## OKLAHOMA STATE REGENTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION Research Park, Oklahoma City

## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

## 1:30 to 3:30 p.m., March 12, 2013 Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education Regents Conference Room

- 1. Welcome and Introductions of all members and guests, Greg Gardner, chair
- 2. Approval of January 8, 2012 minutes
- 3. Main Topic: "The Importance of Farmer-Owned Nonfarm Businesses in the Rural Economy" presented by Steve Vogel, USDA
- 4. Best Practices: "Enid campus partnership" presented by Sheri Snyder, Vice President for Development/Community Relations, NOC
- 5. Committee work group reports:
  - a. EDC Internship Program, Greg Gardner, committee chair
  - b. MPM/Economic Development Summit, Cecil Carter, committee chair
  - c. Regents Business Partnership Excellence Award ceremony and reception, Janet Wansick, committee chair
- 6. Report on meeting with Small Business Development group, Greg Gardner & Connie Lake
- 7. Report on The Future of Workforce Development Conference with the Federal Reserve Bank, Greg Gardner & Connie Lake
- 8. OSRHE update by Tony Hutchison
- 9. ODOC update by Connie Lake
- 10.Bring Successes! Be prepared to share in two minutes what is happening at your institution
- 11. New Business
- 12. Adjournment

**Next meeting:** There will **NOT** be a regularly scheduled EDC meeting for April. Instead, the Regents Business Partnership Excellence Award will be held on Monday, April 29, 2013 at University of Central Oklahoma.