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### **BACK ONLINE**

*Guillen Hosts 2nd Virtual Town Hall*

**AUSTIN** – On Wednesday, March 9th, Rep. Ryan Guillen (D-Rural South Texas) hosts a Virtual Town Hall and invites South Texans, as well as anyone who's interested, to sign up and participate in the statewide networking event.

"Keeping everyone up to speed with opportunities for state resources and the happenings of Texas government is an essential function of a legislative office," said Guillen. "The goal of these online gatherings is to make everything as convenient and efficient as possible. We're doing that by creating one central hub where folks can access the information that's important to them, no matter if they're on the road (not driving, of course) or in the comfort of their living room."

Accessed via [RyanGuillen.com](http://RyanGuillen.com) the Virtual Town Hall webpage will go live at 6pm, opening with a video of Rep Guillen providing an update on office projects followed by a 30-minute Q&A session. Participants are encouraged to submit questions before the event by email to [District31.Guillen@house.texas.gov](mailto:District31.Guillen@house.texas.gov) or directly through the page during the event. Both pages will remain online permanently after the events.

"Based on participant feedback, the greatest strengths of our first Town Hall were the ease of access and the breadth of information available," commented Guillen, when asked about the success of the event. "We plan to build on those strengths and improve each time we do this."

The first Virtual Town Hall, which saw excellent participation, was launched alongside the Virtual Community Summit in November. All future Virtual Town Halls will be held on the second Wednesdays in March, July, and November.

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