

NATIONAL COUNTY GOVERNMENT WEEK

May 3-9, 2009

WHEREAS, county government is the oldest form of local government in the United States; and

WHEREAS, county government in Texas has been a major provider of services to Texas citizens since the early days of the Republic, and today, all 254 Texas counties supply dozens of services to their citizens; and


WHEREAS, counties are on the front line of addressing many of the nation's most critical issues including environmental protection, indigent health care, special assistance for the elderly, job training, and public safety; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Texas county government is to meet the needs of all our citizens without placing an undue hardship on local taxpayers;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Commissioners Court of Williamson County, of the State of Texas, hereby proclaims May 3-9, 2009 as County Government Week, and encourages all its citizens to become more aware of the history and involved in the future of Williamson County.

IN OFFICIAL RECOGNITION WHEREOF, we, the undersigned do hereby affix our signatures this 27th day of ~~April~~ ^{May} 2009.

Dan A. Gattis, County Judge



Lisa Birkman, Presiding Judge
Commissioner, Precinct #1

Cynthia P. Long
Commissioner, Precinct #2

Valerie Covey
Commissioner, Precinct #3

Ron Morrison
Commissioner, Precinct #4