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“Downtown Plano, weaving arts, entertainment, commerce, shopping and dining into the unique fabric of a historic urban center is a livable, walkable transit village where community and accessibility are valued”

*~ Downtown Plano Retail
Task Force Report*

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Historic Downtown Plano Association presents 'Taste of Downtown Plano'

The Historic Downtown Plano Association continues its 2009 Special Events Series on Sunday, October 18th with *Taste of Downtown Plano* from 12 - 6 p.m. The area on 15th Street at Avenue K will be bustling with activity all afternoon. Activities include food samples, wine tastings, demonstrations, vendors, music, drinks, and more. Tickets for food and beverage items will be available for purchase during the event. Admission is \$5 for ages 12 and Up. Ages under 12, get in free.

Taste gourmet food from around the world as well as your own back yard, with food from Italy, Austria, France and Mexico, as well as American style pub delicacies and tasty burgers. Have some homemade ice cream or a scrumptious cookie while you listen to the band or shop for clothing, jewelry and home décor. The marketplace will feature vendors with unique items and many of the lovely shops that Historic Downtown Plano is known for will be open. Our entertainment will include local music artists.

Rapidly becoming a hot spot for food and night life, the HDPHA invites its neighbors in North Texas to get a taste of what Downtown Plano is all about in what promises to be an amazing day of food, entertainment, family fun, and shopping. 2009 has been a successful year with *KidsFest* in April bringing over 5,000 attendees to the area for an afternoon of family fun.

Taste of Downtown Plano is presented by the Historic Downtown Plano Association and proudly supported by The City of Plano, Channel 5 KXAS TV, 97.5 KLAQ Radio, DART, Ben E. Keith, NTA, Eastside Village, briefing (an edition of the Dallas Morning News,) The Plano Chamber of Commerce and the Plano Convention and Visitors Bureau. Additional information is available on www.visitdowntownplano.com.

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The Historic Downtown Plano Association is the official association of Historic Downtown Plano. Members include downtown merchants, building owners, friends of Downtown Plano, downtown supporters and concerned citizens. We invite anyone with an interest in Downtown Plano to join us at our regular membership meetings on the first Tuesday of the month at 8:30 a.m. inside the Plano Chamber of Commerce building at 1200 E. 15th St.