

**Economic Development Grants,  
Resources, and Webinars Newsletter**  
8/4/2020

**Upcoming Events**

**The Central Texas Housing Consortium**

Virtual Health Fair (resource share)

August 4, 2020 8:30am-4:30pm

This event will take place on their [Facebook Page!](#)

**Governor's Small Business Webinar Business Strategies  
for the Evolving Future**

August 5, 2020 1:00pm-2:00pm

[Click Here!](#) To register.

**2020 Fleet Management for Executives**

August 11, 2020 10:00am-3:30pm

[Click Here!](#) To register.

**ED Sales Tax Workshop-Virtual**

August 14-28

Registration Fee: \$120

[Click Here!](#) To register.

**FHWA Value Capture Strategies: Advertising, Naming  
Rights, & Sponsorships**

August 20, 2020 1:00pm-3:00pm

[Click Here!](#) To register.

**The 53rd Annual Keep Texas Beautiful Conference-  
Virtual**

August 25-26, 2020

Registration Fee: \$99

[Click Here!](#) To register.

**TEDC 2020 Annual Conference-Virtual**

October 5-9, 2020

Registration Fee: Members \$375/Nonmembers \$450

[Click Here!](#) To register.

**TEDC Fall Basic Economic Development Course**

Oct. 27-30, 2020

Embassy Suites

600 Commerce St

Fort Worth, TX 76102

[Click Here!](#) To register.

**Grant Opportunities**

**TxCDBG**

Grant application deadlines for 3 funding programs have been extended until September 1, 2020. These funding programs are:

-Downtown Revitalization / Main Street Programs;

Fire, Ambulance, and Service Truck (FAST) Fund.

-Planning & Capacity Building (PCB) Fund; and  
Colonia Fund Construction, Secondary Round

-Grant applications for the final round of Texas Capital Fund.

[Click Here!](#) For more information.

**USDA**

Business and Industry (B&I) CARES Act Program

Deadline: September 15, 2021, or until funds are expended.

USDA is making available up to \$1 billion in loan guarantees to help rural businesses meet their working capital needs during the coronavirus pandemic. Additionally, agricultural producers that are not eligible for USDA Farm Service Agency loans may receive funding under USDA B&I CARES Act Program provisions included in the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act. [Click Here!](#) For more information.

**FY 2021 Supporting Equitable Development and  
Environmental Justice in Brownfields Communities Grant**

This notice announces the availability of funds and solicits applications from eligible entities, including nonprofit organizations, to provide direct technical assistance to communities nationwide on the integration of environmental justice and equitable development when developing solutions to brownfields cleanup and revitalization challenges. EPA anticipates awarding one grant for an estimated \$600,000. The award is anticipated to be funded incrementally on an annual basis over three years, at approximately \$200,000 per year. The application submission deadline is September, 21, 2020 .

[Click Here!](#) For more information.