Marketing And Own Your Brand

How Two Board Tamed the Wild West of Marketing



Meet The Outlaws

Extremely Dangerous



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Our Trail Map

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The Brand Roundup

Wrangling your visuals before they run wild

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Taming Your Frontier

Streamlining design requests and Canva chaos



Bounty on the Board

Turning leaders and staff into brand deputies







If your board's marketing efforts were a scene from the Wild West, what would it be? A stampede, a lone ranger, or a well-run ranch?



The Brand Roundup

Making Sure Your Boots Match Your Spurs





Challenge



No fences on the range

solution

A centralized Marketing Playbook to bring everyone under one brand

With clear processes, guidelines, and resources to keep our message on the same trail









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4. BRANDING & RESOURCES

4.1 Outreach Content

Visit the WSRCA Outreach Content folder for a comprehensive collection.

Need NEW content: Fill out Marketing Request Form

4.2 WSRCA Logos

Access the WSRCA logo files: WSRCA Logos

4.3 Communication Style Guide

The Communications Style Guide provides the visual and design guidelines for all WSRCA communications. It includes the approved color palette, typography, and logo usage to ensure consistent branding across websites, ads, graphics, and flyers. Access

it here: Communication Style Guide

4.4 Letterhead & PowerPoint Templates

 ${\tt Access\,updated\,versions\,of\,our\,Letterhead\,and\,PowerPoint\,Presentation\,templates.}$

These items are templates. Please download or create a copy for your use.

- Letterhead
- PowerPoint Template

4.5 Employer Opportunity Employer Tagline

The Equal Employment Opportunity statement must be included in all communications materials directed at customers, potential customers, or general public. Access all taglines here: Employer Opportunity Employer Tagline

4.6 Virtual Meeting Backgrounds

Backgrounds for Zoom and TEAMS should be consistent with WSRCA's branding guidelines. Access them here: <u>Teams-Zoom Backgrounds</u>

4.7 Email & Signature Guidelines (COMING SOON)

4.8 Business Cards/Name Badges

To ensure consistent branding across all team members, WSRCA utilizes a standardized business card and name badge template. If you need one or both, please reach out to

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Taming Your Frontier

Wrangling Your Visuals Before They Run Wild





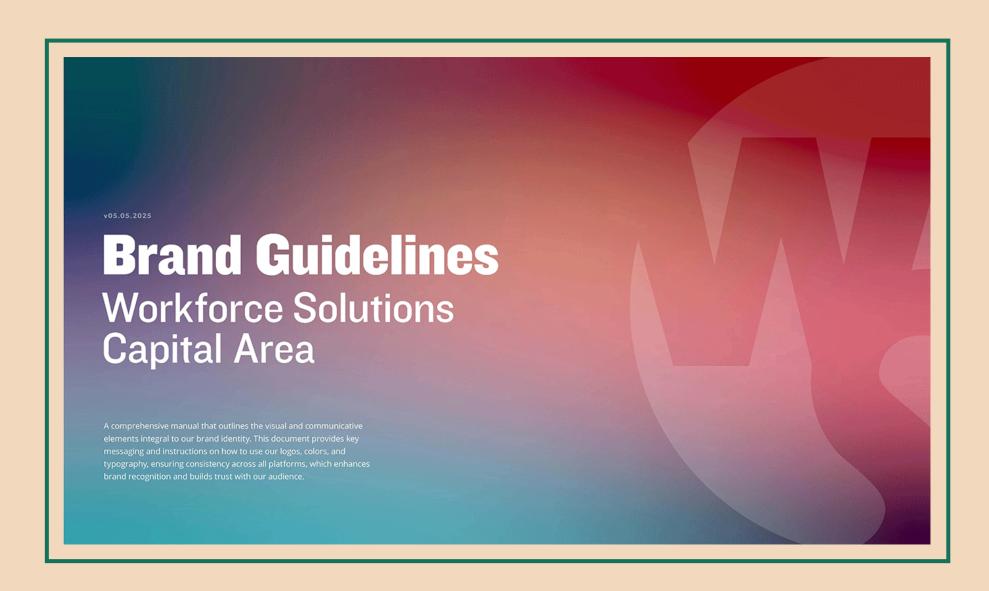
Challenge

For Capital Area



Folks holding the reins but not allowed to ride









With Canva





Now is the time to explore transportation solutions that can keep your workforce moving.

With overlapping construction projects ramping up across our region, getting to and from offices and job sites is about to become even more difficult—for both workers and employers.

Join Movability, Workforce Solutions Capital Area, and Workforce Solutions Rural Capital Area for a timely workshop designed to help employers address workforce transportation needs and prepare for what's ahead.

BENEFITS FOR EMPLOYERS:

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Equal Opportunity Employer/Program









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Challenge For Rural Capital Area

Too many brands on the same steer











Marketing Request Form

Use this form to request marketing support from the Communications Team. Please specify the type of content you need, such as print or digital materials, event coverage, or production support. Be sure to include all relevant details, including project description, sizes, deadlines, and any special instructions.

For questions, contact us at **communications**@**ruralcapital.net**. Once your form is submitted, a team member will follow up to confirm your request or gather any additional information.

