

TRANSPORTATION



AIR SERVICE

Nearest Airport	Gillespie County Airport
Runway Length	5,001 ft.
Runway Surface	Asphalt
Weight Capacity	30,000 lbs. single wheel
Lighted	Yes
Fuel	AvGas and Jet Fuel 24 hour
Instrument Approaches	L-NAV Runway 14 GPS LPV Runway 32

AIRPORTS NEARBY

Commercial Service	San Antonio International Austin-Bergstrom
General Aviation	Kerrville

HIGHWAY SERVICE:

U.S. Highway 290	Interstate 10 – 22 miles southwest on Highway 16; 23 miles south on Highway 87
U.S. Highway 87	
Texas Highway 16	

FREIGHT CARRIERS

Interstate and intrastate carriers, overnight courier service: UPS, Federal Express, U.S. Postal Service

Gillespie County, County Seat: Fredericksburg

City of Fredericksburg, County of Gillespie, State of Texas, located 75 miles West of Austin, 65 miles Northwest of San Antonio, 260 miles Southwest of Dallas

POPULATION

	2010	2000	1990	1980
City	10,530	8,911	6,934	6,412
County	24,837	20,814	17,204	13,532

INCENTIVES

Tax Abatement	Considered
Enterprise Zone	No
Industrial Foundation	Yes
Foreign Trade Zone	No
Reinvestment Zone	No
Freeport Exemption	No
Other: Texas Econ Dev. SBA, UTSA Small Business Development	

PROPERTY TAX

TAX RATE (PER \$100 ASSESSED VALUE) – 2015

Gillespie County	\$0.4147
Fredericksburg, City	\$0.2312
Fredericksburg ISD	\$1.1462
HCUWCD/WCID	\$0.0080
Stonewall WCID	\$0.3550
Harper ISD	\$1.0400
Doss CCSD	\$0.9267

SALES TAX

Fredericksburg Municipal Sales Tax	1-1/2%
State Sales Tax	6-1/4%
Econ. Dev. Sales Tax	0%
Other Sales Taxes	1/2%

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WAGE DATA

Source: Texas LMI TRACER; data from 3rd Quarter 2015

OCCUPATION	AVG WAGE
All Industries	\$683.00
Construction	\$804.00
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	\$550.00
Mining	\$1020.00
Manufacturing	\$691.00
Retail Trade	\$504.00
Wholesale Trade	\$650.00
Transportation and Warehousing	\$648.00
Information	\$851.00
Finance and Insurance	\$946.00
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	\$615.00
Professional and Technical Services	\$810.00
Administrative and Waste Services	\$723.00
Educational Services	\$769.00
Health Care and Social Assistance	\$942.00
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	\$383.00
Accommodation and Food Service	\$416.00
Public Administration (local government)	\$877.00

CITY GOVERNMENT

Type	City Council (Home Rule)
Number on Council	5
Municipal Police	30
Paid Firemen	3
Volunteers	44
City Zoning Body	Yes
Master Plan	Yes, January 2006

UTILITIES

ELECTRIC POWER:	City of Fredericksburg; Central Texas Electric Co-op
Reliability	99+%
Total Capacity	140 MW
Reserve at System Peak	35%
Transmission Voltage	138,000 volts
Service Voltage	110/220, 120/208 277/480, 480

NATURAL GAS	Atmos Energy
BTU Content Per Cubic Foot	1,100

TELEPHONE SERVICE	Verizon
Digital	Yes
Analog	Yes
Electromechanical	
Make and Model	
Software Level	
Fiber Optics	Yes
Switched 56 KBPS	Yes
High Capacity Digital (T-1)	Yes
Digital Data Service	Yes
911	Yes
Other Network Services:	All major services

WATER SUPPLIER	City of Fredericksburg
Source	Ground Water
Max. System Capacity (daily):	7,000,000 gallons
Max. Daily Use To Date	5,000,000 gallons
Pressure on Mains	35-125 PSI
Storage Capacity	3,800,000 gallons
Size of Mains	2"-16"
System Looped	Yes

