Meeting of the Elected Committee of Managers (ECM) April 24, 2021

The ECM will be meeting live in Fort Worth, Texas for our 2nd quarter 2021 conference.

We will be meeting at the Embassy Suites downtown Fort Worth, Texas.

Address: 600 Commerce St. Fort Worth, Texas, 76102

Those of you who cannot join us we will have our conference line available for you.

Conference Call: 1-832-917-1510
Access Code: 172170 after voice prompt press *

One tap mobile number 832-917-1510,172170

If you have not registered the phone number you will be calling in with, please do so with Mr. Tommy Crawford by calling him at 254-654-0119.

Conference Call Guide:

- Press 5* to be recognized for questions or comments (This will let the conference manager know you have raised your hand and you will be recognized by the ECM Chair
- Please note this conference call will be recorded.

Call to order 9:00 A.M.

- 1. Invocation by Laydell Rogers.
- 2. Roll call of ECM and Guests.
- 3. Approval of minutes for January 16, 2021 meeting.
- 4. Director's Report by Ms. Hinojosa including current balances and explanation of expenditures of BET accounts (questions and answers after report) by Lizet Hinojosa.
- 5. National updates and current news by the National Association of Blind Merchants Terry Smith including the current status of the process that states are in with the FRRP funds and distribution of those funds to blind entrepreneurs. Questions and answers for Mr. Smith after completion of his report.
- 6. Chairman's report.
- 7. District reports by ECM with a time limit of two minutes.
- 8. Sub Committees Reports with a pre-set time of five minutes:

Rules and By-Laws Sub Committee: Manny Sifuentes

Micro market subcommittee: Manny Sifuentes

Communications Sub Committee: Tommy Crawford

Finance Sub Committee: Tommy Crawford

Election Sub Committee: Larry Watson

Training of Potential Managers Sub Committee: Aloha Cook

GSA Sub Committee: Aloha Cook

Annual Conference Sub Committee: Tom Chepey

New Facilities Opportunity Sub Committee: Sophia Sparks

Resolutions Sub Committee: Mike Sparks

Vending Sub Committee: Laydell Rogers

- 9. Set date and location of next meeting.
- 10. Open floor discussions for questions, comments and suggestions.
- 11. Adjourn

I hope you all can join us on April 24 at 9 AM. God bless you all and have an awesome day.

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