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## **City of Irving to Host Transportation and Water Forum Oct. 9**

**(IRVING, TEXAS)** —City of Irving will host [The Infrastructure Forum: The Future of Transportation and Water](#) Thursday, Oct. 9 at the [Irving Convention Center at Las Colinas](#), 500 W Las Colinas Blvd., Irving. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. and the day concludes with a reception at 4:30 p.m.

The day-long forum will feature a prestigious group of state and national dignitaries and stakeholders and will serve as a venue for dialogue on some of the most significant transportation and water issues facing our state and nation. Featured speakers include U.S. Congressman Kenny Marchant; U.S. Congressman Mark Veasey; U.S. Department of Transportation Deputy Secretary Victor Mendez; Texas Transportation Commissioner Victor Vandergriff; Commission on High-Speed Rail Chairman Bill Meadows; and State Representative Linda Harper Brown, who will be honored with the Lifetime Infrastructure Champion Award.

The event includes opportunities to network with stakeholders from all sectors of transportation and water, as well as hear speakers highlighting transportation and water topics such as Texas' Proposition 1, high-speed rail, building a sustainable water supply in Texas, and issues for the upcoming legislative session.

Additionally, the North Central Texas Council of Governments Regional Transportation Council's monthly meeting will take place onsite at the Forum at 2 p.m.

For more information, please visit [transportationandwaterforum.org](http://transportationandwaterforum.org).