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## **NEW ASPA COASTAL BEND CHAPTER MIXER PLANNED**

The new American Society for Public Administration Coastal Bend Chapter, a professional public service chapter available to public servants in the Coastal Bend, specifically serving Nueces, Kleberg, San Patricio, Aransas and Jim Wells counties, will be holding its first mixer.

The mixer is scheduled for Thursday, October 11, 2007, from 5:30 to 7:30pm, at the Islander Bar & Grill located at 6102 Ocean Drive. Individuals in government, non-profit or university services are invited to attend.

The Coastal Bend Chapter of the American Society for Public Administration was chartered on July 23, 2007.

ASPA's mission is to advance the art, science, teaching and practice of public and nonprofit administration through its programs and services, and fosters core public service values including: accountability and performance, professionalism, social equity, and ethics at the local, national and international levels.

ASPA has a diverse membership of approximately 9,500 government and nonprofit administrators, scholars, educators, and students. Membership is open to individuals in government, non-profit or university services.

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