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The City of Laredo created the Neighborhood Empowerment Zone (NEZ) Program to improve City Council Districts III and VIII by encouraging private investment in housing, businesses, and services in NEZ areas. The NEZ Program is the vehicle by which incentives like building permit fee waivers and municipal property tax abatements can be granted to homeowners, investor-owners and developers proposing new construction projects or rehabilitation projects that are located within the NEZ area.

Flyer & FAQ

NEZ Program Guidelines

Maps & GIS

Application & Waiver

NEZ Expedited Process

Neighborhood Empowerment Zone (NEZ) Resolution

This document highlights the process and the benefits for an NEZ project, including tax abatement incentives and building permit fee waivers.



Frequently Asked Questions

How can I apply for the NEZ?

What are some of the criteria to qualify for the NEZ Program?

Are there any fees associated with the NEZ Application?

What are the incentives offered?

What if I qualify, but do not wish to participate?

How long will the NEZ process take?

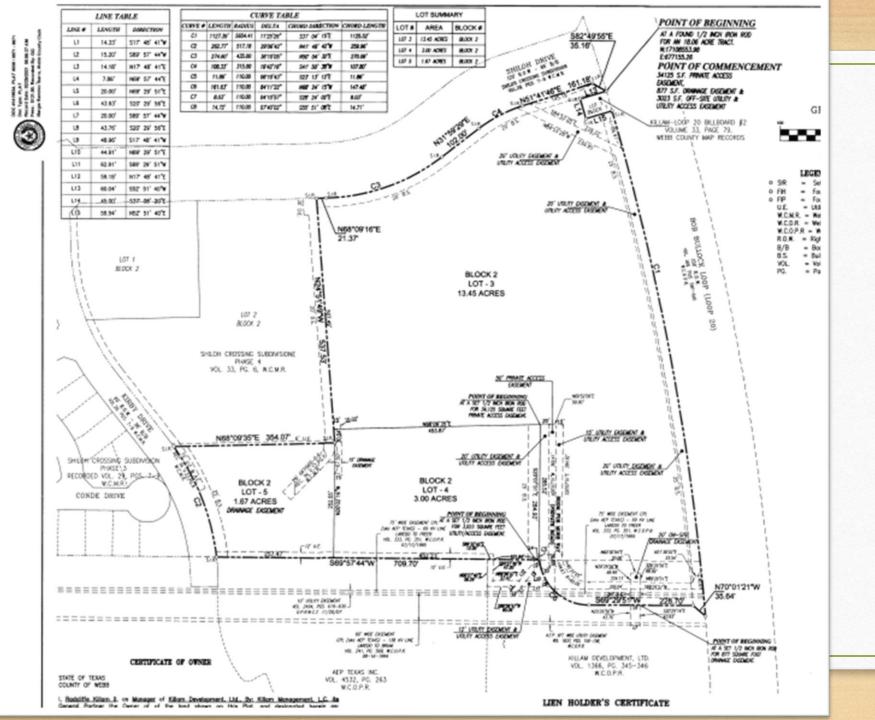
NEZ APPLICATIONS

Fiscal Year	Projects	Investment
FY 17-18	18	5,937,361
FY 18-19	27	\$31,387,147
FY 19-20	31	\$5,951,269









There were 61 plats that created 1633 lots

NOTABLE COMMERCIAL PROJECTS

AutoZone	104 Cielito Lindo	\$ 1.6 M
Blue Wave	10718 International Blvd	\$ 2.0 M
Dale Shine Car Wash	4619 S Zapata Hwy	\$ 1.0 M
Family Dollar	271 South Ejido	\$500,000
La Joya Apartments Phase I	106 Obsidian	\$ 1.4 M
La Joya Apartments Phase II	106 Obsidian	\$ 1.5 M
La Joya Apartments Phase III	106 Obsidian	\$ 2.2 M
La Terraza Gated Community	3201 South Ejido Ave.	\$ 8.6 M
Laredo College South Campus Recreation Complex	5500 South Zapata Hwy	\$ 3.0 M
Laredo College South Campus Billy Hall	5500 South Zapata Hwy	\$ 1.7 M
LISD Cigarroa High School	2600 Zacatecas	\$ 21.0 M
Lope de Vega Cabin	Lope de Vega	\$35,000
Mission Produce	902 Nicolas D. Hachar	\$41.0 M
Smoothie King	10710 International Blvd	\$380,000
Tiny Homes at Tilden Building A	820 E. Price St	\$15,494
Tiny Homes at Tilden Building B	820 E. Price St	\$25,286
Tiny Homes at Tilden Building C	820 E. Price St	\$34,445
UISD 9 th Grade LBJ High School	5626 Cielito Lindo Blvd	\$30.0 M
UISD Natatorium	5208 Santa Claudia Ln	\$ 17.5 M
UISD Octaviano Salinas Elementary	3611 Alfredo Cantu	\$14.4 M
Variety Meats	3301 Lomas Del Sur	\$ 2.1 M
Vintage Logistics	18714 West Peak Rd	\$ 6.9 M



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