

State of Texas
County of Williamson
Know all men by these presents.

THAT ON THIS, the 4th day of May 2021, the Commissioners Court of Williamson County, Texas, met in duly called session at the Courthouse in Georgetown, with the following members present;

Bill Gravell, Jr., County Judge
Terry Cook, Commissioner, Precinct One
Cynthia Long, Commissioner, Precinct Two
Valerie Covey, Commissioner, Precinct Three
Russ Boles, Commissioner, Precinct Four

And at said meeting, among other business, the Court considered the following

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, historic preservation is an effective tool for managing growth and sustainable development, revitalizing commercial districts, fostering local pride and maintaining community character while enhancing livability; and

WHEREAS, historic preservation is relevant for communities across the nation, both urban and rural, and for Americans of all ages, all walks of life and all ethnic backgrounds; and

WHEREAS, it is important to celebrate the role of history in our lives and the contributions made by dedicated individuals in helping to preserve the tangible aspects of the heritage that has shaped us as a people; and

WHEREAS, "This Place Matters" is the local theme for National Preservation Month 2021, co-sponsored by the Georgetown Main Street Program, Georgetown Historic and Architectural Review Commission, The Williamson Museum, Preservation Georgetown and the National Trust for Historic Preservation; and

WHEREAS, the Williamson County historic courthouse is a place that matters with a rich history in the community as the location of significant events including the mass registration of first-time women voters by Jesse Daniel Ames and the successful prosecution of the KKK by District Attorney Dan Moody; and

WHEREAS, the Williamson County historic courthouse, which was restored from 2005 to 2007, celebrates its 110th birthday this year.

Therefore be it resolved, the Williamson County Commissioners Court declares the month of May 2021 to be National Preservation Month in Williamson County, Texas, and encourages its residents and visitors to learn more about the history of our courthouse and other historic locations.

RESOLVED THIS 4th DAY OF MAY 2021.

Bill Gravell
Williamson County Judge