



During the most challenging time the Texas restaurant industry has ever faced, we've worked together to accomplish some of our greatest triumphs. Now is our time to build on this progress to ensure the entire industry recovers stronger than ever.

## Past

- Passed **6/8 priority bills** at the Texas Capitol, making alcohol to-go permanent, shielding federal relief dollars from state taxes, creating pandemic liability and delivery protections, and more.
- Developed the **Texas Restaurant Promise**, creating the industry standard for reopening protocols.
- Drafted and passed the **Paycheck Protection Program Flexibility Act**.
- Established the **TX Restaurant Relief Fund**--distributing more than \$3.5 million in grants to independent restaurants.

## Present

- Secured **\$180 million in grants** for Texas hospitality/tourism businesses.
- Preventing unemployment insurance **tax hikes** on businesses.
- Partnering with Adesso to deliver millions of dollars to 500+ members through the **ERTC**.
- Fighting against burdensome changes to the tax code, the **tip credit**, and the **joint-employer rule**.
- Championing pro-growth immigration reform, ProStart, and other innovative **workforce development** initiatives.

## Future

- Pass a **regulatory consistency** bill to protect restaurants from conflicting local rules.
- Advocate for **pro-growth policies**, stopping costly regulations at the local, state, and federal levels.
- Reduce **supply chain** bottlenecks with creative responses to tariffs, workforce shortages, and trade.
- Maintain **strong relationships** with elected officials and regulators.
- Develop agenda for the next Texas legislative session, which begins in **January 2023**.

## Invest in Our Success: Support the TRA PAC

Membership Levels	Level of Support (per year)
Supporter	\$1 - \$999
Member	\$1,000 - \$4,999
Leader	\$5,000 - \$9,999
Partner	\$10,000 - \$24,999
Champion	\$25,000 and above

While we have much to celebrate, there are always new opportunities and threats ahead. Help us build on our victories from the past two years by investing in our success through a recurring contribution to the TRA Political Action Committee (TRA PAC). The TRA PAC pools our industry's personal, **non-corporate funds** together to make a bigger impact in state elections. We support candidates of any party, as long as they support restaurant growth.

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