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# Cantina Laredo Opens in The Streets at Southglenn in Centennial, Colorado

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DALLAS, Aug. 2 -- /PRNewswire/ -- Consolidated Restaurant Operations, Inc., which operates and franchises 117 full-service restaurants encompassing seven different brands, has recently opened Cantina Laredo in The Streets at Southglenn, South Denver's newest upscale destination, located in the heart of Centennial, CO. Cantina Laredo serves gourmet Mexican cuisine in a sophisticated atmosphere.

The Centennial location marks the fourth new Cantina Laredo to open during the past year. The original Cantina Laredo restaurant opened in Addison TX. The brand has since expanded to 32 locations in the past five years. Today, Cantina Laredo has premier locations in 12 states.

Cantina Laredo serves a variety of authentic Mexican dishes including daily fish specials, grilled chicken and steaks complemented by signature sauces such as chipotle-wine with portobello mushrooms or sauteed artichoke hearts and roasted red bell peppers. The Casa Rita is the signature margarita, made with the highest quality tequila and fresh squeezed lime juice. Other offerings include a Sunday brunch with complimentary Bloody Marys and Mimosas, preparation of fresh guacamole at the guest's table, and catering services for events such as holiday parties and business meetings. Entrees are priced between \$14 and \$26. Hours are Sunday through Thursday from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m., and Friday and Saturday from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.

"Cantina Laredo continues to expand to meet the growing taste for more sophisticated, authentic flavors. We're committed to providing high-quality, world-class cuisine," said John D. Harkey Jr., CEO of Consolidated Restaurant Operations, Inc, parent company of Cantina Laredo. "Our vision is to be one of the premier restaurant brands for upscale dining occasions globally. We have executed agreements to open more than 170 restaurants over the next seven years."

Cantina Laredo is one of 117 restaurants system-wide throughout the U.S., United Kingdom, Egypt and the United Arab Emirates in the Consolidated Restaurant Operations, Inc. (CRO) portfolio. CRO is a privately owned full service restaurant company based in Dallas, TX with system-wide sales of \$214 million in 2009. In addition to 32 Cantina Laredo gourmet Mexican restaurants, CRO also operates sixteen high-end III Forks Prime steakhouses, Silver Fox steakhouses, Cool River Cafe restaurants and 68 casual restaurants including El Chico Tex-Mex, Good Eats Grill and Lucky's.

For more information please visit [www.cantinalaredo.com](http://www.cantinalaredo.com) and [www.croinc.com](http://www.croinc.com).

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