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United Supermarkets Honored for Efforts to Help Advance People with Disabilities

(Lubbock, TEXAS) – United Supermarkets, LLC, was honored with the Gold Seal Award by Hub City Access last weekend for its efforts in helping advanced opportunities for people with disabilities.

The award was presented April 20 at the organization’s annual “Focus on Access” gala, which honored local individuals, organizations and businesses for their outstanding accomplishments in advancing the empowerment of people with disabilities.



The Gold Seal Award recognized United “for commendable effort and commitment to advancing the full inclusion of individuals with disabilities in our great city of Lubbock.”

United Supermarkets has a lengthy history of providing employment opportunities for persons with disabilities, not only in Lubbock but throughout the company.

Established on 2007 by the Lester E. Wolcott Memorial Foundation, Hub City Access is a nonprofit organization formed by advocates, health care providers, and consumers to help make Lubbock more accessible to all of its citizens. Wolcott was a pillar of Lubbock’s medical community until his death, having established the city’s first inpatient rehabilitation program in the 1970s.

People with disabilities are the largest minority group in the country. According to Hub City Access, there are more than 30,000 persons with disabilities living in Lubbock alone.

About United Supermarkets

Now in its 96th year of operation, [United Supermarkets, LLC](#), is a Texas-based, family-owned grocery chain with stores in 30 markets across north and west Texas. A self-distributing company with its headquarters in Lubbock and distribution centers in Lubbock and Roanoke, United currently operates 52 stores under four distinct formats: [United Supermarkets](#), [Market Street](#), [Amigos United](#) and United Express.