



# TTIA

*Life's Better in a State of Travel*

**David Teel**  
**President and CEO**  
**Texas Travel Industry Association**



David Teel is President and CEO of the Texas Travel Industry Association - the umbrella organization and leading advocate for the state's travel industry.

Under David's leadership, TTIA works aggressively to strengthen the Texas travel industry and increase awareness of the industry as a major job creating force and economic driver that improves the quality of life for all Texans.

David also serves as Executive Director for the Texas Commercial Airports Association, leading TCAA's advocacy efforts to advance air service development, tourism and education for the traveling public and the communities served by Texas' commercial passenger airports.

David serves on the boards of the US Travel Association, the Texas Association of Convention and Visitors Bureaus, the Hospitality Educators Association of Texas, and the Texas State Parks Advisory Committee.

Prior to joining TTIA, David served as State Tourism Director under the administrations of Governors George W. Bush and Rick Perry.

David is a 6<sup>th</sup> generation Texan from Mexia. He and his wife Frankie have been married more than 30 years and make their home in Austin. They have two children and four grandchildren.

**Texas Travel Industry Association**

3345 Bee Caves Road, Suite 102A, Austin, Texas 78746 • P: 512.328.8842 F: 512.478.9177 • [www.ttia.org](http://www.ttia.org)