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Teijin Automotive Technologies to Produce Pickup Box for Next Generation Toyota Tundra



Auburn Hills, Michigan – June 7, 2022 — Teijin Automotive Technologies (formerly Continental Structural Plastics) today announced it is manufacturing the pickup boxes for the next generation 2022 Toyota Tundra Pickup truck. These boxes are being produced at the company's new facility in Seguin, Texas. <u>Read More</u>

ECONOMIC INDICATORS



LOCAL NEWS

Seguin ISD gets good response from the community regarding the creation of new Safety Task Force

(Seguin) — The Seguin ISD is applauding the public's response in helping the district enforce its security measures even more at local campuses. The request to the community was made by Superintendent Dr. Matthew Gutierrez soon after the mass shooting at Robb Elementary School in Uvalde where 19 students and two teachers lost their lives. **Read More**

<u>UNCORKED Couple converts barn into</u> <u>winery, tasting room</u>

Ryan and Robin Richter have given a century-old hay barn in the middle of the country new life and purpose. The Guadalupe County couple has transformed the once abandoned barn into Windmill Farms Winery on five acres just north of Geronimo at 9111 Huber Road. **Read More**

County jobless rate continues to improve

With effects of COVID-19 on unemployment rates apparently in the rearview, Guadalupe County is outpacing the region and the country in the statistical category. **Read More**

Wave Pool to reopen Memorial Day weekend

(Seguin) — It's been three years since swimmers have been able to dip their toes into the Seguin Wave Pool. Maintenance issues and a global pandemic have kept the wave pool offline, but that's all about to change. Seguin Parks and Recreation Director Jack Jones says the wave pool in Max Starcke Park is set to reopen during the Memorial Day weekend. **<u>Read More</u>**

<u>County veterans services getting more</u> <u>assistance</u>

Veterans living in and around Guadalupe County will soon have better access to assistance guaranteed to them following their service to this state and/or country. Guadalupe County Commissioners Court tried to ensure the improved access Tuesday by entering into an agreement to house a Texas Veterans Commission claims representative full time in the county beginning around June 1. Currently, the Texas Veterans Commission has an Austin headquarters and offices in San Antonio, but locals could be better served in Guadalupe County. **Read More**

HOT WHEELS: Children ride away with bikes, fun after event with first responders

Yanali Herrera smiled as Seguin Police Lt. Colby Crow handed her a brand new bicycle on Saturday at the Patricia Irving King Pavilion at Starcke Park. Herrera and her mother attended the annual Badges, Bikes and Tykes event for the first time and she walked away with a new bike. Herrera was one of 160 children who made off with a new set of wheels from the event hosted by the Seguin Police Department and Seguin Fire Department. **Read More**

Economic development corporations applauded for a job well done

(Seguin) — Recruiting and retaining businesses plus ensuring a viable workforce in Guadalupe County is not going unnoticed this week. The county this week is celebrating Economic Development Week May 9-15. The EDC's from Seguin, Schertz, Cibolo and New Braunfels were all recognized during Tuesday's meeting of the Guadalupe County Commissioners Court for their part in facilitating business growth and supporting workforce development. **Read More**

New Retail Developments Break Ground at Seguin West Marketplace

SEGUIN, TX – Two new retail projects recently broke ground at the Seguin West Marketplace, located along State Highway 46, just south of Interstate 10 in Seguin. Combined, the two projects will add more than 15,000 square feet of new retail space to serve the rapidly growing State Highway 46 corridor on the west side of Seguin. The Seguin West Marketplace is home to several new retail developments such as DaVita, Burger King, Chicken Express. These new projects are a sign of continued growth in Seguin's retail market. Rapid growth in the City of Seguin continue to fuel interest in new projects and investment opportunities by both developers and national retailers. **Read More**

<u>Couple converting former restaurant into</u> <u>axe-throwing venue</u>

A Seguin police officer and her husband, a recently retired paramedic, are taking an

axe to the building that formerly housed Dixie Grille and converting it into an entertainment venue. **<u>Read More</u>**

REGION AND STATE NEWS

<u>Texas Manufacturing Growth Picks Up, but</u> <u>Some Weaknesses Emerge</u>

Texas factory activity expanded at a fairly robust pace in May, according to business executives responding to the Texas Manufacturing Outlook Survey. The production index, a key measure of state manufacturing conditions, rose from 10.8 to 18.8, signaling an acceleration in growth from April. **Read More**

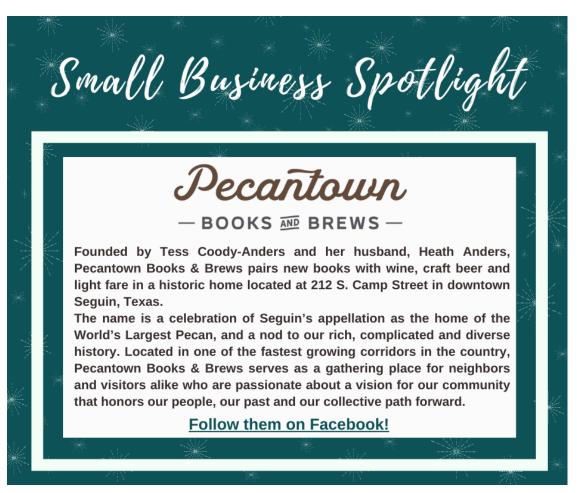
San Antonio Economic Indicators

Broad measures of the San Antonio economy remained positive in April, though some indicators moderated. The San Antonio Business-Cycle Index increased despite a slight uptick in the metro unemployment rate. Annualized net job growth over the three months ending in April held positive, though the pace of growth slowed from last year's rate. Wages in San Antonio declined, although wage growth has outpaced the state and national averages over the past 12 months. Home affordability increased in the first quarter this year, and population growth in 2021 rebounded close to its prepandemic pace. **Read More**

Texas Economic Snapshot

Texas continues to lead the nation in an economic resurgence and remains one of the strongest and most diverse economies in the nation. Click the following link for a snapshot of the state's economic status: **Texas Economic Snapshot**

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