Hi, Berenice, When you submit this form, the owner will see your name and email address

5 Need help promoting something? - Social Media GovDelivery SlickText

* Required	
1 Name	
Enter your answer	
Date Requested	
Please input date (M/d/yyyy)	::
Request Type *	
1. Content Creation (e.g., flyers, brochures, graphics, blog posts, social media content, website)	
2. Media Support – Event recording, photography, large-scale content projects	
3. Printing Requests	
4. Update Request – Changes to a previous submission	

Solution

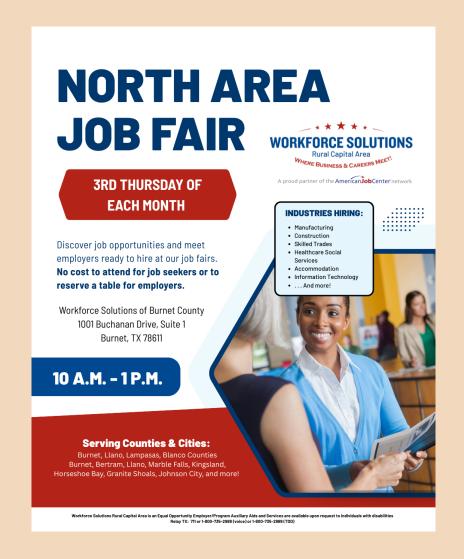
For Rural Capital Area

Corralled all marketing needs into one place

A Marketing Request Form that guides submissions and keeps every project on the right trail

Solution for Rural Capital Area





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Marketing requests from Oct 23, 2024 – Aug 1, 2025



Bounty on the Board

Teaching Your Posse to Ride the Same Way





Challenge

Where We Were

Ad hoc requests to share content

Cluttered inboxes

No recognition

Where We Are Now

Planned + measured engagement requests

Efficient delivery

Friendly competition





Solution

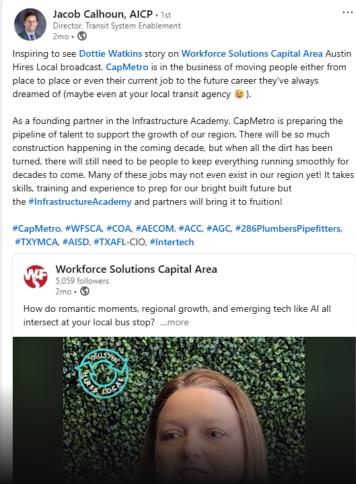
Engagement Type	Description	Points
Reshare Only	A direct reshare with no caption or a 1-liner like "Great work!"	1
Reshare + Commentary	A reshare with meaningful insight , at least 2 sentences describing your take, involvement, or the post's impact	3
Original Post	A standalone post authored by you, sharing a WFS event, story, partnership, or perspective	5
Original Post + Rich Media	A post with added media (photo, video, article) or tags to partners/stakeholders	6

Solution

1 point



3 points



6 points



Leaderboard LinkedIn Advocacy

RANK	BOARD MEMBER		1 PT	3 PTS	5 PTS	6 PTS	TOTAL
1	2	Joe Cooper Local 286	19				19
2		Jacob Calhoun CapMetro	9				9
Т-3		Tamitha Blackmon Nehemiah Christian School	3				3
Т-3		Andrea Neal St. David's HealthCare	3				3
T-5		Michelle Teakell AWS	2				2
T-5		Melanie Flowers Craft Education	2				2

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1		Tamitha Blackmon Nehemiah Christian School	3	8			27
▼2	2	Joe Cooper Local 286	19	1			22
▼ 3		Jacob Calhoun CapMetro	9	2			15
4		Andrea Neal St. David's HealthCare	3	3			12
5		Melanie Flowers Craft Education	2	3			2
^ 6		Allison Wilson Texas Workforce Commission	0	2			6

Leaderboard LinkedIn Advocacy

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1	200	Joe Cooper Local 286	19	1	-	1	28
▼ 2		Tamitha Blackmon Nehemiah Christian School	3	8	-	-	27
▲3		Andrea Neal St. David's HealthCare	3	3	-	2	24
▼4		Jacob Calhoun CapMetro	9	2	-	-	15
▲ 5		Emily Gupton SKG	-	-	-	2	12
▼ 6		Melanie Flowers Craft Education	2	3	-	-	11

Outcome

First Period

1 Year Later

Baseline: Jun-Aug 2024 Growth: Jun-Aug 2025

Board Members Posting

9

12

Daily Post Rate

.87

2.15

Board advocacy doubled year over year — driving visibility and brand ownership.





I am here at the Board Retreat with Workforce Solutions Rural Capital Area. We are learning a lot today!

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CCN Kelly Moreno, MBA and 19 others

Hi LinkedIn Fam! We're at the Workforce Solutions Rural Capital Area Annual Board Retreat strategizing for our future! I want to encourage each of you (and challenge you and your bussines @) to get involved and serve your community in some capacity! WFSRCA is an absolute pleasure to serve with by partnering with their staff to create meaningful job opportunities! #WFSRCA #serve #BastropCounty



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3 Takeaways

- One Brand, One Trail
- Tools that Tame the Chaos
- 3 Every Deputy Tells the Story









