

HIDALGO COUNTY HISTORICAL COMMISSION

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NOTES:

Recent resignations and deaths have greatly effected the Historical Commission. Glenn Housely of Weslaco died last year. His wife, Margaret Housely, and two other Weslaco members, Marge Johnson and Fran Isbell, are all resigning due to illness. Other members are planning to leave the Valley or have ceased attending meetings without explanation.

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PROPOSED NEW MEMBERS

NAME	CITY	PCT
Lilia Dominguez	Mercedes, TX	1
John Downing	Mercedes, TX	1
Cyndi Castro	Pharr, TX	2
Rosa Lila Ledesma	Mission, TX	3
Dee Lopez	Edinburg, TX	4
Aguie Pena	Edinburg, TX	4
Jaime Longoria	Edinburg, TX	4

The Commission was reduced to 25 members by previous action of the Commissioners' Court. We are in the process of reducing membership to achieve that maximum number through the absentee policy.

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NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICERS FOR 2015

President	Adela Ortega
Vice-President For Preservation	Aida Escobar
Vice-President For Markers	Jesse De La Fuente
Secretary	Alicia De La Rosa
Treasurer	Anita Vela