

# The Alliance for Economic Development of Oklahoma City, Inc. President's Report

Third Quarter Fiscal Year 2016 - 17 January 1, 2017 through March 31, 2017

### I. MAPS 3 Convention Center and Hotel

- Convention Center Site Led acquisition team. All parcels acquired.
- Convention Center Hotel
  - Negotiations with Omni.
  - Several site visits by Omni team.
  - Site acquisition underway. Acquired parcel from ODOT,
     2 parcels in condemnation process.
  - Analysis of funding sources of subsidy
- Parking Garage to serve convention center, MAPS 3 Park, Chesapeake Arena & Convention Center Hotel.
  - Possible private development in conjunction with garage.
  - o Begin discussions with OG&E relocation of their facilities.
  - CLO interest in parking garage development.

## II. Job Creation

- Work with the Chamber on various prospects.
- AAR

## III. Redevelopment and Revitalization

#### A. NE OKC

- Page Woodson Phase I construction-nearing completion (May 2017). Phase II begins; Stonewall extension.
- JFK Area continued site planning for Truman School site.
- Worked with several developers and individuals interested in single-family homes or duplexes.
- NE 36<sup>th</sup> & Kelly. Assist with marketing site to various retailers.
- Kings Crossing continued discussion with developer about how to proceed with the project.
- Contract with CLO for Community Engagement for development at NE 50<sup>th</sup> Lincoln.
- OCURA acquired of 4 key sites in NE Renaissance Urban Renewal Area. All sites under contract.
- o 1700 NE 23<sup>rd</sup> Oklahoma City Clinic new location and



retail/office uses. TIF request and assist with NMTC structure.

#### B. Innovation District

- Follow up, meetings with chamber, funders and Brookings/PPS. Chair Placemaking Task Force.
- o Implementation of amendments to TIF 1 & TIF 7.

## C. Downtown Development

- o First National Review proformas for the project.
- Developer Forum convened
- o 700 N. Hudson
- o OCU Law school residential development

#### IV. TIF

• Approval of Western Gateway TIF district by City Council.

### V. Progress OKC

- Secured \$105,000 in grant funds from Inasmuch, Kerr, and E.L. & Thelma Gaylord Foundations.
- Submitted additional grant proposals totaling \$95,000.
- Secured individual gifts in the amount of \$9,750.
- Created "Take a Seat" fundraising campaign to sell the auditorium seats at Page Woodson; \$175,000 revenue potential.
- Secured \$8,250 grant from Oklahoma City Community Foundation's Margaret Annis Boys Trust for 30 new trees for Washington Park; Worked with City of OKC Parks Dept. to draft master plan for park improvements.
- Drafted housing plan and pro forma for new single-family residential infill in NE OKC; Working with City of OKC Planning Department to secure \$500,000 for the project.

#### VI. Retail

Penn Square Mall out parcel – Container Store Rezoning.