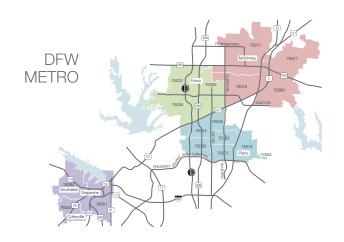
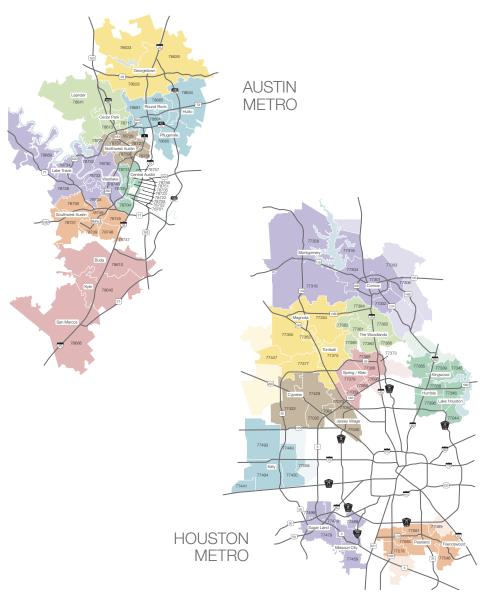
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## COMMUNITY IMPACT NEWSPAPER





#### DISTRIBUTION WITH AN IMPACT

Community Impact Newspaper offers advertisers the opportunity to reach 100 percent of businesses and residents via U.S. mail in a newspaper format.

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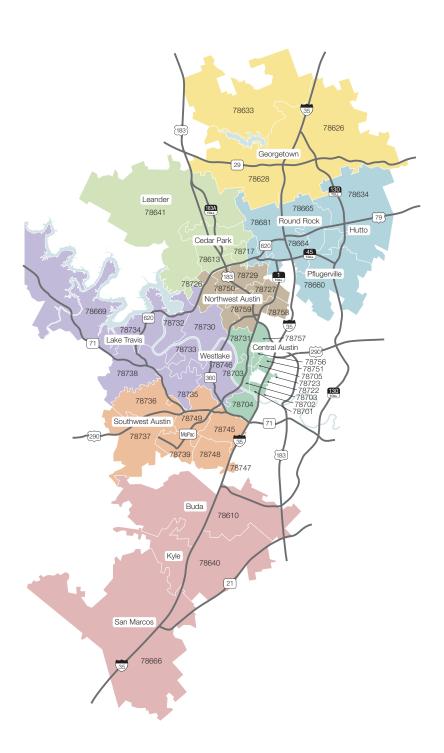
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# PROOF OF IMPACT BESEARCH



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**TOTAL MONTHLY CIRCULATION** 

The typical reader passes his or her copy of *Community Impact Newspaper* along to at least **one other person** which increases our total readership to



**3.31 MILLION** 

**TOTAL MONTHLY READERS** 

This readership makes Community Impact Newspaper

the most-read publication in Texas.

Our papers are well-read.

91%

of respondents indicated they had read at least

1 of the last 4 issues.

And our readers are loyal.

81%

of respondents indicated they had read at least

3 of the last 4 issues.

648,210 READERS
and growing!

**AUSTIN METRO:** 

**HOUSTON METRO:** 

**1.16 MILLION READERS** 

and growing!

**Advertising with CI works.** 

**60%** 

AND

60%

of respondents said they bought a service or product and/or used a coupon from our paper. sought further information about a a service or product and/or visited the company website.

When asked to

choose only 1 main source of local news,

respondents chose:

In the markets we serve, Community Impact Newspaper is the

and growing!

main source for local news.

**AUSTIN** 

**Community Impact: 51%** 

Austin American-Statesman: 27%

Austin Chronicle: 2%

Community Impact: 49%

**DALLAS / FT. WORTH** 

Dallas Morning News: 14%

Ft. Worth Star-Telegram: 8%

HOUSTON

Community Impact: 47%

Houston Chronicle: 24%



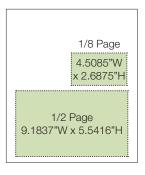
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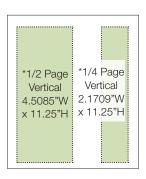
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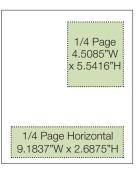
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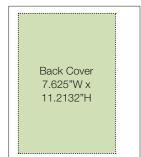
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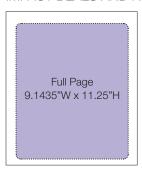


