

**GEDA**  
GRETN A ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENT ASSOC.

## Your GEDA Gazette: July 2025

### 2025 Board of Directors and Committee Chairs

President: Renee Ferrera

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Secretary: Katie Hand

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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



**GRETN A FEST 2025**

**OCTOBER 3-5<sup>TH</sup>!**

**CURRENTLY SEEKING SPONSORS!!**

If you or someone you know may be interested in sponsoring Gretna Fest, please have them contact [gedainfo@gedaweb.com](mailto:gedainfo@gedaweb.com) or call Courtney Kattengell at 504-214-9830.

### Register Today for A Morning with the Mayor!

**YOU ARE**  
*invited*  
**TUESDAY**  
July 22<sup>nd</sup>  
8:30-10am

Join us for a new GEDA &  
City of Gretna Event  
**Mornings with the Mayor**



**Location**  
Primary Workspace  
519 Huey P. Long Avenue



[Click HERE to register!](#)

# Your Economic Development Update: Exciting New Gretna Developments

## NEW MEMBERS OPEN FOR BUSINESS:

*Stephanie Jones*  
**PRIMARY  
WORKSPACE**



**BROWN BUTTER DEPOT**




## IN THE WORKS:



# WELCOMING NEW & RENEWING MEMBERS!


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& RENEWING  
MEMBERS!!

Sue Cambre



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RENEWING MEMBERS:  
GOLD AND SILVER



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PLATINUM MEMBERS



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# MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS/EVENTS



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



**THE GRETNA  
FARMER'S MARKET  
TURNS 20!!!**

In celebration of this, we are crafting a cookbook where you may contribute your favorite recipe(s), and will be featured within the pages.

Your recipes are the key ingredient to making the market cookbook a success, and it's super easy to add your recipes!

- Simply go online to [www.cookbookfundraiser.com/login/GFM](http://www.cookbookfundraiser.com/login/GFM)
- Fill out your name and email address.
- PASSWORD: recipe55
- This will bring you to the Gretna Farmers Market Project Page.
- Click ADD RECIPE
- Type up your recipe and fill out the form.
- You may also add a photo if you'd like.
- Click SAVE when finished.



*Congrats!*

**BEST RESTAURANT (WESTBANK)**

1. Legacy Kitchen's Steak & Chop: 91 Westbank Expy. #51, Gretna, [legacykitchen.com](http://legacykitchen.com)
2. Cafe 615 (Home of Da Wabbit): 615 Kepler St., Gretna, [cafe615.com](http://cafe615.com)
3. Mosca's: 4137 US-90 West, Westwego, [moscasrestaurant.com](http://moscasrestaurant.com)



**BROWN BUTTER DEPOT**



**HAPPY HOUR**

**WEEKDAYS  
2PM - 6:30PM**

- \$7 House Martinis
- \$7 Wine by the Glass
- \$2 Domestic Bottle
- \$6 Domestic + Well Shot
- \$4 Draft Beer
- \$5 Brussels Sprouts
- \$5 Fried Pickles
- \$10 French 75 + Truffle Fries

**WEEKENDS  
11AM - 4PM**

- \$7 Bloody Mary
- \$5 Mimosa

**THE AESTHETIC HAUS**  
The Aesthetic Haus Gretna



- Botox
- Dermal Filler
- Microneedling
- VI Peel
- Skincare
- Weightloss
- Regenerative Aesthetics & Facial Balancing

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CALL TO SCHEDULE! Breaking News PRE-BOOKING AVAILABLE!

COME SEE THE NEW STUDIO CALL TO BOOK

**COMING SOON**

JUNE 2025

A NEW ERA OF BEAUTY AND WELLNESS IS ABOUT TO BEGIN...

**Rarity**  
BEAUTY & WELLNESS LOUNGE

OPENING JUNE 1 2025

CURRENTLY BY APPT ONLY

FOLLOW! BOOK! VISIT!



# MEMBERSHIP News

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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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:

Hello GEDA Members!

We are all feeling the heat of  
the summer for sure, but local  
businesses tend to feel it the  
most! Restaurants and  
retailers alike rely heavily on  
locals to get them through the  
otherwise slower tourism  
season.

→ This is your call to action!!  
Shop local this summer and  
help your neighbor and fellow  
business owner get through  
this challenging time!

→ If you have a need to fill,  
don't hesitate to reach out to  
me directly so I can refer you  
to our local businesses and  
GEDA members to assist you.  
→ If you are a member of  
GEDA, please forward your  
summer specials my way so I  
can share with our members!  
This is a membership perk  
that many don't utilize.

Stay cool and support our  
GEDA members this summer!



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