

Aubrey ISD

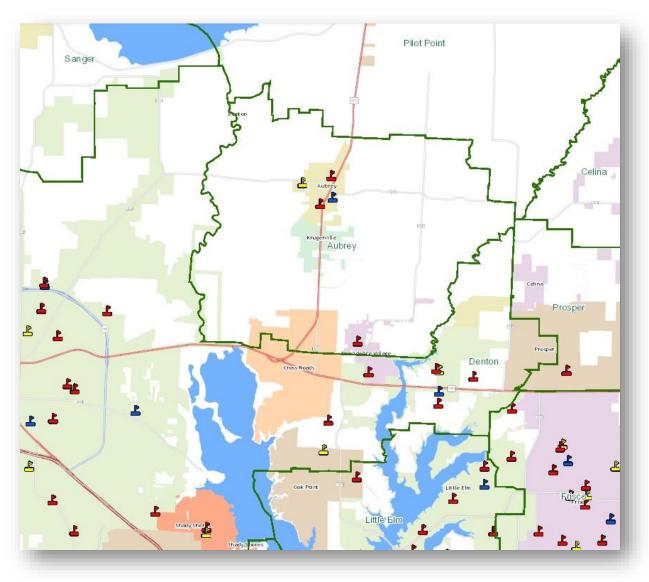
Cultivating Connections Growth Workshops

Aubrey ISD

- The Aubrey-area nickname is Horse Country USA.
- We are an emerging fast-growth district.
- We are working to welcome new members of the community while honoring our heritage.









Purpose of Growth Meetings

We started the growth meetings as a way to share information and to facilitate communication among city officials, developers and utility providers.





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The district received feedback that the community was concerned about the coming growth and the impact on the district.





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Strengthen relationships among decision makers.





Scheduled Special Meetings

- Meetings are scheduled quarterly
- City and county officials, utilities representatives, developers and the Board of Trustees are invited
- School administrators attend
- We feed them dinner
- Time for networking
- Updates by each attendee
- Significant topic for discussion





Discussions at Meetings

Educating city officials, county officials, utility providers, and developers about:

- School finance
- School bonds
- Curriculum and Instruction
- Impact of legislative action
- o School Accomplishments
- o Guest Speakers
- o TxDOT
- Rick Reedy, Frisco ISD Retired Supt





Value of the Workshops





Crucial Presentations

- Tax Ratification Election
 - August, 2016
- Bond Election
 - November, 2<u>01</u>7





TRE and Bond Election

- Endorsed by all four mayors
- Presented at city council meetings
- Presented at Growth Workshop





Bond Election Result

Passed with 72.8% approval Community supported a \$0.16 tax increase

Phased in over two years







Updates from Cities, County, Developers, and Utility Providers

- New developments
 - O Commercial
 - O Residential
- Traffic
 - O Road construction, signal lights
- Municipality infrastructure
- Needs and issues experienced by utility companies.
- Legislative impact on cities and counties.



Silverado

- 3,015 planned future lots
- Houses being built in Phase 1A, 1B, 1C, and Phase 2.
- First residents expected fall 2018
- Work has begun on Phase 3
- Developer owns additional land to the north, with plans for additional lots
- Monaco Elementary



Outcomes

- Understanding the needs of each city as they create plans for the future
- City officials began to seek district feedback regarding possible developments
- City leadership serve on other committees: (Strategic Planning Team and Facility Planning Committee)
- Increased collegiality among city officials
- Increased understanding of what the district needed to accomplish to manage the growth
- Support for the district





Brian Roberson, Town Manager, Providence Village, Texas





Questions



