

LOCATION

The city of Hillsboro is conveniently located 35 miles north of Waco, 65 miles south of Dallas and 55 miles south of Fort Worth on Interstate 35.

POPULATION

Year	City	County
2009	9,176	35,315
2000	8,232	32,321
1990	7,072	27,146

TRANSPORTATION

AIR SERVICE

Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport (DFW) is about 80 miles north from Hillsboro, in the mid-cities area of the Dallas/Fort Worth metroplex.

- Passenger service: 20 carriers (domestic and international)
- Air cargo service: 23 carriers (domestic and international)

Dallas Love Field is about 70 miles north from Hillsboro in Dallas

- Passenger service: American Eagle, Continental Airlines, Express Jet, and Southwest Airlines (domestic)

Waco Regional Airport (ACT) is about 35 miles south from Hillsboro

- Passenger service: American Eagle and Continental Connection offer connecting flights to DFW and Houston International Airport

Hillsboro Municipal Airport (INJ) is about 4 miles north of Hillsboro on I-35W

- 4000 foot asphalt runway
- Instrument approach
- Jet-A and 100 Low Lead Fuel available 24 hours a day
- Airport terminal staffed Tuesday through Saturday
- Courtesy car to transport passengers to Hillsboro

FREIGHT CARRIERS

Currently 195 freight carriers are found within a 50 mile radius of Hillsboro, including 23 carriers that are listed within a 30 miles area of Waco.

NEXT DAY DELIVERY SERVICE

Federal Express and United Parcel Service provide daily pick up and delivery service in Hillsboro.

RAIL SERVICE

Hillsboro is served by the main north-south Union Pacific (UP) rail line that runs through central Texas. UP provides service into the Hillsboro Industrial Park via a lead track, with spurs to individual locations. Existing rail-served sites, as well as greenfield sites that have the potential to be rail served, are available in the industrial park.

TAXATION

2008 Property Tax Rate Per \$100 Assessed Value	
Hill County	\$0.456796
Hillsboro, City	\$0.817472
Hillsboro ISD	\$1.410000
Hill Jr. College	\$0.063644
Total	\$2.747912

State Sales Tax	6.25%
Municipal Sales Tax	1.00%
Economic Development Tax	0.125%
County Sales Tax	0.5%
Property Tax Relief	0.375%
Total Sales Tax	8.25%

GOVERNMENT, CITY

Type	Mayor/Council/Manager
Number of Council	7
Municipal Police	20
Paid Fireman	23
City Zoning Body	Yes
Master Plan	Yes

EDUCATION

Hillsboro ISD 2008-09 Budget	\$17,025,179
Schools	Enrollment
Pre K-Kindergarten	1 187
Elementary	1 476
Intermediate	1 515
Junior High	1 229
High School	1 448
Area Colleges/Universities:	Hill College, Hillsboro;
Baylor University, Waco;	McLennan County
Community College, Waco;	Texas State Technical
College, Waco	
State Industrial Job Training	Yes
Vocational Program	Yes

CHURCHES

Apostolic, African Methodist Episcopal, Assembly of God, Baptist, Catholic, Christian Disciples of Christ, Church of Christ, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Church of the Nazarene, Episcopal, Four Square Gospel, Interdenominational, Jehovah's Witness, Lutheran, Methodist, Pentecostal, Pentecostal Holiness, Presbyterian

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Parks	4
Area Lakes	2
Country Clubs	1
Health Centers	2
Tennis Courts	2
Bed & Breakfast Facilities	2
Hotel & Motel Rooms	484
Libraries	1

AREA ATTRACTIONS

Texas Heritage Museum and Historical Research Center, Outlets at Hillsboro, Hill County Courthouse, MKT Depot, Hillsboro City Library, Wallace Park, City Park, Lake Aquilla, Lake Whitney, Hillsboro Country Club, The Burson Gallery, Hill County Cell Block Museum, Texas Musicians Museum, Willie's Place

CLIMATE

Annual Average Temperature	66.3° F
Average High Temperature	77.5° F
Average Low Temperature	55.1° F
Annual Average Precipitation	37.2"
Annual Average Snowfall	1.9"
Elevation	550 ft

