



Mission: To share information and provide education to our members and community about bees and beekeeping. To promote responsible beekeeping practices through training and education, resulting in effective management of disease, pests and other environmental issues.

Elm Fork Beekeepers Association Board Meeting Minutes

Date: October 2, 2025

Time: 6:30

Location: North Texas Central College, 1525 W California St., Gainesville, TX

Officers:	Attendance	Other Board Members:	Attendance
President: Tim Branam	✓	Education Director: Byron Compton	✓
Vice President: Kimi Locke	X	Director at Large: Tim Magee	✓
Treasurer: Kim Lester	✓	Communications: Connie Hutchins	✓
Secretary: Sharon Gillum	✓	Hospitality: Brandy Bonn	✓
		Hospitality: Steve Wilson	✓
Other Attendees:		Webmaster: Stacy Branam	X

President - Tim Branam

- The Texas Beekeepers Association has a booth at the State Fair. They are looking for volunteers to attend the booth.
- Discussion regarding the change of the associations name to Cooke County Beekeepers Association. All members of the board support the name change.
- The election committee is Kimi, Tim M and two members. Currently, each available board position (vice president, secretary, treasurer and hospitality) has one person interested in running. Vice President – Brandy Bonn, Treasurer – Sharon Gillum. Secretary – Becky Christensen. All of them have the qualification for the position they have applied for.
- Candy and Joey Stephens have volunteered to be the Hospitality directors. Skee Dodson has volunteered to be the legislative director.
- We will begin including the date and time of the Board Meeting in the newsletter and meeting reminders.

Vice President - Kimi Locke

- Election: Only one person for each position has signed up. Nomination can still be made from the floor the night of the election.

Treasurer - Kim Lester

- \$1,355.80 Bank
- 630.67 PayPal
- 35.00 Cash
- 105.00 Checks
- **\$2,096.47**

- 83 Members

- There has been one person sign up and pay for the class

Secretary - Sharon Gillum

- Presented September minutes for approval
- Kim made motion to approve
- Byron 2nd
- Motion passed minutes approved as written

Communications - Connie Hutchins

- Nothing

Director at Large – Tim Magee

- Nothing

Education Director – Byron Compton

- Nothing

Hospitality - Brandy Bonn

- Nothing

Meeting Adjourned: 7:15