

## Bandera Economic Development Corporation Promotion Funding Application

Please submit application materials in hard copy to City Hall, 511 Main Street, Bandera, Texas 78003,  
or via email to [banderaedc@gmail.com](mailto:banderaedc@gmail.com).

Event Name: Bandera Natural History and Art Museum Year Founded: 2016

Event Date(s)/Time(s): March 9 through 20, two weeks of events during area school districts Spring Break weeks

Event Contact Name: Deborah Chaney Title: Director

Contact Phone: 830-328-5090 Contact Email: deborah.chaney@banderamuseum.org

Event Location: museum grounds at 267 Old San Antonio Rd, Bandera, TX 78003

Event Mailing Address (if different): PO Box 1555, Bandera, TX 78003

What type of event is it? family-friendly events inside the museum and outside on our grounds

What type of advertising do you do for the event? social media, local print media (Prophet and Bulletin), radio

How is the event funded? currently funded through operating funds

What type of entertainment or activities are offered? petting zoo, horseback rides, facepainting, magician, guest presenters, free food

What ages can participate in this event? all ages, family friendly events

Does the event have vendors that remit sales taxes to the Texas State Comptroller? Yes

Does the majority share of the event participation come from local residents or visitors? 50% local, 50% from out of town

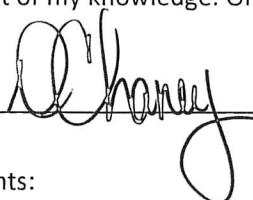
Has a permit for the event been issued by the City of Bandera? n/a

What is the total cost of the event? \$6,000

What is the amount of promotion funding requested from the BEDC? \$2,000

I hereby certify that the information provided in this application and attachments is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. Omissions or submission of incorrect information will render this application invalid.

Applicant's Signature



8-27-2025

Date

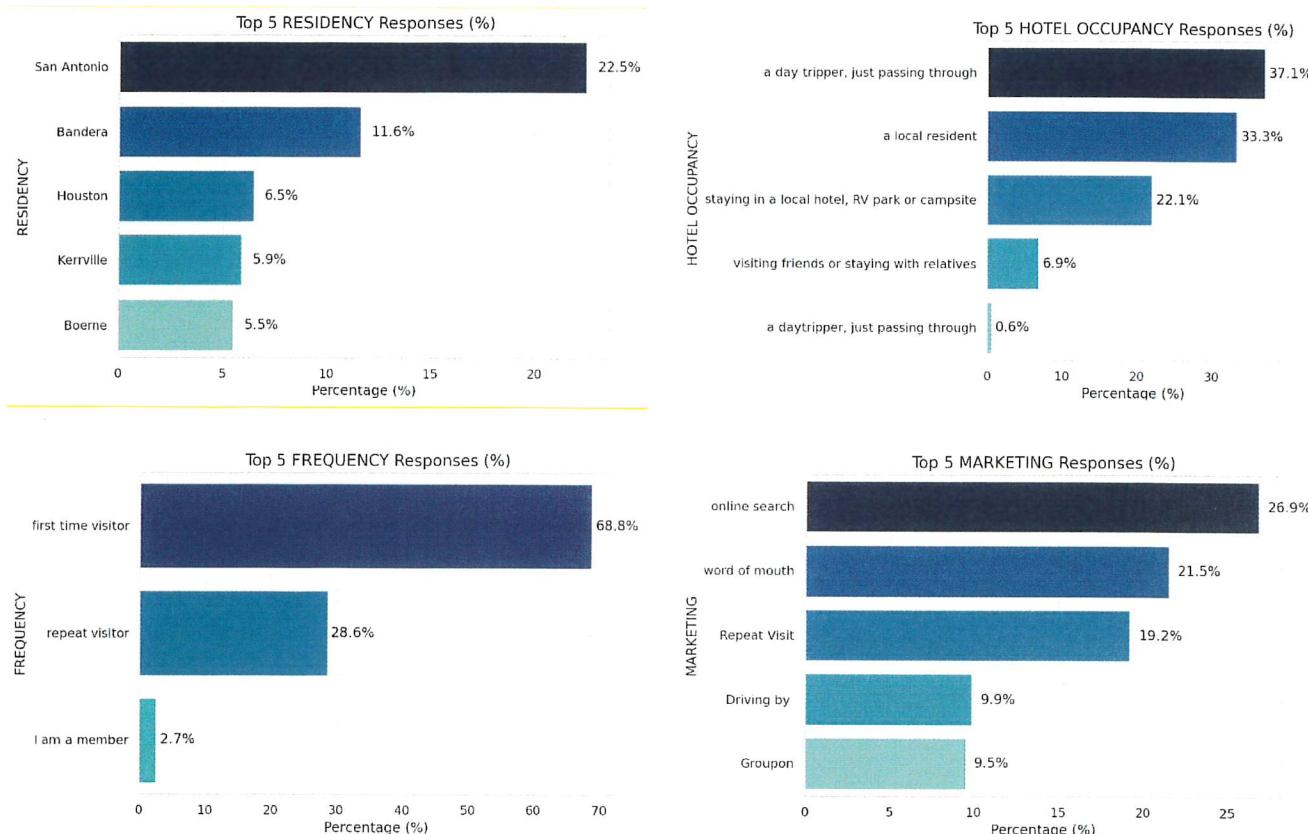
Required Attachments:

