Dear Chamber Member,

"Spend $20 on the 20th" is the new Washington County Chamber of Commerce "Buy Local" campaign!

Shop with pride in YOUR hometown. It benefits every business and every resident.

Many people do not realize the importance of keeping their hard-earned dollars in their own community. They don't realize that by spending dollars *outside* of Washington County for goods and services that can be purchased here, they are supporting other communities' police and fire departments, parks and recreation facilities, businesses, workforce, etc.

To heighten awareness about buying local, the Chamber is sponsoring a prize drawing along with the "Spend $20 on the 20th" campaign. All residents of Washington County are invited to stop by the Chamber and pick up a "Buy Local" punch card. For each time you "Spend $20 on the 20th" of the month at any Washington County business, show your receipt at the Chamber (314 S. Austin Street, Brenham) and receive a "punch" on your card. When your card is completed with 5 punches, it will be entered into a drawing for a **$220 GRAND PRIZE!** Drawings will be held quarterly (starting July 2011) and the winner will receive a $220 gift certificate to the Chamber Member business of their choice!

A card with 5 punches is a completed entry. Punches are only made at the Chamber when you show a receipt for at least $20 spent on the 20th of any month at a Washington County business. You may enter as many FULL cards as you like. Lost or stolen cards will not be replaced. Receipts for each purchase for "Spend $20 on the 20th" will be verified by a Chamber staff member. Receipts must show business name and date. More details are printed below and also online.

Chamber Member: Please display the sign below to help spread the word about this campaign and the prize drawing. If you have any questions or comments, please contact us at (979) 836-3695 or info@brenhamtexas.com. *Thank you!*

- Washington County Chamber "Buy Local" Committee

★ SPEND $20 ON THE 20th ★

BUY LOCAL!

In Washington County

BRENHAM – BURTON – CHAPPELL HILL – INDEPENDENCE – WASHINGTON

Shop at local businesses and your sales tax dollars will support your community, police and fire departments, parks and recreation facilities, library, fellow workers and more.

Shop and Buy Local with pride in YOUR hometown!

Plus, enter a **$220 GRAND PRIZE DRAWING** at the Washington County Chamber!

How to enter:

1) On the 20th of any month, make a purchase of at least $20 at **any Washington County business**.
2) Stop by the Chamber afterward with your valid original receipt, and pick up a punch card. For each increment of $20 you spent on the 20th, you will receive a punch on your card.
3) Once your card has 5 punches, you can enter it into the quarterly prize drawing. **You can enter as many full cards as you like!**
4) Drawings will be held quarterly (starting July 2011). Winners will receive a $220 Gift Certificate to the Chamber Member business of their choice.

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