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## Embassy Suites by Hilton Denton Convention Center named Winner of the 2020 Southwest Showcase Most Exciting Meeting Destination Change Award

**DENTON, Texas—October 14, 2019—** Today the Embassy Suites by Hilton Denton Convention Center was named the winner of the 2020 Southwest Showcase Most Exciting Meeting Destination Change award. This recognition is awarded to any organization, city, bureau, group or company responsible for notable development to a destination of interest to the event industry. The Southwest Showcase Board selected the [Embassy Suites by Hilton Denton Convention Center](#) as the winner of this award based on a nomination from Dana Lodge, the Director of Sales at the Denton Convention and Visitors Bureau, in which nominees were judged on the utility, scope, and value of the project that brought change to their area. The Embassy Suites was nominated for its role in opening the door for holding conferences by Denton's two large universities, as well as bringing in groups from outside of the city of Denton for conventions and conferences.

According to the Nominator, Dana Lodge, "The project has exceeded all expectations. Immediately, conventions, conferences and meetings started booking the Embassy Suites by Hilton Denton Convention Center even before the ceremonial groundbreaking. Our community now has a first-class hotel and meeting space for all types of university business, associations, corporate and leisure travelers."

This award is among many that the AAA Four Diamond property has received since its grand opening in January of 2018, including being ranked #1 of all Hilton Embassy Suites for the first two quarters of 2019 as well as being LEED Gold Certified for its Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design.



“On behalf of O’Reilly Hospitality Management and the team at the Embassy Suites by Hilton Denton Convention Center, we are thrilled to receive this award which shines a light on the City of Denton as a unique destination,” said Jeff Pritts, *General Manager*. “Our Embassy and its host city boast an originality that welcomes, entertains, and inspires residents and visitors alike. We are thankful for the recognition this award will bring the city and the Embassy.”

### **About Embassy Suites by Hilton**

Embassy Suites by Hilton, one of Hilton's 15 market-leading brands, is dedicated to delivering what matters most to travelers. The full-service, upscale brand offers two-room suites, free made-to-order breakfast and a nightly two-hour reception with complimentary drinks and snacks. Both leisure and business travelers looking for a relaxed, yet sophisticated experience will feel right at home with brand-standard amenities like inviting atriums and complimentary 24-hour business and fitness centers. Embassy Suites by Hilton has 251 hotels with 45 in the pipeline. Hilton Honors members who book directly through preferred Hilton channels have access to instant benefits, including a flexible payment slider that allows members to choose nearly any combination of Points and money to book a stay, an exclusive member discount that can't be found anywhere else, free standard WiFi, and digital amenities like digital check-in with room selection and Digital Key (select locations), available exclusively through the industry-leading Hilton Honors mobile app. For more information, visit [www.embassysuites.com](http://www.embassysuites.com) or [newsroom.hilton.com/embassysuites](http://newsroom.hilton.com/embassysuites), and connect with Embassy Suites by Hilton on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

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