

**Economic Development Grants,
Resources, and Webinars Newsletter**
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Upcoming Events

Taking the Pulse of the U.S. Businesses During the Coronavirus Pandemic Webinar

Sept. 2, 2020 2:00pm E.T.
Registration Fee: Free
[Click Here!](#) To register.

Data Mining, Construction, and Manufacturing, Sectors Webinar

Sept. 3, 2020 2:00pm E.T.
Registration Fee: Free
[Click Here!](#) To register.

Effective Wayfinding Signage: Trail System Planning, Design, and Implementation

Sept. 10, 2020 10:00am-1130am
Registration Fee: Free
[Click Here!](#) To register.

THA Webinar-Income and Rent Calculation

Sept. 17-18, 2020 9:00am-4:00pm
Registration Fee: \$550
[Click Here!](#) To register.

TRB 2020 Commodity Flow Survey Virtual Workshop

Sept. 24, 2020
Registration Fee: varies
[Click Here!](#) To register.

FHWA EDC-5 Value Capture Virtual Peer Exchanges

Sept. 24, 2020 1:00pm-3:00pm
Registration Fee: Free
[Click Here!](#) To register.

TEDC 2020 Annual Conference-Virtual

October 5-9, 2020
Registration Fee: Members \$375/Nonmembers \$450
[Click Here!](#) To register.

Grant Opportunities

EDA

FY 2020 EDA Public Works and Economic Adjustment Assistance Programs including CARES Act Funding provides economically distressed communities and regions with comprehensive and flexible resources to address a wide variety of economic needs. Projects funded by these programs will support work in Opportunity Zones and will support the mission of the Department by, among other things, leading to the creation and retention of jobs and increased private investment, advancing innovation, enhancing the manufacturing capacities of regions, providing workforce development opportunities, and growing ecosystems that attract foreign direct investment. [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.

Texas Supreme Court

In a 24th emergency order the Texas Supreme Court extended its 20th emergency order from July 21, 2020 to September 30, 2020, landlords filing an eviction action must file a sworn petition containing "a description of the facts and grounds for eviction" required by Texas Rule of Civil Procedure 510.3(a)(2). Questions about emergency orders should be submitted to coronavirus@txcourts.gov. [Click Here!](#) To view the 24th emergency order.