

## OLD TOWN FAÇADE IMPROVEMENT GRANT PROGRAM

## **Evaluation Scoring System**

The Old Town Façade Improvement Grant Program (FIG) evaluation scoring system is based on the standards and criteria of the Program. Applications will be evaluated by each Committee member using this scoring system and funding of eligible improvements will be based upon a project's score and the following requirements.

- Projects must meet the applicable FIG standards and criteria, receive a score of 30 points or more, and meet all other program requirements to be considered for funding.
- Projects with a score between 46-60 will be eligible for funding up to \$50,000.00.
- Projects with a score between 30-45 will be eligible for funding up to \$40,000.00.

Project:

Coaches Cigar Lounge, LLC 414 E Main St. Tomball, Texas 77375 **Total Eligible Interior Cost:** 

Total Project Investment: \$216,150.00

\$165,000.00

Total Eligible Exterior Cost:

\$31,500.00

## **Evaluation Categories**

| Visibility   | Points Available |
|--|------------------|
| Building located off of 2920 or highly visible from 2920 | 5                |
| Building located on predominantly commercial streets     | 4                |
| Building located on residential or minor street          | 3                |

| Existing Condition                             | Points Available |
|--|------------------|
| Poor: The existing appearance and              | 5                |
| condition of the property is structurally      |                  |
| unstable or dilapidated                        |                  |
| Fair: The existing appearance and              | 3                |
| condition of the property is structurally      |                  |
| stable but needs substantial renovations       |                  |
| Good: The existing appearance and              | 1                |
| condition of the property is in need of little |                  |
| to no structural or substantial renovations    |                  |

| Impact of Improvement                         | Points Available (can be combined) |
|---|------------------------------------|
| The project includes major/complete           | 5                                  |
| façade work and site redevelopment            |                                    |
| The building façade is predominately          | 5                                  |
| brick/stone (excluding windows/doors)         |                                    |
| The project includes moderate façade          | 4                                  |
| work and site redevelopment                   |                                    |
| The building includes a creative design       | 4                                  |
| that is an appropriate fit for the proposed   |                                    |
| location and is consistent with the           |                                    |
| downtown character                            |                                    |
| The building façade improvements along        | 4                                  |
| the alley are of the same quality as the      |                                    |
| street facing facades                         |                                    |
| The building preserves or restores historical | 3                                  |
| features or characteristics                   |                                    |
| The project significantly improves the        | 2                                  |
| streetscape or alleyscape adjacent to the     |                                    |
| building                                      |                                    |

| Importance to the Area                      | Points Available (points can be combined for mixed use project up to 15 points) |  |  |
|---|---|--|--|
| Restaurant                                  | 7   |  |  |
| Entertainment                               | 6   |  |  |
| Retail – desired retail uses (determined by | 6   |  |  |
| Committee)                                  |   |  |  |
| Office                                      | 5   |  |  |
| Primary Employment                          | 4   |  |  |
| Retail – general retail uses                | 3   |  |  |
| Other uses                                  | Point value determined by the Committee   |  |  |

| Owner vs TEDC Contribution Ratio   | Points Available |
|------------------------------------|------------------|
| Greater than 7:1                   | 5                |
| Greater than 4:1 but less than 7:1 | 3                |
| 1:1 up to 4:1                      | 1                |

| Readiness                                  | Points Available |
|--|------------------|
| Applicant has architect's renderings,      | <u>5</u>         |
| quotes, proof of ownership/lease and 100%  |                  |
| of grant checklist requirements            |                  |
| Applicant has quotes and proof of          | 3                |
| ownership/lease and 50% of grant checklist |                  |
| requirements                               |                  |
| Applicant has quotes and only 25% of       | 1                |
| grant checklist requirements               |                  |

| Local Owner/Occupant   | Points Available |
|--|------------------|
| Building is owned by a local landlord/owner and the business is locally                            | 5                |
| owned and operated  Building is owned by an absent landlord, but the business is locally owned and | 3                |
| operated  Building is owned by an absent landlord, and the business is not locally owned           | 1                |

| Utilization of Local Businesses                                 | Points Available |  |
|---|------------------|--|
| Applicant is using mostly local businesses to make improvements | <u>5</u>         |  |
| Applicant is using half local businesses to make improvements   | 3                |  |
| Applicant is using no local businesses to make improvements     | 1                |  |

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| Total Points | 50 |     |
| Total Points |    |     |