

MINUTES OF A REGULAR PUBLIC MEETING

This regular meeting of the Alternative Fuels Technicians Examiners Committee scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m. on the 3rd day of June 2025, was convened in accordance with the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act [25 O.S. §§ 301-314]. Advance public notice was sent to the Secretary of State's Office by electronic transmission specifying the time and place of the meeting. Notice was also prominently posted at the office of the Oklahoma Department of Labor at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to the meeting in accordance with 25 O.S. § 311(A)(11).

PUBLIC BODY: Alternative Fuels Technicians Examiners Committee

DATE: June 3, 2025

MEETING ADDRESS: Oklahoma Department of Labor
409 NE 28th Street 3rd Floor
Oklahoma City, OK 73105

CONTACT PERSON: Janet Edwards Telephone (405) 521-2612

Agenda Item 1:

Call to Order

Jeff Twiehaus called the meeting to order at 9:31 a.m.

Agenda Item 2:

Roll Call

Committee members present at the time of roll call: Jeff Twiehaus, Richard Bailey, and Mark Bumgarner

Members absent: Charles Lawson and Craiton Cooper

A quorum was present.

Oklahoma Department of Labor staff present: Daniel Mares, Don Schooler, James Williams, Carrie Wasser, John Melson, Victor Self, Tommy Granneman, and Janet Edwards.

Agenda Item 3:

Statement of Compliance with Oklahoma's Open Meeting Act

Janet Edwards read the Statement of Compliance with the Open Meeting Act.

Agenda Item 4:

Review and Approve/Amend April 1, 2025, Meeting Minutes

Richard Bailey made a motion to approve the April 1, 2025, meeting minutes. Mark Bumgarner seconded the motion.

Roll call:

Yes: Jeff Twiehaus, Richard Bailey, and Mark Bumgarner

No: None

Abstain: None

Motion approved.

Agenda Item 5:

Review/approve license(s), in accordance with the Alternative Fuels Technician Certification Act, 40 O.S. §§ 142.1-142.16 and OAC 380:80, issued April and May 2025

Jeff Twiehaus noticed duplicate entries on the license lists to be corrected through the removal of the double entry for Terry Howard on Page 2 of the April list and double entries for Isaac Van Ness and Chad Doly on Page 4 of the May list. Jeff Twiehaus made a motion to approve the new

Alternative Fuels Equipment Technician licenses issued in April and May 2025, with the noted adjustments. Richard Bailey seconded the motion.

Roll call:

Yes: Jeff Twiehaus, Richard Bailey, and Mark Bumgarner

No: None

Abstain: None

Motion approved.

Agenda Item 6:

Alternative Fuels Program and Legislative Updates

Jim Williams, Director, Safety Standards Division reported on program updates. Jim stated that inspections in the northeast region were in Sapulpa and Mannford. Inspections in the southwest region were in Clinton, Edmond, Oklahoma City, Yukon, Weatherford and Anadarko. The division has been assisting Jenks School, which ODOL has no jurisdiction over. The CNG traffic was heavier over the past month as it was \$1.99 a gallon at some point. Work continues with Bedrock and their pod storage system at OnCue. If anyone is interested Jim invited members to see the latest install after the meeting. Jim and John Melson attended the Advanced Clean Transportation (ACT) Expo in Anaheim, CA; Jim discussed and shared pictures from the event.

Agenda Item 7:

ACOG & INCOG Updates

David Frick gave an update for ACOG. David brought two interns along with him and introduced them, Madison Martin and Braelon Palmer. The second round of the public fleet grant will open in August or September. Assuming the federal money stays the same they should have about \$4 million dollars for local government. They are watching a federal bill that if it passes the Senate will take the EV tax credit away. There is also some behind the work things at the federal level regarding alternative fuels.

Agenda Item 8:

Public Comments

No comments.

Agenda Item 9:

New Business

Don Schooler informed the committee that Craiton Cooper tendered his position on the board. He asked the committee members to forward names if they knew of anyone that may be interested in serving on the committee.

Agenda Item 10:

Next Regularly Scheduled meeting Tuesday, August 5, 2025, Oklahoma Department of Labor.

Agenda Item 11:

Adjournment

Jeff Twiehaus made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Richard Bailey seconded the motion.

Roll call:

Yes: Jeff Twiehaus, Richard Bailey, and Mark Bumgarner

No: None

Abstain: None

Motion approved.

Meeting adjourned at 9:54 a.m.