

**Economic Development Regional
Highlights and Events Newsletter**
10/6/2020

Key Services

- Comprehensive Planning
- Historic Preservation
- New Elected Officials Guide
- Grant Writing & Administration
- City Homepage Templates
- [Economic Development](#)
- [Transportation Planning](#)
- [GIS Mapping Services](#)

Upcoming Events

Business Strategies for an Evolving Future: Dynamic

Financial Planning
Oct. 7, 2020 1:00pm-2:00pm
Registration Fee: Free
[Click Here!](#) To register.

Community Heart and Soul: Who Lives, Works and Plays in Our Community?

Oct. 13, 2020 1:00pm-2:00pm EDT
Registration Fee: Free
[Click Here!](#) To register.

Value Capture Strategies: Joint Development & Use Right-Of-Way Agreements

Oct. 22, 2020 1:00pm-3:00pm
Registration Fee: Free
[Click Here!](#) To register.

Did You Know?

The Texas Historical Commission's (THC) nationally recognized and award-winning Texas Historic Courthouse Preservation Program (THCPP) has turned around the trend of disrepair and begun restoring these treasured historic landmarks. To date, the program has funded 70 Texas courthouse restorations, another 29 courthouses have undertaken emergency or planning work with grant funds, and 25 grants were awarded to update approved preservation Master Plans. [Click Here!](#) For more information.

Central Texas Highlights

Temple, Texas

The Santa Fe Plaza and Santa Fe Market Trail, located at 301 West Avenue A in Temple, Texas have been awarded the Texas Downtown Association (TDA) President's Award for "Best Downtown Public Improvement" in the state for cities with a population of 50,000 or more. The Santa Fe Plaza is a \$30 million redevelopment in downtown Temple anchored by the historic Santa Fe Depot, and bordered by the Santa Fe Business Center and Temple Independent School District's (ISD) administrative building. Home to Temple Economic Development Corporation (Temple EDC), Temple Chamber of Commerce, and Workforce Solutions of Central Texas, the 34,000-square-foot Santa Fe Business Center houses all things business development in Temple. Together, the Santa Fe Business Center and Temple ISD administrative building brought 300 jobs to downtown Temple with the plaza's opening in 2018. [Click Here!](#) To read more.

Boys & Girls Clubs of Central Texas, Come one, come all! Join us for a night of ROCK! Performances from Back In Black - an AC/DC tribute band, & Infinite Journey - The Music of Journey! Special guests Scratch 3 also to perform! This is a night you won't want to miss! [Click Here!](#) For more information.

Schoepf's BBQ
October 10,2020 5:00pm-11:00pm
701 E. Central Ave., Belton, TX.

The Fall Sweep Cleanup Party, sponsored by KSSB and the City of San Saba, is Saturday, October 10th, from 9:00 a.m. until noon at the courthouse square. It's your chance to give something back to the "place you call home!" [Click Here!](#) For more information.

San Saba County Courthouse Square
October 10,2020 9:00am-12:00pm
500 E Wallace St., San Saba, TX.