



Tupelo Convention & Visitors Bureau Board Meeting  
Tuesday, November 5, 2024

The Tupelo Convention & Visitors Bureau met Tuesday, November 5, at 2 p.m. in the Tupelo CVB boardroom. Board members present were Stephanie Coomer, Louis Britton, and Leslie Nabors. Board members Stephanie Browning and Steven Blaylock joined via phone. Councilwoman Nettie Davis and Rosiland Barr were present on behalf of the City of Tupelo. Tupelo CVB staff members present were Mitch Lowe, Jennie Bradford Curlee, and Elizabeth Russell.

Stephanie Coomer called the meeting to order at 2:06 p.m.

Leslie Nabors made a motion to approve the agenda. Louis Britton seconded the motion. All voting aye, the motion carried.

Louis Britton moved that the minutes from October 1, 2024 be approved as presented. Leslie Nabors seconded the motion. All voting aye, the motion carried.

Rosiland Barr presented the financial report.

Mitch Lowe, Jennie Bradford Curlee, and Elizabeth Russell presented staff reports.

Steven Blaylock made a motion to fund the Link Centre request for \$23,000 to update the black box theater. Louis Britton seconded the motion. All voting aye, the motion carried.

Louis Britton made a motion to extend the terms of a contract with Derse, Inc. to update the Tupelo Visitors Center (approved at the January 11, 2022 board meeting) through the end of FY '25. Leslie Nabors seconded the motion. All voting aye, the motion carried.

Stephanie Coomer presented two quotes for indoor/outdoor custom-designed event letters and asked the board to approve the purchase of the product from Your-Type 3D Event Letters, as it best suits the needs of the CVB. Nabors made a motion to approve the purchase of a 3D Event Logo from Your-Type 3D Event Letters for \$6,250. Stephanie Browning seconded the motion. All voting aye, the motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 2:38 p.m.

Submitted by:

Stephanie Coomer, Chairman