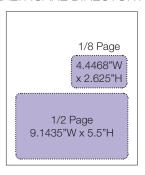


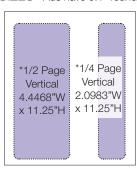


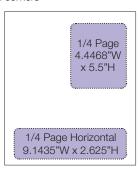


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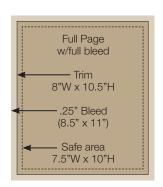


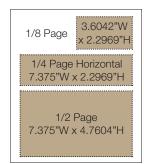


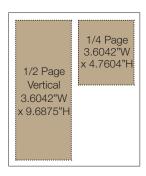
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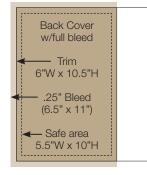
Connected is printed on glossy paper at 300 dpi.

All full-page ads in *Connected* include a .25" bleed.









#### CAMERA-READY ADS

All ads are full-color, and rates include our professional-quality design service.

If you choose to provide a camera-ready ad, we prefer a high-resolution PDF file that meets the following print industry standards:

- CMYK only; convert all colors to CMYK—no Pantones, LAB color or RGB
- All photographs should be at least 200 dpi (300 dpi for Connected); line drawings should be at least 400 dpi
- High-quality or press-quality setting
- Outline or embed all fonts

#### We can also accept:

• InDesign files (.indd); please package and include all fonts and links

#### We cannot accept:

 Microsoft Word (.doc), Microsoft Publisher (.pub) or PDF files created from Microsoft Word, Powerpoint, Excel or Publisher

#### How to send:

- Files smaller than 25 MB can be emailed to your account executive.
- Files larger than 25 MB can be burned to a CD or DVD or uploaded to our FTP site. For FTP login information, please contact your Community Impact Newspaper account executive.

\*Vertical ads are not available in every edition. Please check with your account executive before sending in a camera-ready ad in this orientation



## OUR OTHER PRODUCTS

### COMMUNITY IMPACT NEWSPAPER



#### CONNECTED

Connected is an annual community guide for all current and future residents. This publication features local restaurants, shops, parks and more. Connected offers advertisers an opportunity to be part of the most comprehensive community and relocation guide available in the marketplace.

-Ads and sponsorships are available.



#### HEALTHCARE DIRECTORY

The Healthcare Directory is an in-paper guide that provides a comprehensive listing of area hospitals and physicians. The directory also contains health care—related news and features that are relevant to the communities we serve, and it is the most widely distributed health care directory in Texas.

-Ads and sponsorships are available.



#### **EDUCATION FOCUS**

The Education Focus is an in-paper guide to regional elementary, middle and high schools, including editorial content, school feeder patterns, statistical charts and maps.

-Four levels of sponsorship are available.



#### SOLO MAIL POST CARDS

SmartDALs are mailed with *Community Impact Newspaper* but separated for solo-mail visibility. Reach thousands of local residents for a fraction of standard postal rates.



#### **INSERTS**

Inserted into the monthly editions of Community Impact Newspaper, these advertisements provide the ability to target your audience in specific cities, ZIP codes or neighborhoods. Customized quotes are available for printing and distributing or for distribution of preprinted materials.



#### STICKY NOTE

Placed on the front cover, the 3" x 3" sticky note is a great way to advertise:

- Special offers
- Sales events
- · Sporting events
- Promotions
- Branding



#### COMMUNITYIMPACT.COM

Redesigned in 2016, communityimpact.com offers advertisers the chance to reach thousands of local readers who will be instantly connected to their community using geolocation.

High-quality ads are beautifully showcased within the scrolling pages of hyperlocal editorial content. The sleek design and simple navigation on our site entices readers to seamlessly engage with stories, ads and offers, comments, videos, calendar events and more.



#### NEWSLETTER

Our weekly email newsletters are delivered directly to the inboxes of readers who have asked for frequent updates about local news and business and are engaged in their communities. The newsletter features stories that can't be found anywhere else online, and in a package with an all-new elegant, simple design. Your ad and sponsorship exclusively will accompany local news stories, business features, regional and state headlines, and colorful photos. Associating your brand with our trusted news content is a sure way to gain interest in your business.



## DIRECT MAIL

### SmartDAL - RATES AND SPECS

#### SMART DETACHED ADDRESS LABELS

SmartDALs give you the opportunity to reach thousands of local residents for a fraction of standard postal rates.