1. Please attach a copy of a past or current promotional material for the event.
2. Please attach a document providing details for the business, non-profit corporation or official organization that is to receive the funds for the event. The BEDC cannot issue funds to individuals.
3. Please attach any other materials you believe demonstrate the value of the event to the community.



**Bandera Natural History and Art Museum**  
 PO Box 1555 | 267 Old San Antonio Hwy | Bandera, TX 78003  
[info@banderamuseum.org](mailto:info@banderamuseum.org) | [BanderaMuseum.org](http://BanderaMuseum.org)

## 2025 Visitor Demographics



## Spring Break Advertising Budget

	Social media boosted posts	Local Print Media	Radio Station On-Site	Subtotal
<b>Spring Break Week 1</b>	\$200	\$200	\$600	\$1000
<b>Spring Break Week 2</b>	\$200	\$200	\$600	\$1000
<b>ESTIMATED TOTAL</b>				<b>\$2000</b>

**Bandera Natural History and Art Museum**

**Friday, free hotdogs**  
**March 14**

**AT THE**  
**Bandera Natural History and Art Museum**

**NOON TO 2 P.M.**





[www.banderamuseum.org](http://www.banderamuseum.org)

**ST. PATTY'S DAY**  
**MONDAY, MARCH 17**

**Shake your shamrocks**  
**AT THE MUSEUM!**

**Join us for**  
**St. Patrick's Day**  
**Crafts**  
**Food & Fun**

**ALL DAY**





[www.banderamuseum.org](http://www.banderamuseum.org)

\*Regular admission fees apply

267 Old San Antonio Hwy. 830-328-5090

**BANDERA NATURAL HISTORY AND ART MUSEUM**

**Exploring the world of**  
**NATIVE AMERICAN**  
**Arrowheads**

**With Paul Olsen**

**Saturday, March 15**  
**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**



**Learn how geometric shapes, angles, symmetry and materials played a role in the design of arrowheads, used by Native Americans up to 15,000 years ago.**

**Arrowhead Expert Paul Olsen will discuss the history of Native American arrowheads during an interactive presentation with a sampling of his extensive collection.**

**Have your own?**  
**Paul will help date and identify them!**

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**BANDERA NATURAL HISTORY AND ART MUSEUM**

**Spring MARKET**

**Saturday, March 15, 2025**  
**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

**267 Old San Antonio Hwy. Bandera**

**Spring shopping with us is Dine nite!**

**Purchase an item from one of our vendors on the museum grounds, and receive discounted admission to the museum's inside exhibits**





