



June 21, 2005 Meeting Minutes

The June meeting was held at the Central Texas Technology Center (CTTC). Ron Hamel, President, opened the meeting by introducing new members and guests, including: Mike Morphew, Daniel Barreto, Bill Wade, Bob Pierce, Bill Thompson, Maricela Ortiz, and Mayor Bruce Boyer. The Treasurer's report was provided and the minutes of the last two meetings were approved. Clifton Stapleton, Vice President, requested reports from each of the committees.

The Scholarship Committee proudly presented Veronica Mendoza a \$500 scholarship to the CTTC. Thomas Chalkley and Manuel Giron were unable to attend the meeting, but were also approved to receive scholarships to the CTTC.

Clifton Stapleton introduced Mr. Mike Morphew as the guest speaker for the meeting. Mike provided a handout of the Marketable Skills Certification program offered by the CTTC as well as a flyer for the Continuing Education Program for adults. Mike discussed the many courses offered by the CTTC and the various career options available to our high school and adult trainees. Mike further emphasized the CTTC's commitment to providing programs to assist local employers with general and specific training needs. As an example, a course was offered just that morning at the CTTC for specific Microsoft software, which over twenty employees of local employers attended. Mike then introduced Bob Pierce from the Alamo Community College District (ACCD) who discussed the Tech Prep Program offered by the Alamo Region Tech Prep Consortium. Brochures were provided to all members.

Mayor Bruce Boyer will be our guest speaker at the July meeting which will also be held at the CTTC.

Respectfully submitted: Arnold J. Cardenas, Secretary/Treasurer