- Mailed with Community Impact Newspaper but separated for Solo-Mail visibility
- Print and mail for less than the price of standard postage
- Reach your target audience with distribution to specific carrier routes
- Take advantage of this exclusive opportunity with only one card available per carrier route



#### **DISTRIBUTION RATES**

12 times	6 times	1 time
\$0.125 ea	\$0.13 ea	\$0.135 ea

#### PRINT RATES

Quantity	Price per piece
10,000—29,999	\$0.065
30,000-49,999	\$0.055
50,000-99,999	\$0.05
100,000—149,999	\$0.045
150,000-249,999	\$0.035
250,000+	\$0.03

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

DAL cards are double-sided and printed on 80# glossy card stock. (Add \$.01 per card for 100#. DAL cards must be printed through *Community Impact Newspaper*)

There is no charge for our professional-quality design service.

The back right half of the DAL card is required to have specific information printed for the post office. If you choose to provide a camera-ready file, please contact your account executive for a template containing this information. We prefer a high-resolution PDF file that meets the following print industry standards:

- CMYK, 300 dpi
- High-quality or press-quality setting
- Outline or embed all fonts

#### We can also accept:

• InDesign files (.indd); please package and include all fonts and links

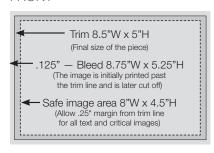
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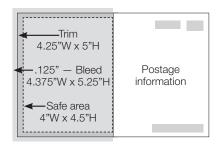
#### How to send:

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- Files larger than 25 MB can be burned to a CD or DVD or uploaded to our FTP site. For FTP login information, please contact your Community Impact Newspaper account executive.

#### **FRONT**



#### **BACK**



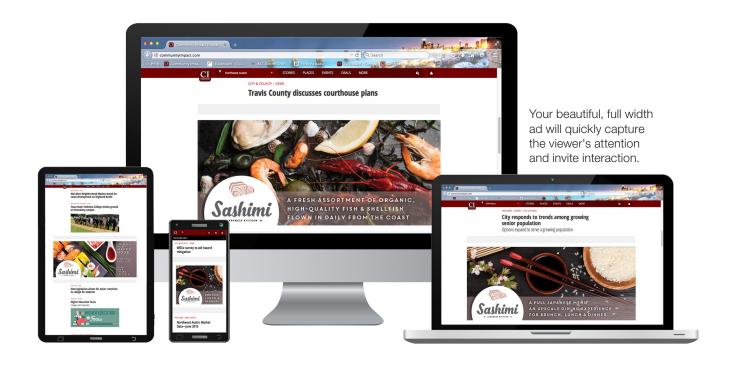
#### **DEADLINE**

Final artwork for SmartDAL is due at 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, 2 weeks (10 business days) before in-home delivery date.



## DIGITAL ADVERTISING

### COMMUNITYIMPACT.COM



Launched in June 2015, the redesigned *communityimpact.com* offers advertisers the chance to reach thousands of local readers who will be instantly connected to their community using geolocation.

Our high-quality ads are beautifully showcased within the scrolling pages of hyperlocal editorial content. The sleek design and simple navigation on our site entices readers to seamlessly engage with stories, ads and offers, comment forums, videos, calendar events and more.



#### **GEO-TARGETED**

Instant geolocation ensures that your ad is seen by your local target audience.



#### RESPONSIVE

Your ad is optimized to fit all devices and screen sizes, whether on a mobile, tablet, laptop or desktop.

#### ARTWORK SPECIFICATIONS

#### Billboard: 1,200 x 520 pixels

Delivered to desktops, laptops & tablets.

## Mobile: 414 x 345 pixels\* Delivered to mobile phones.

\*Final mobile display size may vary

#### CAMERA-READY ADS

All ads are full-color and rates include our professional-quality design service. If you choose to provide a camera-ready ad, we prefer a high-resolution JPEG, PNG or PDF file.

#### We can also accept:

HTML5 or HTML/CSS/JS

#### We cannot accept:

Flash SWF files

#### How to send:

- Files smaller than 25 MB can be emailed to your account executive.
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#### MONTHLY RATES

Any single market	Monthly
12 times	\$250
6 times	\$300
1 time	\$350

		50%
Austin Metro (8)	Monthly	OFF
12 times	\$1,000	
6 times	\$1,200	
1 time	\$1.400	

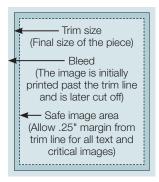
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Dallas Metro (4)	Monthly	OFF
12 times	\$500	
6 times	\$600	
1 time	\$700	

