



# News Release

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### **Anna Central Fire Station hosts Ribbon Cutting and Grand Opening**

ANNA, Texas (Nov. 19, 2021) – The City of Anna and Anna Fire Department are pleased to announce the grand opening of the new Central Station and Fire Administration on Friday, Nov. 19. The former Central Station served our community for more than 45 years.

“The completion of the new Central Fire Station is a crucial milestone for our department and community. I’m sure many folks remember our fire department as a small, volunteer organization which really wasn’t that long ago. But Anna continues to grow rapidly, and this state-of-the-art building shows the importance our City places on public safety,” said Fire Chief Isom. “We’re actively recruiting top-notch firefighters and looking forward to staffing a second fire station in the next couple of years. So, this is really just the beginning.”

The total project cost is approximately \$10 million with funding from the Municipal Bond Funds and Non-Bond Capital Project Funds.

The new 16,824 square foot facility features:

- State of the art Emergency Operations Center, storm shelter and training space
- Detox Room – The first in Collin County for firefighters to sweat out carcinogens
- Smart station alerting system
- 3 1/2 double-length apparatus bays
- Exam/Lactating Room
- Sleeping alcove bunk rooms with adjacent dayroom, kitchen, dining area and physical agility room
- 2 mezzanines for firefighter training
- 1 rappelling hole from the roof in the bay
- 1 confined space rescue hole in the bay

“Our firefighters care deeply about our neighbors and the importance of the fire department to our community is unquestionable. Now we have a state-of-the-art building that represents the value we see in them and will equip them to stay safe and keep us safe,” said Mayor Nate Pike.

For more information about the Anna Fire Department, visit <https://annatexas.gov/fire>.

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#### **About ANNA**

Anna, Texas is among the fastest-growing cities in North Texas with a population of more than 18,000 and expected growth to 100,000 by 2050. Located in northern Collin County along U.S Highway 75, State Highway 5, and State Highway 121, Anna is a vibrant and emerging city that offers its neighbors an excellent quality of life and low cost of living. The combination of Anna’s strategic location along busy thoroughfares and the quantity of undeveloped land has positioned the city as an attractive location

for retail and commercial establishments. Neighbors enjoy recreational opportunities, parks, trails, open spaces, easy access to the DFW and Red River corridors and a pace of living that offers a hometown feel in a thriving community. To learn more about the City of Anna, visit [www.annatexas.gov](http://www.annatexas.gov).

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