

Ground Breaking NEWS

ANNA, TEXAS



Hi Neighbors,

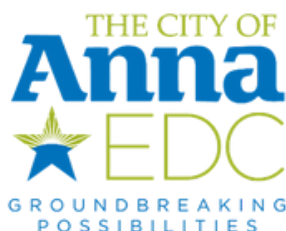
It is with great enthusiasm and a deep sense of purpose that I return to Anna Economic Development. Coming back feels a bit like coming home—and I'm honored to once again be part of an organization so deeply committed to driving progress, innovation, and inclusive growth in our community.

Over the years, I've had the privilege of witnessing firsthand the passion, creativity, and resilience that define our local businesses, leaders, and partners. Now, with fresh perspective and renewed energy, I look forward to building on our strong foundation and working together to create even greater impact.

In the months ahead, we'll be focusing on a number of exciting initiatives—enhancing workforce development, strengthening support for small businesses and startups, expanding regional partnerships, and promoting sustainable, long-term economic strategies.

I believe the best way forward is together, and I couldn't be more excited for what lies ahead. Thank you for the warm welcome back—I can't wait to get to work.

Joey Grisham
EDC Director



UPCOMING MEETINGS

- City Council : Tuesday, September 9 and 23
- EDC and CDC Board Meeting: Thursday, September 4
- P & Z Commission Meeting: Monday, September 1

GROWING ANNA!

TOP EMPLOYERS ARE LOOKING FOR YOU!

WYNDHAM GARDEN

This hotel slated to open early 2026! Located west of Highway 75 at 600 N. Standridge Blvd.

Apply now:

Email:

sylvia.mier1@aimbridge.com



HOLT CAT

Holt Cat is expected to open later this year and they are now hiring for

Heavy Equipment Technicians- Shop & Field
Parts-Warehouse - Counter Sales, Shop
Coordinator and clerk

Contact: Jose Hernandez 972.721.2031

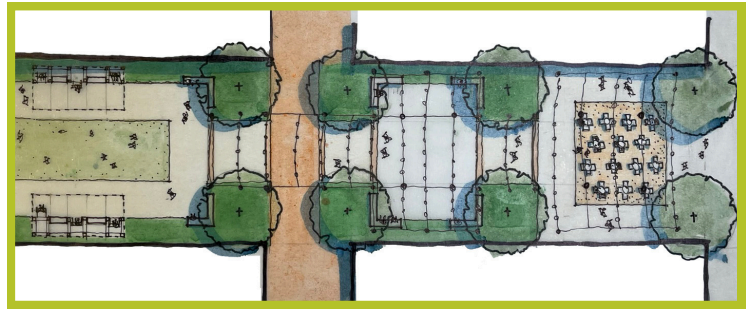
HAPPENING IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD



We are so excited to about...

The Interurban Pedestrian Project

Our efforts to encourage downtown development continue. We are currently working on an Interurban Pedestrian Thoroughfare to connect 4th and 5th streets, providing walkability and direct access to our new library and plaza. This project is expected to begin early next year.



Residential CONSTRUCTION UPDATE



Click below to see the map of all new neighborhoods under construction

CONSTRUCTION MAP

www.opportunityannatx.com

ANNA IN THE NEWS

IT'S OFFICIAL . . .

Braum's is coming to Anna

Get ready — Braum's is opening soon in your neighborhood, and it's bringing more than just delicious ice cream! Braum's is also your new go-to spot for juicy burgers, crispy fries, and a fresh market stocked with essentials like milk, eggs, butter, and more — all under one roof.

But that's not all — Braum's is creating local jobs and investing in the community. From friendly team members to skilled managers, there's opportunity here for everyone.

It's more than just a stop for a sweet treat. It's a hometown favorite, a neighborhood hangout, and now, a new part of your daily life. Braum's — where quality meets convenience.



KEY FACTS ON ANNA'S DEVELOPMENT PROCESS

Starting a New Business?

Building Blocks

Annual strategic planning is essential for small businesses.

STRATEGIC PLANNING FOR *Small Businesses*

YOUR SMALL BUSINESS STRATEGIC PLAN SHOULD INCLUDE:

- Your company's vision
- Your Company's mission Statement
- Your Long-Term Goals & Yearly Objectives
- Your Plan of Action to meet those goals

Watch THE Video

KEY BENEFITS:

- Direction
- Focus
- Resource Allocation
- Performance Measurements
- Adaptability



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by the numbers

SEPTEMBER 2025

Sales Tax Growth

\$835,007
\$867,435

4%

June
2024

June
2025



Population

August 2025 Estimated: 32,511



Residential Permits

August 2025: 64
Total 2025: 648



Commercial Permits

August 2025: 3
Total 2025: 58

Coming soon!

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118 W. 4th street

Commercial Under Construction

- Blacklock Storage-Hwy 5
- Holt Cat - Foster Crossing
- Shops at Avery Pointe - 1310 White St
- Wyndham Hotel - Standridge Blvd
- Anna Commercial Village- Standridge Blvd.
- Willow Creek Retail -620 White St.

TXDOT UPDATE

Want updates on road construction?



Check out TXDOT's page
[Keepitmovingdallas.com](https://www.Keepitmovingdallas.com)

WANT TO SEE WHAT HAPPENED AT A MEETING?

P & Z
8.4.2025

EDC/CDC
8.7.2025

CITY COUNCIL
8.12.2025

CITY COUNCIL
8.26.2025