



**GEDA**  
GRETNA ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT ASSOC.

Your GEDA Gazette

## 2024 Board of Directors

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Events: Download the  
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SAVE THE DATE

END of SUMMER SOCIAL



GEDA BUSINESS MIXER  
END OF SUMMER SOCIAL

<b>08</b> AUGUST	<b>27</b> TWENTY SEVENTH	<b>5:30 - 7:30</b> TIME
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AT STAINED GLASS WINEHOUSE

[GEDAWEB.COM](http://GEDAWEB.COM)  
[GEDAINFO@GEDAWEB.COM](mailto:GEDAINFO@GEDAWEB.COM)

[Click Here to Register!](#)

Member Tickets \$10, Non Members \$20; Spotlight Members \$50

GET BETTA WITH GEDA & CITY COUNCIL WAS AWESOME!  
THANKS FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!



# Thank You to Our Sponsors for last month's GET BETTA w/ GEDA EVENT!



**GET "BETTA" WITH  
GEDA  
& THE CITY OF  
GREYNA**

**Thank you to Our Sponsors!**



**& Thank You to the City of Gretna!**

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Thank you all for your participation in July's Get Betta with GEDA event!

A special thank you to our Mayor, Belinda Constant and the City Council for being there! Due to its success, we want more questions! Email [gedainfo@gedaweb.com](mailto:gedainfo@gedaweb.com) with any questions you may have around city development and/or business assistance, and we will ask on your behalf, anonymously if you choose!

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Looking to sponsor one of our upcoming events? You're in luck!  
We want to spotlight you and your business so email [gedainfo@gedaweb.com](mailto:gedainfo@gedaweb.com) and find out how!

# MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

**FARMER'S MARKET  
EVERY SATURDAY  
8:30-12:30**



**GRETN A ROTARY EVENT!**

August 6th, 2024 from 12-2 pm

 **HONEYBEE STRATEGIES**

## NAVIGATING OSHA FOR SMALL BUSINESSES

**ABOUT THE COURSE**

Honeybee Strategies developed this 90-minute course to assist small businesses in learning how OSHA can assist with building a strong and compliant health and safety program. Understanding how OSHA interacts with small businesses will allow attendees to improve and update their health and safety policies and procedures.

**WHO SHOULD ATTEND**

This course is tailored for small business owners, managers, and supervisors. Safety is a universal concern, and the principles covered in this course are applicable across many industries. OSHA classifies small businesses as those with fewer than 250 employees.

Understanding and adhering to OSHA regulations is crucial for maintaining a safe work environment and avoiding penalties. This course will help small business leaders gain a deeper understanding of OSHA standards and how to implement them effectively in their operations.

**BENEFITS**

How this course can benefit your small business.

- 1. How to Comply with OSHA Standards**  
Learn what OSHA standards apply to your small business and the assistance available to help you comply.
- 2. Access to Safety Search**  
Access to Honeybee Strategies' Environmental, Health and Safety search engine.
- 3. Reduce Accidents & Penalties**  
This course will provide the resources needed to build a safety culture, reduce accidents, and minimize penalties and lawsuits.



**RESERVE YOUR SEAT  
QR CODE**



**WEBSITE**  
<https://wd.ms/5keTvkX>

**HONEYBEE STRATEGIES**  
[www.honeybeestrategies.org](http://www.honeybeestrategies.org)

Focused on providing environmental, health and safety training, program management, policy and procedure development, review and implementation, and many other services for small businesses, nonprofits and government agencies.

