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Spotlight on Hillsboro 2020 Vision Volunteer Partner: HEDP

Each month we will be spotlighting a Volunteer Partner with the Hillsboro 2020 Vision.

The Hillsboro Economic Development Partnership is a collaborative effort between the Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce and the City of Hillsboro to foster economic prosperity within and between the diverse communities of Hillsboro. HEDP partners with the Hillsboro 2020 Vision volunteer mission with two annual events. The first is the Fourth Annual Latino Cultural Festival which will be held Sunday, March 16th from 1:00 – 6:00 PM at the Hillsboro Civic Center plaza (150 E Main Street). The purpose of this yearly cultural festival is two-fold. It is meant to entertain and educate people of all ethnicities about Latino culture through music, dancing and sport. It also provides a wonderful forum to distribute essential information and resources to the Latino community, with several businesses and non-profits showcasing their products and services during the event.



A second event is the Back to School/Regreso a la Escuela. It is an afternoon informational fair and celebration that reaches out to low-income families in the greater Hillsboro area. The event provides students and their families with education and information about available community services along with free school supplies. As families travel to information tables, they receive stamps on their “passports.” Completed “passports” enable students to receive a bag of school supplies.

If you are interested in volunteering with HEDP or any of our other Volunteer Partners please visit the 2020 web site at www.hillsboro2020.org.