

JUNE 2019

# Economic Development Corporation

The City of Hondo Economic Development Corporation

**Newly  
Constructed  
Annex Ribbon  
Cutting Ceremony  
June 21, 2019 at  
3PM**

## **South Texas Regional Training Center Annex**

*The Annex is very close to being completed! Please make plans to be part of our Newly Constructed Annex Ribbon Cutting Ceremony on June 21, 2019 at 3PM.*



# City of Hondo Website has been selected as a finalist

City of Hondo website has been selected as a finalist for the Texas Association of Municipal Information Officers for best Media Relations. We are up against Arlington, McAllen and San Marcos – all much larger cities. We are very excited about just being a finalist – the website was a large undertaking!



## BEST MEDIA RELATIONS - BEST PHOTOGRAPHY - COMMUNICATIONS PLANNING - INTERNAL COMMUNICATIONS - SPECIAL EVENTS

### BEST MEDIA RELATIONS

- Arlington (Via Rideshare Launch)
- Hondo (A View of God's Country)
- McAllen (2017 McAllen Holiday Parade)
- San Marcos (Iconic Village Fires)

### BEST PHOTOGRAPHY

- Alpine (Alpine at Dusk)
- Georgetown (Garey Park Grand Opening)

### SPECIAL EVENTS - BEST ONE TIME

- Arlington (Esports Stadium Arlington)
- Corpus Christi (Storm Expo)
- Round Rock (Beaujolais Nights: Jazz and Wine Uncorked)
- San Marcos (Children's Park Opening)

### SPECIAL EVENTS - BEST RECURRING

- Population Under 100,000
- Kyle (Pie in the Sky Festival)

## San Antonio Economic Foundation

Ryan Elder, Airport Director, Kim Davis, City Manger, and Genevieve Flores, EDC Director presented to Tom Long, CDO and other representatives of the San Antonio Economic Foundation. Presentation referenced "HONDO" who we are, where we are, what we want and what we have to offer. Also included in the presentation was Chamber tour of vacant buildings.

## English Second Language (ESL)

SWTJC will offer ESL classes starting July 8, 2019 at 5:30PM in the STRTC. 10 or more students will come from Texas Aircraft Brazilian's team. The class will be open to the public.

## Certified Testing Site

STRTC will become a Pearson Vue and Certified Nursing Assistant testing Site, process will be complete by July 2019.

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