

Esperanza Community Center at Dobie

Local Government Corporation

Board of Directors Meeting

Wednesday, October 15, 2025, at 9:00 AM

500 Elm St, 6th floor – Ceremonial Strategy Conference Room

Dallas, TX 75202

Minutes

1. Call to order and roll call of Board of Directors

Meeting Called to order at 9:00 am by President Ervin with all members present.

2. Review and Approval of previous meeting minutes

- a. Review and discuss the minutes from the Wednesday, October 1, 2025 board meeting. – Member Ervin noted an edit where the document incorrectly labeled the minutes as “agenda”.
- b. Motion to approve minutes. – A motion to approve the minutes, including the edit, made by member Hensley, seconded by Mr. Tamayo, passed unanimously.

3. Discussion - Status of current service providers and contracts

- a. WIC
- b. Parkland
- c. HHS – contract secured
- d. RISD Family Literacy – contract secured
- e. Metrocare
- f. Dallas College
- g. Big Thought
- h. AgriLife
- i. ChildCareGroup
- j. Food Pantry

4. Old Business

- a. Review of any previous action items from last meeting. – None.

- b. Approval: Disbursements. – Two disbursements were processed. A motion was made by member Bazan to approve the disbursements and seconded by member Hensley. This item was approved unanimously.
- c. Correspondence. – No new correspondence reviewed.
- d. Status of application for 501(c)(3) nonprofit. – No updates yet.

5. New Business

- a. Discussion: Crossing Guard contract. – Member Hensley reached out to the City of Dallas and got a contact. He will reach out after the meeting. Member Bazan asked how it is funded, and it was determined the community would request the item from the City.
- b. Discussion: Budget for fiscal year. – No update.



6. General discussion and announcements

- a. Open floor for board members to bring up new topics or announcements. – Member Ervin stated the goal is to have WIC and RISD in the center the first week of January, 2026, closely followed by HHS, Metrocare, AgriLife, and the Child Care Group.

7. Cadence of meetings and next meeting date

- a. Selection of next meeting date. – The next meeting would be in 4 weeks.

8. Adjournment. – The meeting adjourned at 9:14am

BOARD CHAIR SIGNATURE: 	BOARD SECRETARY SIGNATURE:  11/12/25
Signatures are evidence that these are official minutes	