

The Longview Chamber is Working on Your Behalf



Dear Investors,

A lot has changed rapidly since the emergence of COVID-19, including the declaration of state and national emergencies, international travel restrictions, the cancellation of events locally and nationally, and a sudden and widespread emphasis on working from home to slow the spread of this harmful new virus.

I am writing to assure you the work of the Longview Chamber goes on even as we exercise caution amid the coronavirus pandemic to protect our employees and the people we come into contact with. We are postponing or canceling meetings and convenings until further notice. However, we remain available through email, phone calls, and video conferences.

We know the COVID-19 pandemic has placed unexpected stresses, financial and otherwise, on the businesses/organizations we work with. And we want to let you know we are here and plan to help in the following ways:

- We have postponed several key programs; HealthyVIEW Summit, InterCity Trip to Tulsa, Business After Hours, and more.
<https://longviewchamber.com/calendar/#cid=317&wid=301>
- We have hosted our first FREE webinar and have two (3) more slated with more in the works, starting tomorrow. <https://longviewchamber.com/calendar/#cid=317&wid=301>
- We were one of the first organizations in East Texas to launch a fact driven resource page. <https://longviewchamber.com/covid-19/>
- We are working with the business community to promote how their business is responding to COVID19.
- We are involved in state and national webinars to obtain the latest information and resources.
- We have joined with chambers across the country as businesses and organizations to take a WE MEAN BUSINESS survey. Please take 3 minutes and help us collect vital information at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/wemeanbusiness>.

In the weeks and months ahead, your Chamber will continue to be available to help you navigate the day to day fluidity of the pandemic. We value your investment in our community!

Please know our team is committed to demonstrating empathy, flexibility, and responsiveness during this public health crisis. We also know that this situation will cause enormous financial stress on many businesses and organizations, so we are also exploring ways that we can help disseminate information that helps you make good decisions. We welcome your thoughts and suggestions on how best to do so.

Together We Are Stronger,



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