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**BANDERA NATURAL HISTORY AND ART MUSEUM**

**FACE PAINTING**  
**with Darby**

**TUESDAY, MARCH 18**  
**NOON TO 2 P.M.**





**267 Old San Antonio Hwy. 830-328-5090**

**www.banderamuseum.org**

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**BANDERA NATURAL HISTORY AND ART MUSEUM**

**presents**  
**Happy Tails**  
**ENTERTAINMENT**

**Wednesday,**  
**March 19**  
**Noon to 2 p.m.**



**BANDERA NATURAL HISTORY AND ART MUSEUM**

**DID YOU KNOW**

**The word "dinosaur" comes from the Greek words *dinos* meaning "terrible" and *sauros* meaning "lizard".**

**LEARN MORE DURING**  
**DINO DAYS**  
**AT THE MUSEUM**



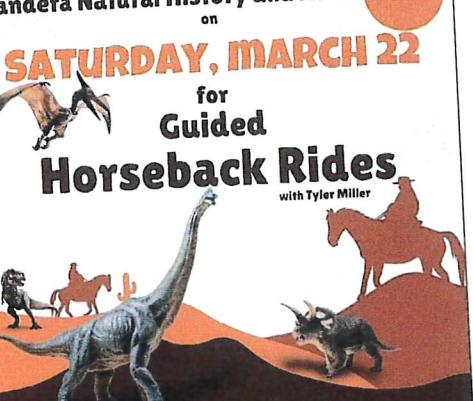
**FRIDAY,**  
**MARCH 21**  
**10 A.M. TO 2 P.M.\***

**BANDERA NATURAL HISTORY AND ART MUSEUM**  
**267 OLD SAN ANTONIO HWY.**  
**WWW.BANDERAMUSEUM.ORG**  
**830-328-5090**

**BANDERA NATURAL HISTORY AND ART MUSEUM**

**Join us at the**  
**Bandera Natural History and Art Museum**  
**on**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 22**  
**for**  
**Guided**  
**Horseback Rides**  
**with Tyler Miller**



**Noon to 2 p.m.**

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**267 Old San Antonio Hwy.**  
**830-328-5090**  
**www.banderamuseum.org**

## Exemption Verification Letter



Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts  
Austin, TX 78774

May 01, 2025

BANDERA NATURAL HISTORY AND ART MUSEUM  
PO BOX 1555  
BANDERA, TX 78003-1555

According to the records of the Comptroller of Public Accounts, the following exemption(s) from Texas taxes apply to the above organization(s):

Franchise tax, as of 2015-02-19

Sales and use tax, as of 2015-02-19

(provide Texas sales and use tax exemption certificate [Form 01-339 \(Back\)](#) to vendor)

The entity is not exempt from hotel occupancy tax.

Texas taxpayer identification number: 32056491494

This exemption verification is not a substitute for the completed exemption certificates that are required when claiming exemption from Texas taxes. Vendors should be familiar with the requirements for accepting the certificates in good faith from their customers.

This exemption verification does not mean that the organization holds a [permit](#) for collecting or remitting any Texas taxes.

Exempt organizations must collect tax on most sales. For more information, please see our publication [Exempt Organizations: Sales and Purchases \(96-122\)](#). [Online registration is available](#).

For information concerning sales taxpayer permit status, please use the [vendor search](#) we provide online.

Corporations that are registered in Texas with the Secretary of State must maintain a current registered agent and registered office address. Information is available from [Business and Nonprofit Forms page](#) of the [Secretary of State's website](#). Additionally, out-of-state corporations, limited liability companies, or limited partnerships transacting business in Texas may need to file a Certificate of Authority or Registration with the Texas Secretary of State. More information is available from the [Foreign or Out-of-State Entities page](#) on the Secretary of State's website.

Our publications and other helpful information are available on our [website](#). If you need more information, write to us at [exempt.orgs@cpa.texas.gov](mailto:exempt.orgs@cpa.texas.gov), or call us at 800-252-5555.