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## **Market Street in Wichita Falls to Become 24-Hour Store**

*Location will offer round-the-clock grocery/pharmacy access beginning Oct. 14*

**(WICHITA FALLS, Texas)** – Beginning Monday (Oct. 14), [Market Street](#) will offer 24-hour convenience to its Wichita Falls guests by expanding the operational hours of its Kell and Fairway location. The store will give guests around-the-clock access to the pharmacy, including prescription services and grocery needs.

This marks the fourth 24-hour location for United Supermarkets, LLC (United) stores. Two Market Street locations in Lubbock and a United Supermarkets location in Amarillo have become 24-hour stores during the past 18 months.

Creating 24-hour locations is one way United is adapting to meet its communities' needs and offer new options to guests, according to Mark Yowell, regional vice president of United Supermarkets, LCC.

“Wichita Falls has more than 100,000 community members, many of which work late or overnight – city emergency services, health care and some manufacturing companies with night shifts,” Yowell said. “We believe this is an underserved population in terms of shopping options, particularly when it comes to pharmacy.”

The pharmacy at the 4590 Kell Blvd. location will be fully staffed overnight, as will many other store departments. Food service areas – including deli, bakery and restaurant – will maintain current operational hours, although several self-service options will be available all night long.

“To ensure we are providing a safe environment for our guests and team members, we’ll be adding additional security personnel, as well as offering carryout service and accompanying guests to their cars at all times,” Yowell said.

### **About Market Street®**

Market Street® is a unique and inspiring shopping experience – the place to go for people who care about food, who want a healthier lifestyle, and who are open to fresh new food ideas. It’s the place “where everyday meets gourmet” – where guests can bring many shopping lists one store. Market Street locations can be found in Allen, Amarillo, Colleyville, Coppell, Frisco, Lubbock (3), McKinney, Plano and Wichita Falls. A 12<sup>th</sup> Market Street location is scheduled to open in December 2013 in Flower Mound.

**About United Supermarkets, LLC**

Now in its 97<sup>th</sup> year of operation, United Supermarkets, LLC, is a Texas-based 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 57 stores under four unique brands: [United Supermarkets](#), [Market Street](#), [Amigos](#) and United Express, along with subsidiary operations R.C. Taylor Distributing, Praters and Llano Logistics. For more information, please visit: [www.unitedtexas.com](http://www.unitedtexas.com).

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