



November 2017

## Notre Dame & Skyway Business Walk

55 Businesses Visited | 1 Business Walk | 7 Team members



### Business Walkers:

1. Michelle Woods, Chico Chamber
2. Katie Simmons, Chico Chamber
3. Don Cutler, Happy At Home
4. Esteban Tadeo, AFWD
5. Brendon Ottoboni, City of Chico
6. Rick Anderson, DexYP
7. Gary Besser, AFWD

**Business Feedback:** The Team asked standard Business Walk questions such as: “Tell us what it’s like doing business in this area.” “Do you have any concerns about doing business here?” We also asked for feedback and observations on traffic, congestion, safety, and general business climate/health issues:

**Vagrancy:** Businesses see a lot of loitering and sleeping around their business property.

**Cleanliness:** Sanitation is a concern. Feces, drug paraphernalia, and trash are left around businesses and in the ditch/culvert.

**Businesses & Properties:** Concerns of the Jesus Center relocating to Silver Dollar Way and property / business theft.

**Streets/Parking/Infrastructure:** Highway accessibility on all highways (99, 32, 70, etc.) needs improvement. Request for stop sign in front of ChicoER, concern of access and lightening on Notre Dame, request for a traffic signal at Skyway/Zanella Way (near collision center).

**Commercial Air Service:** Would be helpful to have for their business and corporate clients.

**Hiring/Employment:** Needing more qualified applicant pools.



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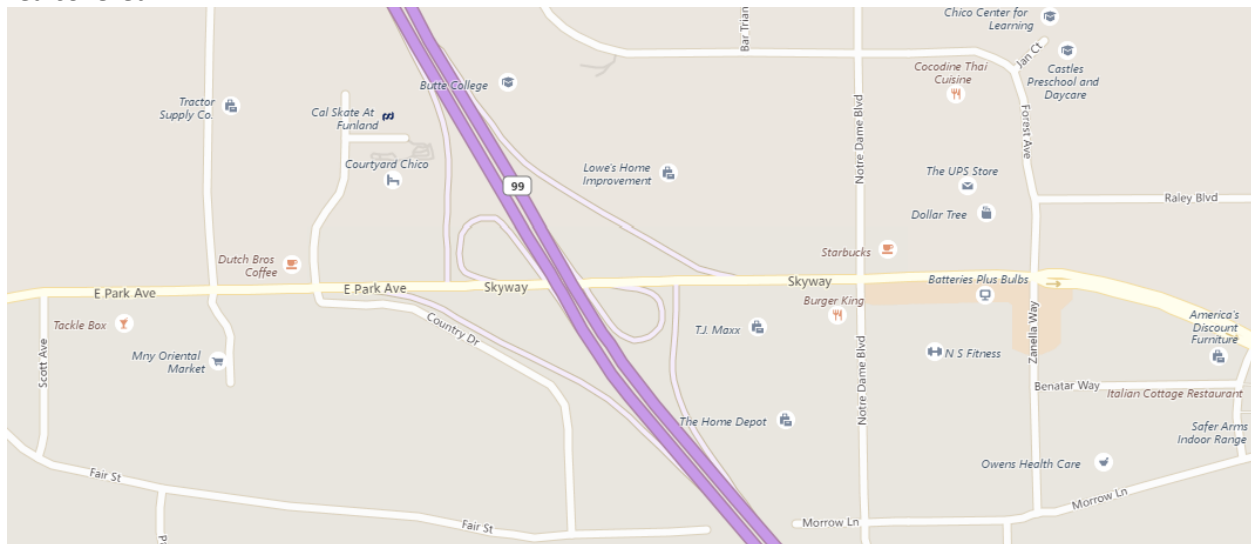
### Businesses Visited

- Butte Bible Fellowship
- Access Technology
- Arby's
- Batteries & Bulbs
- Blue Iron Auctions
- Brown's Small Engine Repair
- Butte Community Employment Center
- Butte Humane Society
- Butte Sheriffs Office
- Cal Java
- Check into Cash
- Chevron
- Chico Enterprise-Record
- Courtyard Residence Inn
- Cricket Wireless
- Dan's Electric
- Dollar Tree
- Dutch Bros
- E-Cigs

- Enterprise
- Fastnal
- Fun Land
- Ginno's
- Goodwill
- Herc Rentals
- IPP / STIHL
- JE McAmis
- Kitchen Center
- Lifescape
- Lisa Willet DDS
- Magic Nails
- MJB Welding
- My Oriental Market
- OK
- North State Tire Co.
- NS Fit
- Papa Murphy's
- Peet's Restaurant
- Pink N' Pull
- ProLube
- Raleys
- Riebes
- Scrubbs
- Sky Salon
- Skypark Plaza
- Cleaners
- Storage Treasure
- Thrift Store
- Subway
- Tackle Box Bar and Grill
- Tile City Tile & Storage
- Tractor Supply
- Tuesday Morning
- UHaul
- UPS Store
- Valley Tracker
- VCA Valley Oak Veterinary Center
- Vintage Hot Rod & Design
- Waste Management

**Next Business Walk:** TBD. RSVP to [jwilliams@3coredc.org](mailto:jwilliams@3coredc.org) or call (530) 893-8732 x202. **Questions?** Email [katie@chicochamber.com](mailto:katie@chicochamber.com) or call (530) 891-5556 x303.

#### Area covered:



#### Team Chico Partners



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