## WCC Delegation Attended the 14th Session of the Investment and Trade Forum

On 8 April, WCC's CEO Mr. Zhang Jimin and General Manager Mr. Tian Zhenjun were present at the signing ceremony between the delegations from Hanzhong, Shangluo and Weinan at the 14th Session of the Investment and Trade Forum for Cooperation between East and West China. The ceremony was held in the Qu Jiang International Exhibition Centre, Xi'an, and the total investment at the forum exceeded RMB 1 billion.

The forum focused on project development and industrial transfers with the aim to promote investment activities. Approximately 12,000 key cooperation projects and 9,600 internet communications and targeted promotion projects were proposed by the delegations from each province and thousands of products were exhibited. As a whole, the forum provided the backdrop for an active market alive with business opportunities. Many foreign investment project contracts were signed, as well as internal lateral joint projects, internal trade and foreign trade projects, amounting to USD 6.962 billion (up 39% from last session), RMB 498.074 billion (up 25.9%), RMB 44.194 billion (up 7%) and USD 0.86 billion, respectively. Among the projects signed, low-carbon projects and recycling projects made up 19% and 21% respectively of the total investment, and the quality of the projects achieved also reached new height.