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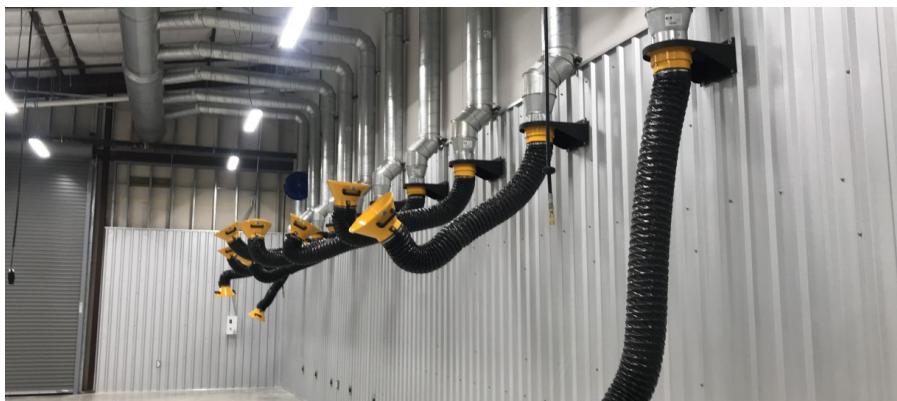
Economic Development Corporation

The City of Hondo Economic Development Corporation



James W. Danner Sr. Training Center Annex

The Annex is very close to being completed! Public Works Director, EDC Director, Stantec Architect, Stoddard Contractor(s), etc. Met on Monday, July 29th to do a walk through. City of Hondo and Southwest Texas Junior College are targeting the first class to be in Spring of 2020.



2019 Walk Run, Back to School Wellness Fair, and Street Dance Set for Saturday August 3, 2019



Hondo Education Foundation
Kids' Fun Run & 5K
Wellness Fair
Saturday, August 3, 2019
8:00 am
5K begins and ends at the Rick Taylor Rec Center.

Registration Fees

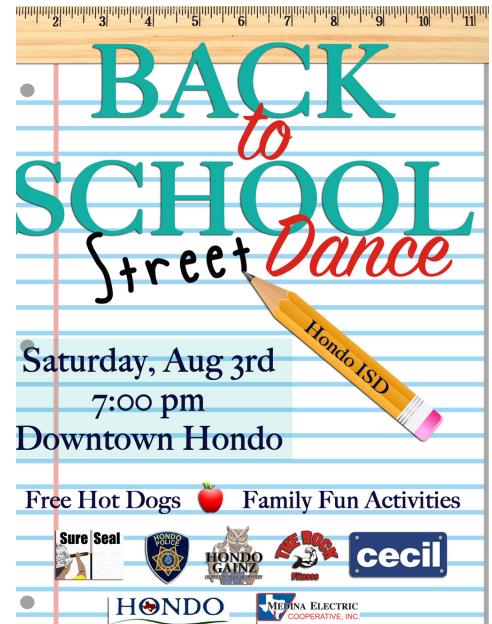
Individual: Adults - \$20
Kids 12 & under (with t-shirt) - \$10
Kids 12 & under (no t-shirt) - \$5

Register by July 24, 2019, to guarantee a shirt.

Registration/Race Day Registration will be available but there will be a limited number of shirts available. Registration forms may be accessed at www.hondoisd.net, under District News. Return completed forms and fees to Rose Mary Mares at Central Office, 2604 Avenue E, Hondo, TX 78862.

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San Antonio International Airport, San Antonio Economic Foundation, and Port San Antonio

Kim Davis, City Manager, Ryan Elder, Airport Director, and Genevieve Flores, EDC Director had scheduled visits into San Antonio. They presented about HONDO, who they are, where they are and what they have to offer. City of Hondo was able to meet face to face with Brian Patte, Chief Air Service Development Office, Nate Lavin, Air Service Analyst, of **San Antonio International Airport**; Sean Attwood, Vice President of Tech Development, Michele Boggs, Executive Vice President Business Development, Jenna Saucedo-Herrera, President & Chief Executive Officer, Carlos Jarquin, Senior Vice President Investment and Trade, all of **San Antonio Economic Development Foundation**; Marcel Johnson, Vice President, Business Development, **Port San Antonio**.

USDA Grant for James W. Danner Sr. Training Center Annex vocational equipment

City of Hondo had a grant awarded, accepted and funded for \$76,000.00. This grant is to assist in purchasing of the needed vocational equipment to provide Welding and Hvac classes.

2019 San Antonio Economic Development Sales Tax Workshop September 20, 2019

The Economic Development Sales Tax Workshop are designed specifically for EDC Board Members and local elected officials and include information about economic and community development in general, and changes to the Economic Development Sales Tax Law. The workshops will include a discussion of changes to the Economic Development Sales Tax law that occurred during the 86th session of the Texas Legislature. Workshop attendees will receive Open Meetings Act and Public Information Act certification as a part of this course. Attendees of the Economic Development Sales Tax Workshop will be provided training materials, a light breakfast, and lunch. The EDC Director, City Manager, and other employees from the City of Hondo will be attending. **If you are a City of Hondo City Council member or an EDC Board of Director and you're interested in attending. Please reach out to Genevieve Flores.**