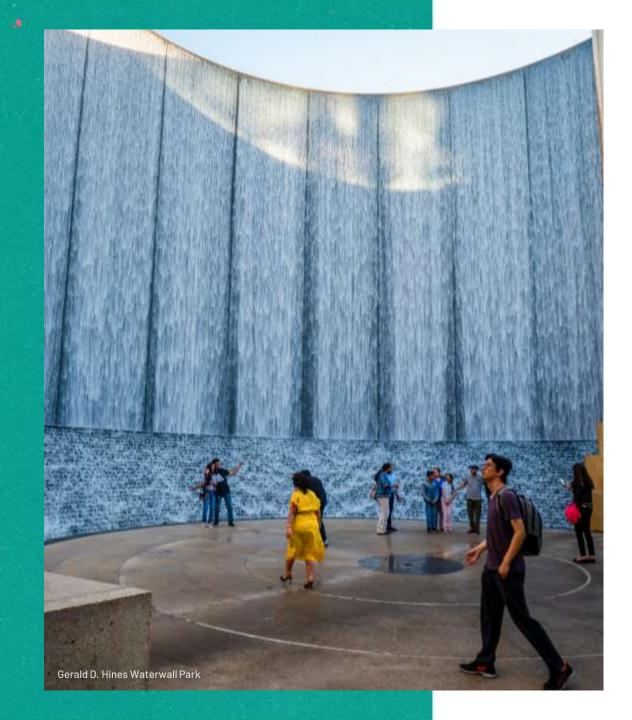
## HOUSTON AS A LEISURE DESTINATION





### Houston is a place to be yourself and belong to something bigger.

We connect people and opportunity, creating energy you won't find anywhere else. Our culture, at its very core, is an intersection of global ideas, innovation and opportunity.



# WE'RE A DIVERSE GROUP OF PEOPLE

Year after year, America becomes more multinational. By very definition, Houston's plurality is the roadmap for America. By one measure of diversity – how evenly distributed the population is between Black, White, Latino, and Asian – Houston is the most diverse city in the United States.

By 2060, the Census Bureau predicts the country will follow in Houston's footsteps, with no single race claiming a majority of the population. One in four Houstonians were born outside of the United States.

#### **HOUSTON IS AN AMERICAN CULINARY CAPITAL**

With 10,000 restaurants representing cuisine from more than 70 countries and American regions, Houston's restaurant scene is as ethnically diverse as its more than 6-million residents.



Houston's restaurants know how to present eye-popping dishes. (Photo courtesy Uchi)







Houston is one of the best "foodie" cities in the U.S. -Wallet Hub





One of America's **Best Food Cities** -Washington Post





**Multiple James Beard Semifinalists** Annually











#### 19 MUSEUMS IN 4 WALKABLE ZONES

Home to Hermann Park, the Houston Zoo and 19 world-class museums, Houston's Museum District is a cultural destination that welcomes millions of visitors every year.

For families, the Museum District offers a wide array of activities, including playing in the Children's Museum interactive exhibits, or learning about dinosaurs and butterflies at the Houston Museum of Natural Science.







THEATER DISTRICT SPANS 17 BLOCKS & HOUSES OVER 13,000 SEATS



HoustonBallet

Houston Ballet's Swan Lake

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HOUSTON BALLET MAKES ITS GRAND DEBUT IN TOKYO WITH SWAN LAKE

> October 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> Tokyo Bunka Kaikan



## SPORTS

### **HOUSTON ASTROS**

### HOUSTON TEXANS

### HOUSTON ROCKETS

HOUSTON DYNAMO





#### There's something for everyone in Houston.

From the depths of the ocean to the limitless boundaries of space, Houston is filled with world class attractions ready to thrill visitors of any kind. Adult: \$64 Child: \$54







Downtown Aquarium



Houston Zoo



Kemah Boardwalk



Space Center Houston



## ANNUAL EVENTS

**Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo** 

Feb - March

Houston Open

March





### GEORGE R. BROWN CONVENTION CENTER

#### PREMIER MEETING DESTINATION

- Covers 1.8 million square feet
- Ranks among the 10 largest convention centers in the nation
- Parking garages are connected and provide over 3,000+ spaces
- Walking distance to more than 7,000 hotel rooms

