthen their grant writing skills, as well as beginners who wish to acquire and master the techniques of preparing and writing winning proposals to various funding agencies. The focus will be on how to effectively write proposals in times of keen competition and limited resources.

#### Participants will learn how to:

- 1. Navigate the world of grant procurement
- 2. Research and identify potential funding sources
- 3. Address the guidelines of federal and foundation applications
- 4. Focus on foundation and corporate giving for the state of Oklahoma
- 5. Understand the new federal guidelines for writing winning grants
- 6. Know the review process and how to address key points for reviewers
- 7. Write winning grants that stand out against scores of competing submissions
- 8. Develop focused and realistic budgets
- 9. Demonstrate the merits excellence and innovation of your proposal
- 10. Package professional grant submissions

Our ultimate goal is for you to walk away with a product specific to your interests, which includes the grant design, abstract and budget.

## To register:

Please click <u>here</u> Questions? Call us at (866) 704-7268

Workshop Fee: \$595.00 (includes a comprehensive directory, workbook, certificate of completion, and continental breakfast)

\*Space is limited, and since this class fills up quickly, it is on a first-come, first-serve basis.\*

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