SEWER SYSTEM	
Type Treatment Plant	Activated Sludge
Maximum Capacity	2,500,000 gallons
Max. Daily Use To Date	1,500,000 gallons

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EDUCATION

FREDERICKSBURG ISD

Public School Budget		\$ 32,401,460
	Schools	Enrollment
Primary School	1	323
Elementary School	1	1,042
Middle School	1	660
High School	1	969
Stonewall Elementary	1	103
Harper ISD	1	613
Doss CCSD	1	14

PRIVATE SCHOOLS	4	520
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HEAD START/SPECIAL	4	179
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AREA UNIVERSITIES/COLLEGES

Hill Country University Center, a Multi-Institution Teaching Center offering collaborative programs with Central Texas College and Texas Tech University

Industrial Job Training	Yes
Vocational Program	Yes

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

HEALTH CARE

Total Hospital Beds in City	83
Total Doctors (medical) in City	64

MEDIA

Newspaper	Fredericksburg Standard
Radio Stations	4 (AM-FM)
TV Stations/TV Cable	Time Warner Cable

CHURCHES

Catholic - 4
Protestant - 46

COMMUNITY INFORMATION (cont'd)

RECREATION

Parks	6
Museums	3
Historic Sites	7
Health Centers	3
Public Golf Courses	1
Theaters	1
Tennis Courts	18
Bed & Breakfast Facilities	450+
Hotel & Motel Rooms	1,178
Libraries	2
RV Parks/Campgrounds	12
Community Theater , Community Chorale (Adult & Children), Community Art Guild, Community Bands	

AREA ATTRACTIONS

LBJ State and National Park, National Museum of the Pacific War, Enchanted Rock State Park, Pioneer Museum, Fort Martin Scott, Lady Bird Park and Golf Course, Luckenbach, Wildseed Farms, 30+ Wineries, Rock Box Theater

CLIMATE

Annual Average Temperature	66 F
Average High Temp. Summer	92 F
Average Low Temp Winter	31 F
Annual Average Precipitation	28.7"
Annual Average Snowfall	Trace
Elevation	1,742'

FINANCE: Total Deposits \$828,798,000 (Jun 2015)

Arrowhead Bank, Blanco National Bank, Broadway Bank, Chase Bank NA, Compass Bank, American Bank of Texas NA, Security State Bank, Centennial Bank, Woodforest National Bank

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MAJOR AREA EMPLOYERS

EMPLOYER	PRODUCT	EMPLOYEES
Hill Country Memorial Hospital	Health care	656
Fredericksburg Independent School District	Public education	497
H.E.B Food Store	Retail grocery	250
Wal-Mart	Retail	239
Knopp Nursing/Retirement Homes	Health care/nursing	185
City of Fredericksburg	Government	160
Gillespie County	Government	160
Allen Keller Company	Heavy construction	110
Fredericksburg Enterprises	Lodging	104
Harper Independent School District	Public education	95
Central Texas Electric Cooperative	Electric utility	90
Boot Ranch	Golf resort	89
Security State Bank	Banking/Finance	85
James Avery Craftsman	Jewelry/Leather	76
Fischer & Wieser Foods	Specialty foods	65
Opa's Smoked Meats	Wholesale meats	62
Mamacita's	Restaurant	60
Becker Vineyards	Winery	60
Heartland Enterprises	Precision machine parts	45
St. Mary's Catholic School	Private education	41
Kingwood	Custom cabinetry	40
Keg 1 O'neal	Wholesale beverages	38
Wildseed Farms, Inc.	Wild flower seeds	37
Grape Creek Vineyards	Winery	35
Heritage School	Private education	32
Chase Bank NA	Banking/Finance	29
Itz Electric	Electrical construction	27

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