# 2025 Annual

# Report

Magnolia Economic Development (4A)

&

Magnolia Community Development (4B)





#### About the Corporations



4A EDC – Promote new and expanding business activities through a variety of activities as well as workforce investments and upskilling abilities. Can also do same projects as 4B



4B CDC – Parks, recreation, community facilities, quality of life, supports new and expanding businesses in the community



Together, the corporations drive economic growth and enhance Magnolia's quality of life.



# Magnolia Pre-2020

- Flat Population Growth
- Limited Local Employment
- Land Use Distribution: 80% Residential
- Few new business openings
- Pass through city
- Average Sales Tax Receipts \$2.5M

# Magnolia 2025

- Planning is at the Forefront
- Expanded infrastructure
- Revitalization Occurring
- New Businesses Opening
- Local Employment Opportunities
- Small Business making a Come Back
- Average Annual Sales Tax \$5M

# 2025 Highlights – EDC (4A)

**Innovation District Planning** 

Heritage Circle Traffic Study

Engineering for Infrastructure

TxDOT Sidewalk Grant App

Livable Centers Grant App

# 2025 Highlights – CDC (4B)

**Community Center Feasibility** 

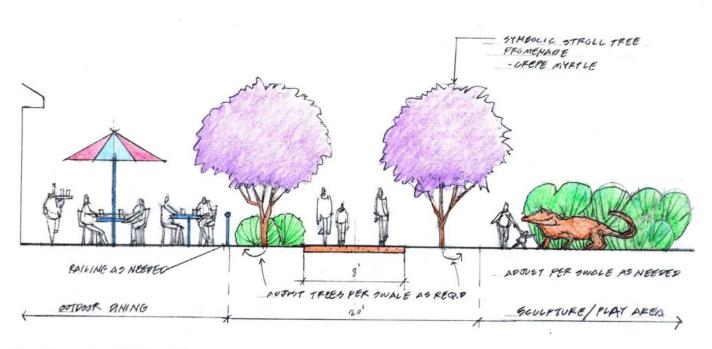
The Stroll Revitalization

Commerce Street Parking Lot

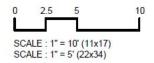
Local Business Grants (BIG)

Parking Lot Policy Updates

## The Stroll District Revitalization Plan



Stroll - Typical Section







Character Sketch 1 5 of 9







Character Sketch 2 6 of 9



# Shared Achievements

- \*Collaboration with City of Magnolia, ISD, Pct. 2
- \*Advocating for Public Safety Improvements
- \*Revitalization of The Stroll District
- \*Community Grant Awards



#### PRIORITY TO PROJECT

(This is how we develop projects)









STRATEGIC PLANNING

COMMUNITY DATA LOCAL IMPACTS

**CONCERNS** 

#### **MAGNOLIA (4A)**

INFRASTRUCTURE
WORKFORCE (SKILLS&JOBS)
PUBLIC SAFETY
STROLL REDEVELOPMENT
INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT

#### **MAGNOLIA (4B)**

Infrastructure
Public Safety
Parks/The Stroll/CVB
Small Business Development

GOAL: SAFE STREETS, REDUCING CRASHES, DECREASING DRIVE TIMES AROUND BUSINESS DISTRICTS. GENERALLY REDUCE RRD COLLISSIONS AND ACCIDENTS

# PRIORITY: PUBLIC SAFETY

Verify &
 Collaborate
 w/ Partners

2. Data Discovery

3. Present findings& build consensus

4. Outcomes

### 4A 2026 PROJECTS

Innovation District Development

**Grant Applications** 

Livable Centers Study

Comprehensive Plan Update

**Shop Local Campaign** 

**Industry Development** 

## 4B 2026 PROJECTS

Maintenance on The Stroll

Sullivans' Park Revitalization

Livable Centers Study

4<sup>th</sup> Street Trail to Unity Park

Shop Local Campaign

Recreation Center Feasibility

# Acknowledgments



4A & 4B BOARD MEMBERS



CITY COUNCIL
&
MAYOR'S OFFICE



**COMMUNITY PARTNERS** 

Shaping Magnolia's Future Together