	50%
Houston Metro (8)	Monthly
12 times	\$1,000
6 times	\$1,200
1 time	\$1,400



## INSERTS & STICKY NOTES

### RATES AND SPECS









#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Product	Postcard insert	Full page insert	Front cover sticky note
Trim size (width x height)	8.5"x5.5"	8.5"x11"	3"x3"
Size with bleed	8.75"x5.75"	8.75"x11.25"	3.125"x3.125"
Safe image area	8"x5"	8"x10.5"	2.875"x2.875"
Paper	80# gloss cover	70# gloss text	sticky note
Sides	double-sided	double-sided	color front, *B&W back <i>(optional)</i>
Color	full color, 300 dpi	full color, 300 dpi	full color, 300 dpi
Minimum quantity	10,000	10,000	12,500 (1-sided) 25,000 (2-sided)

<sup>\*</sup> Ink coverage on the back of a sticky note must not exceed 15%

#### **DISTRIBUTION RATES**

Quantity	1 time	6 times	12 times	1 time	6 times	12 times	1 time	6 times	12 times
10,000-29,999	\$0.065	\$0.06	\$0.055	\$0.065	\$0.06	\$0.055	\$0.085	\$0.08	\$0.075
30,000-49,999	\$0.06	\$0.055	\$0.05	\$0.06	\$0.055	\$0.05	\$0.08	\$0.075	\$0.07
50,000-99,999	\$0.0575	\$0.0525	\$0.0475	\$0.0575	\$0.0525	\$0.0475	\$0.075	\$0.07	\$0.065
100,000-249,999	\$0.055	\$0.05	\$0.045	\$0.055	\$0.05	\$0.045	\$0.07	\$0.065	\$0.060
250,000-499,999	\$0.0525	\$0.0475	\$0.0425	\$0.0525	\$0.0475	\$0.0425	\$0.0675	\$0.0625	\$0.0575
500,000+	\$0.05	\$0.045	\$0.04	\$0.05	\$0.045	\$0.04	\$0.065	\$0.06	\$0.055

#### PRINT RATES

Quantity	Price per piece			
10,000-19,999	\$0.065	\$0.065	\$0.045	
20,000-29,999	\$0.065	\$0.065	\$0.045	
30,000-39,999	\$0.055	\$0.050	\$0.03	
40,000-49,999	\$0.055	\$0.050	\$0.03	
50,000-74,999	\$0.05	\$0.040	\$0.03	
75,000—99,999	\$0.05	\$0.035	\$0.03	
100,000-149,999	\$0.045	\$0.035	\$0.03	
150,000-249,999	\$0.035	\$0.035	\$0.03	
250,000-499,999	\$0.03	\$0.035	\$0.03	
500,000+	\$0.03	\$0.035	\$0.03	

#### **DEADLINES**

**Inserts:** 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, 2 weeks (10 business days) before in-home delivery date **Sticky notes:** 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, 3 weeks (15 business days) before in-home delivery date



## DIRECT MAIL

### Solo Mail - RATES AND SPECS

#### **FEATURES**

Solo Mail cards give you the opportunity to reach thousands of local residents.

- Can be mailed anywhere in the U.S.
- · Reach your target audience with saturated distribution to specific carrier routes
- · Weekly mailing opportunities (Excluding 5 week months)

#### PRINTING & MAILING RATES (TURNKEY)

Dimensions	Quantity	Price per piece	
8.5" x 5"	10,000*-49,999	\$0.29	
	50,000+	\$0.28	
6" x 9"	10,000*-49,999	\$0.31	
<del>0</del>	50,000+	\$0.30	

The rates above are for shipping within Texas with total saturation.\*

A custom quote is required for client-provided mailing lists or shipping outside of Texas.

\*Route/ZIP specific. \*\*Minimum quantity 10,000. Additional charges may apply. Rates are subject to change.





#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

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- CMYK, 300 dpi
- High-quality or press-quality setting
- Outline or embed all fonts

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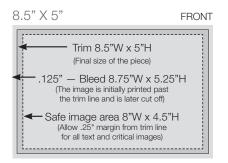
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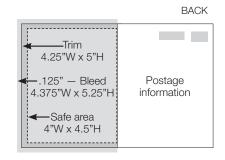
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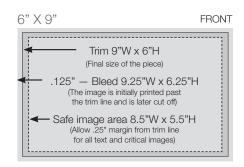
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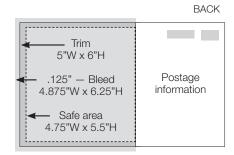
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