City of Saginaw

COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

333 W. McLeroy Blvd., Saginaw, Texas 76179

Council Agenda Background

To: Gabe Reaume, City Manager

From: Keith C. Rinehart, Director of Community & Economic Development

Date: City Council Meeting – March 21, 2023

ITEM:

Presentation of the 2022 Economic Excellence Award from the Texas Economic Development Council

PRESENTER:

Todd Flippo, Mayor and Keith C. Rinehart, Director of Community & Economic Development

DISCUSSION:

The Texas Economic Development Council (TEDC) announced the recipients of its annual Economic Excellence Recognition program for 2022. The awards were presented on February 24, 2023 at the TEDC's 2023 Legislative Conference in Austin, TX.

The Economic Excellence Recognition program provides recognition to economic development organizations that meet a desired threshold of professionalism. Recipients qualify for recognition based on training taken by their governing board/council as well as the economic development director and professional staff. Certifications, professional memberships and activities, and organizational effectiveness of the economic development staff also contribute to the standards for qualification.

The TEDC's Economic Excellence Recognition program is one of the ways in which our organization honors the outstanding commitment to excellence of our communities and regions, their leaders, and their economic development professionals have toward the professionalization of their economic development efforts.

Only fifty-four (54) municipalities and/or Economic Development Corporations from across the state of Texas received the 2022 Economic Excellence Recognition including the City of Saginaw, Texas. **This recognition puts the City of Saginaw in the top 9% in the State of Texas which is quite an honor and recognition.**

If you have any questions, please contact me at 817-230-0331.

Thank you,

Keith C. Rinehart, Director of Community & Economic Development

TEXAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

News Release

Texas Economic Development Council

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TEDC Recognizes 2022 Economic Excellence Recognition Recipients at 2023 Legislative Conference

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These fifty-four (54) economic development organizations received the TEDC's 2022 Economic Excellence Recognition:

Allen Economic Development Corporation
Amarillo Economic Development Corporation
Bastrop Economic Development Corporation
Bonham Economic Development Corporation
Bowie Economic Development Corporation
Brenham Washington County EDO
Brookshire Economic Development Corporation
Cedar Hill Economic Development Corporation
Cedar Park Economic Development Corporation
City of Azle Economic Development
City of Granbury Economic Development
City of Justin
City of Keller Economic Development

City of League City
City of Mesquite
City of Sachse/Sachse Economic Development Corporation
City of Saginaw, Texas
City of San Angelo Development Corporation
City of Southlake
City of Waxahachie
Conroe Economic Development Council
Copperas Cove Economic Development Corporation
Cuero Development Corporation
De Kalb Economic Development Corporation
Decatur Economic Development Corporation
Development Corporation of Abilene
East Aldine Management District
Frisco Economic Development Corporation
Galveston County
Harlingen Economic Development Corporation
Ingleside Development Corporation
Kaufman Economic Development Corporation
Kilgore Economic Development Corporation
La Marque Economic Development Corporation
La Vernia Municipal Development District
Lavon Economic Development Corporation
Levelland Economic Development Corporation
Lindale Economic Development Corporation
Little Elm Economic Development
Lockhart Economic Development Corporation
Lubbock Economic Development Alliance, Inc.
Marble Falls Economic Development Corporation
New Braunfels Economic Development Corporation
Rockdale Municipal Development District
Rowlett Economic Development
Sanger Economic Development Corporation
Seguin Economic Development Corporation
Sherman Economic Development Corporation
Spring Branch Management District
Sugar Land 4B Corporation (Type B)
Sugar Land Development Corporation (Type A)
Sulphur Springs Economic Development Corporation
The Colony Economic Development Corporation
Wylie Economic Development Corporation

“The TEDC’s Economic Excellence Recognition program is one of the ways in which our organization honors the outstanding commitment to excellence of our communities and regions, their leaders, and their economic development professionals have toward the professionalization of their economic development efforts,” noted Carlton Schwab, President/CEO of the TEDC.”

The Texas Economic Development Council, established in 1961, is an Austin-based, statewide, non-profit professional association, dedicated to the development of economic and employment opportunities in Texas. The TEDC provides information, educational and legislative services to more than 950 members. The organization’s objective is to support the economic growth of Texas and develop strategies that promote a positive business climate in the state.

CERTIFICATE *of* ACHIEVEMENT
for Economic Excellence

Presented to

City of Saginaw, Texas

2022

Recognizing a commitment to Professional Economic Development by City Administration, Elected and Appointed Officials, and exemplary professional standards demonstrated by the Economic Development Staff

Awarded by

TEDC
TEXAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

Carlton Schwab, President/CEO