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AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Hays County Commissioners Court

Tuesdays at 9:00 AM

Request forms are due in Microsoft Word Format via email by 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday.

AGENDA ITEM

Presentation of the Texas Historical Commission's Distinguished Service Award certificate to the Hays County Historical Commission.

ITEM TYPE	MEETING DATE	AMOUNT REQUIRED
PROCLAMATIONS/PRESENTATIONS	July 16, 2013	

LINE ITEM NUMBER

AUDITOR USE ONLY

AUDITOR COMMENTS:

PURCHASING GUIDELINES FOLLOWED: N/A AUDITOR REVIEW: N/A

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SUMMARY

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June 24, 2013

The Honorable Bert Cobb
Hays County Judge
111 E. San Antonio Street, Suite 300
San Marcos, TX 78666

Dear Judge Cobb,

We are pleased to inform you that the Hays County Historical Commission (CHC) is a recipient of the Distinguished Service Award for outstanding preservation work accomplished in the 2012 year of service. The Texas Historical Commission (THC) gives this award to CHCs who successfully manage preservation programs that educate citizens and generate interest in the history and character of Texas.

To acknowledge this achievement, we ask that you **present the enclosed Distinguished Service Award (DSA) certificate to CHC appointees during a formal meeting of the commissioners court.** This is the most effective way to show gratitude for CHC efforts and to publicly acknowledge their service, which is often overlooked and undervalued. Public recognition of CHC service will encourage appointees to continue efforts to preserve your county's heritage. Your support and influence are vital to the livelihood of your CHC.

Enclosed is a press release announcing your CHC's achievement so that you can **promote this important accomplishment.** In these challenging times, this DSA award helps to illustrate the positive aspects of county government. Investing in your CHC can lead to a substantial amount of monetary and in-kind donations to your county, along with increased economic development that often accompanies efforts such as heritage tourism events, community gatherings, historic designations, and historic rehabilitations.

Thank you for your continued support of history and preservation and for appointing such committed individuals to your CHC. Congratulations to you and your CHC appointees on a job well done.

Sincerely,



Bratten Thomason
History Programs Division Director
Texas Historical Commission

Enclosed: DSA Award, Press Release, Promotional Suggestions
cc: Hays County Historical Commission Chair



TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION

PRESENTS THIS

2012

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

TO

HAYS COUNTY HISTORICAL COMMISSION

IN RECOGNITION OF ITS ACTIVE
AND WELL-BALANCED PRESERVATION PROGRAM

Mary Wolfe
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

6/20/13
DATE



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