

**GEDA**  
GRETN A ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT ASSOC.

## Your GEDA Gazette: May 2025

### 2025 Board of Directors and Committee Chairs

President: Renee Ferrera

Vice President: Don Hendrix

Treasurer: Michael Laughlin

Secretary: Katie Hand

Members at Large:

Joe Toomy - Italian Irish Parade

Monica Naquin - Farmer's  
Market

Kyla Pellegrin - Gretna Fest

Mike Strzyzewski - Membership

Travis Eden - Membership

Ex-Officio - Teri Tucker

Executive Director:

Courtney Kattengell

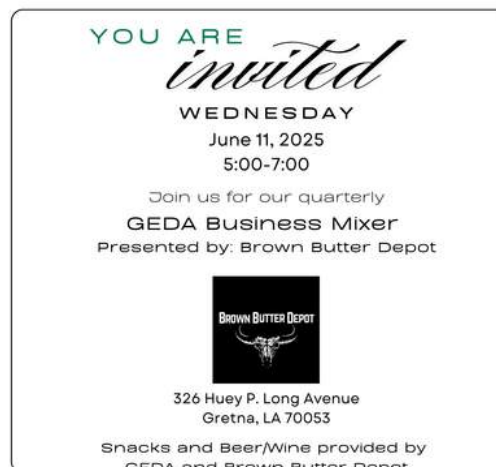
April Get Betta with GEDA



**THANK YOU  
to TOM MARTIN  
-International  
Speaker and  
Author!**



**SAVE THE DATE!!  
GET BETTA WITH GEDA!!**



[Click HERE to register!](#)

# Your Economic Development Update: Port Orleans Brewing Co.& Primary Workspace

**Fox 8 reported on the latest city council meeting where it was voted, yet again, to move forward with the Brewery plans.**

**Check out the news clip [here](#).**



**Primary Workspace launched January 2025 and the spots are filling up!  
Have no fear, there are spaces and membership options still available!  
Looking for meeting space or event space? Primary has you covered!!  
Learn more by clicking [here](#)!**



# WELCOMING NEW & RENEWING MEMBERS!

**WELCOME NEW  
& RENEWING  
MEMBERS!!**

















**GET BETTA WITH  
GEDA!**

**RENEWING MEMBERS:  
GOLD AND SILVER**











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## PLATINUM MEMBERS

Thank you!













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# MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS/EVENTS



Support  
Gretna  
Businesses!

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



**Diamond Deal or No Deal Event -  
May 7**  
by Gold'N Creations Fine Jeweler  
| BetterWorld  
[Click Here for more details!](#)



# MEMBERSHIP

Jump in at any time and start  
your membership today!

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:

Happy May!

I want to begin by saying  
THANK YOU to all of our new  
and renewing members! We  
have created a more  
automated system to  
expedite renewals and  
encourage membership all  
year long!

I want to ask you all to attend  
our quarterly education  
workshops "Get Betta with  
GEDA" and our socials. If you  
haven't attended anything this  
year, please save the date and  
join us for our next GEDA  
mixer on 6/11 at Brown Butter  
or our upcoming luncheon  
with city officials!

In the meantime, let's all make  
an effort to support our local  
business community by dining  
in their restaurants, shopping  
at their storefronts, and being  
intentional to use the services  
of the businesses who choose  
to house their business in the  
City of Gretna!



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