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United Supermarkets to Start Construction Monday on Newest United Express Location, in Wichita Falls

(WICHITA FALLS, Texas) – [United Supermarkets](#), LLC, (United) will begin construction Monday of its first United Express convenience store in Wichita Falls, to be located adjacent to its supermarket at 4516 Jacksboro Hwy.

The store is targeted for completion in July, according to Rob Bichard, the company's director of facilities, and will be United's ninth standalone convenience store.

The 2,600 square-foot facility will feature a full-service drive-thru window for added convenience and will create 10-12 new jobs for the city. The company currently operates eight freestanding convenience stores, and another location is due to open in Hereford in mid-August.

"One of the key attractions of our convenience stores – and especially for the drive-thru window – will be our specialty coffee and tea service," said Tony Crumpton, executive vice president of facilities, fuel and supply for United.



"Using our own popular Arriba brand, we'll offer a full line of made-to-order coffees and tea – including lattes, smoothies and frappes, on par with any other coffee retailer anywhere.

Whether it's grabbing a hot latte in the morning, or a bag of ice and gallon of milk on the way home, we believe our Wichita Falls guests are truly going to enjoy the drive-thru experience."

The convenience store also will feature a four-pump (eight-dispenser) fuel station offering both gasoline and diesel. In addition to traditional convenience items (fountain drinks, grab-and-go packaged food, propane tank refills, etc.), United Express also offers a wide assortment of "fresh to-go" items – including breakfast burritos, hot sandwiches, fresh fruit and salads, f'Real milkshakes and other frozen beverages.

Hours of operation will mirror the main store – 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily.

About United Supermarkets, LLC

Now in its 97th year of operation, United Supermarkets, LLC, is a Texas-based grocery chain with stores in 31 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 59 stores under four unique brands: [United Supermarkets](#), [Market Street](#), [Amigos](#) and United Express, along with ancillary operations R.C. Taylor Distributing, Praters and Llano Logistics. The company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Albertson's LLC. For more information, please visit: www.unitedtexas.com.

About United Express

United Express combines fresh prepared foods with traditional on-the-go items in a convenience store with a unique flair. In addition to eight freestanding convenience stores, there are 19 other United Express fuel/convenience kiosks across north and west Texas.

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