




THE STATE OF TEXAS

GOVERNOR

 *To all to whom these presents shall come,
Greetings: Know ye that this official recognition proclaims Texas as
the*

Financial Capital of America

As Governor of Texas, I am pleased to proclaim Texas as the Financial Capital of America.

At an estimated \$2.9 trillion, the Texas economy is eighth largest compared to the nations of the world and grew at a faster rate than the United States in 2025. There is no state that is better-designed or better-positioned economically now and going forward. A dynasty of economic development, Texas is the most powerful economy in the nation.

Texas' leadership in financial services has made our state home to the Texas Stock Exchange, Nasdaq's new regional headquarters, and NYSE Texas. With the launch of Y'all Street, we will expand our financial might in the United States and cement our great state as an economic powerhouse on the global stage.

As part of the Boom Belt, Texas is at the center of gravity for American capitalism. Our leadership in the financial services industry is the reason we are ranked first in the nation for total employees in the financial services workforce at more than 648,000. As a result of this dedicated leadership, Texas has won the Governor's Cup for a record 14 consecutive years and has been named the Best State for Business for over two decades.

The Lone Star State takes pride in advancing low taxes and pro-growth economic policies that allow entrepreneurs and businesses to thrive. I applaud everyone who took part in making Texas the Financial Capital of America.

First Lady Cecilia Abbott joins me in celebrating this monumental moment.

*In testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed
my name and caused the Seal of the State of
Texas to be affixed at the City of Austin this the
20th day of May, 2026.*



Greg Abbott
Governor of Texas