

near the Tribal Museum makes it easy for visitors to stop by and learn more about Poarch Band of Creek Indian history and find a souvenir from the museum's gift shop.

Creek Travel Plaza has earned many awards since opening. The facility was voted one of the top five truck stops in the state of Alabama by Trucker Path mobile app users in 2020. Over 6000 truck stops nationwide are ranked based on feedback and reviews from over 500,000 truckers who use the Trucker Path app. CTP was named a top Alabama Truck Stop and Top Independent Truck Stop in 2017. In 2016, after only four years in operation, CTP already ranked #24 in the top 100 Truck Stops by Trucker Path.

But CTP isn't just for truckers. Many locals enjoy a tasty, hot meal and good conversation at the 1950's style-diner. Favorite menu items include tomato gravy and rice, bodacious burgers, fried chicken or shrimp baskets, milkshakes, and the House Specialty Indian Tacos. Travelers and area residents enjoy the convenience of the Grab n Go hot bar while a fully stocked convenience store fills all types of motorists' needs. Cars, trucks, RVs, and motor coaches are all welcome!

Gerald Montalbano, CIEDA Director of Retail Operations, stated, "I hope everyone will join us to celebrate the success of CTP. The facility has become a social hub for Tribal Members where nearby neighbors gather to share a cup of coffee or a meal. We feel our business contributes to a sense of community for locals while driving travelers to our exit, benefiting the Tribe and adjacent businesses."

The 10th Anniversary Celebration begins Friday, September 16th at 10am and is open to the public and Tribal Members. All are invited to participate in the festivities and join us in celebrating ten years of success.

About Creek Indian Enterprises Development Authority (CIEDA)

The Poarch Band of Creek Indians operates various economic enterprises, which employ thousands of Tribal Members and non-tribal members. Creek Indian Enterprises Development Authority manages tribal community-owned enterprises representing a diverse collection of industries. The enterprises overseen by CIEDA do not include any tribal government services nor gaming operations.

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