**OCTOBER 4-6, 2024**



**GRETN A  
FEST**

CELEBRATING  
**30**  
YEARS

**DIRKS BENTLEY**

**STEVE MILLER BAND**

**THE REVIVALISTS**

**CHASE RICE**

**NATASHA BEDINGFIELD**

**BLUE ÖYSTER CULT**

**MORRIS DAY & THE TIME**

**FOGHAT**

**NEAL FRANCIS**

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**THE RECORD COMPANY**

**FUTUREBIRDS**

**TRAVIS DENNING**

**THE WILDER BLUE**

**EGGY**

**JUNIOR MARVIN & THE LEGENDARY WAILERS**

**COWBOY MOUTH**

SONNY LANDRETH / ROCKIN' DOPPIE JR. & THE ZYDECO TWISTERS / AMANDA SHAW & THE CUTE GUYS FT. SPECIAL GUEST CHOPPA / SUNPIE BARNES & THE LOUISIANA SUNSPOTS / THE YAT PACK WITH LOUIS PRIMA JR. / LOST BAYOU RAMBLERS / KERMIT RUFFINS & THE BARBECUE SWINGERS / FLOW TRIBE / THE IGUANAS / LITTLE FREDDIE KING / JOHNNY SKETCH & THE DIRTY NOTES / LVVRS / THE NEW ORLEANS MYSTICS & THE LADIES OF SOUL / DA ROCKITS / GLEN DAVID ANDREWS / NASHVILLE SOUTH / FEW BLUE / RENÉE GROS & TIAGO GUY / LETRAINIUMPT / MJ & THE REDEEMERS / CLAUDE BRYANT & THE ALLSTARS / ALEX McMURRAY / DANNY ALEXANDER / JOHNNY J & THE HITMEN / JUSTIN McCOY & DESTIN THIBODEAUX / RACHEL FLEETWOOD & PERFECT LOVE / THE KLUNKS / SOUTHERN FIRE / BRASS BANDS & MARDI GRAS INDIANS

**GRETN A FEST . COM**

Cheers to 30 Years! 🎉👏 Have you purchased your tickets yet? Get your 1-Day GA Tickets for just \$30 with our special offer. Use code **REVEL30** at checkout: [GretnaFest.com](http://GretnaFest.com). Offer ends August 14.

# MEMBER ROSTER

## 2024

### PLATINUM LEVEL MEMBERS:

(websites linked)



Member: Tim Hand



Member: Teri Tucker



Member: Kevin Verneuil



Members: Ryan & Kelly Daul



Member: Jim Barse

### GOLD LEVEL MEMBERS:

Banner Chevrolet

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Courtyard Marriott Gretna

Edward Jones

German American Cultural Center

Gretna Farmer's Market

JCVB

Magnolia Wealth Strategies

Priority Healthcare

Robert's Flooring

Smoothie King

State Farm- Thelma Meyers

TCK Realty

WBIA

# MEMBER ROSTER 2024

## **SILVER LEVEL MEMBERS:**

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Olive Branch  
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Toomy and Associates

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Gretna Welcome Center  
Keith Eccles Illustration  
Kim Clements  
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Mark Miller- Councilman  
Marlon West  
Matt Salathe  
Mike Hinyub - Councilman  
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Randy Opotowsky  
Renee Ferrera of Keller Williams  
Rudy Smith- Councilman  
Sandy Sallettes of Century 21  
Stained Glass Wine House  
Suzanne Cambre- State Farm  
State Farm- Sue Cambre  
Stem Studio  
Timberlane Country Club  
Wayne Rau- Councilman  
West Jefferson Hospital Foundation  
Westbank Rotary

# GEDA GAB



Gretna is so excited to have Brown Butter take up residency in the old Gretna Depot location!



Venezia's is also a newcomer to the Gretna scene. How lucky are we??



Don't forget Cherry Roasters on Lafayette St. in the old Living Room Cafe location.

## COUNCIL'S CORNER

We will share current news directly from the City Council and/or Mayor Belinda Constant!

Have a question to ask but want it to be anonymous?

Email your question to [gedainfo@gedaweb.com](mailto:gedainfo@gedaweb.com).

Your identity will be kept confidential.



# MEMBERSHIP News

It's Not Too Late!  
Prorating Memberships by the  
quarter so join at any point  
and start benefitting!

See QR code or click here:  
<https://www.gedaweb.com/join/>

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RENEW YOUR  
MEMBERSHIP HERE!



Have a Business Announcement or  
News?

Please email [gedainfo@gedaweb.com](mailto:gedainfo@gedaweb.com) no later  
than the 20th of each month to have your  
announcement included in the next month's  
GEDA GAZETTE!

## A note from the Executive Director:

We have been very busy  
at the GEDA office as we  
ramp right up for Gretna  
Fest! A little more than 2  
months away and we  
can't wait!

The music lineup is out  
and our poster artist  
revealed!

See [gretnafest.com](http://gretnafest.com) for  
music lineup and other  
important information  
related to the festival.  
Congratulate Rodney King  
as named poster artist for  
our 30th Anniversary!

Want to learn about  
sponsorships, I am your  
girl! Just email  
[gedainfo@gedaweb.com](mailto:gedainfo@gedaweb.com)  
or call me at 504-214-  
9830!

See you soon!



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