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Subject: COVID-19 Texas Return to Work Initiative

We are collaborating with the TEXAS SHRM (State Council), Texas Association of Business (TAB), Texas Economic Development Council (TEDC), Texas Chamber of Commerce Executives (TCCE), and a growing list of Texas economic development stakeholders to conduct the [Texas Return to Work Employer Survey](#) of businesses across the state of Texas. This link <https://returntoworktx.org> will allow you access to the free resource guide on Texas Return to Work.

Results from the survey will help us assess the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on local, regional, and statewide economies and gain a deeper understanding of the needs and concerns of Texas businesses overall. These local and statewide results will be used to inform upcoming policy and resource discussions.

To provide essential insight into the impacts of COVID-19 on your business, you can access the quick, 10-minute survey [here](#).

We anticipate this will serve as an ongoing research, awareness building, and advocacy platform for the Texas business community in the coming months.

Why is participating important?

- Policy, strategy, and resource allocation are most likely to be successful when they are backed by data.
- Shared regional, state, and national data and analyses provide a stronger foundation for public and private sector decision making.
- Benchmarking the concerns of business communities provides better context for community-specific solutions.
- Sustained engagement and communication initiatives increase public confidence and expedite effective response.

Your participation is much appreciated! You may provide your email at the end of the anonymous survey if you wish to receive the state-wide results directly.

Best regards,

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