

# DALLAS



## *Dallas, TX* *Nickname: "The Big D"*

### **Statistics:**

- Population: 1,341,000
- 9th largest city in the United States
- Incorporated as a city in 1856

### **Fun Facts:**

- Dallas was founded in 1841 and formally was formally incorporated as a city on February 2nd 1856.
- Motto: Live Large. Think Big.
- Dallas has more restaurants per capita than New York City
- Dallas is renowned for barbeque, authentic Mexican and Tex-Mex cuisine
- The 3rd largest city in Texas behind Houston and San Antonio
- Home of the Dallas Stars, Dallas Mavericks, and "Americas team" the Dallas Cowboys.
- Dallas is located in the largest state in the United States. Texas is larger than France, Belgium, Holland, Switzerland and Luxembourg combined.

### **Soccer Facts:**

- FC Dallas is an MLS soccer club based in Frisco, Texas. The club was known as the Dallas Burn from 1996 to 2004.
- The initials FC in FC Dallas stand for Futbol Club.
- Dallas plays its home games at their 20,500-capacity soccer-specific Toyota Stadium.
- FC Dallas' main rival is the Houston Dynamo.