

State of Texas §

County of Comal §

Proclamation

RECOGNIZING THE COMAL COUNTY HISTORICAL COMMISSION WITH THE TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION *2014 DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD*

Whereas, the Comal County Historical Commission has accomplished substantial preservation work that celebrates the role of history in our lives and acknowledges with thanksgiving the outstanding contributions made by those who came before us. The Commission members emphasize stewardship of our cultural and historical resources, encourage economic development, and generate interest in the history and character of our county; and

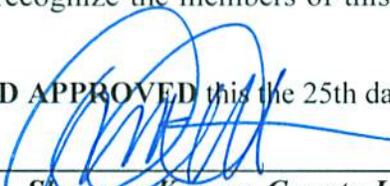
Whereas, the Comal County Historical Commission has participated in effective partnerships with the Comal County Commissioners Court, City of New Braunfels, Landmark Commission, Greater New Braunfels Chamber of Commerce, Sophienburg Museum & Archives, New Braunfels Parks and Recreation Department, Comal County Genealogy Society, New Braunfels German American Society, US Army Corps of Engineers, New Braunfels Independent School District, Canyon Lake Noon Lions Club, Canyon Lake Rotary Club, Fischer Agricultural Society, Fischer Store School Community Association, El Camino Real de las Tejas National Historic Trail Association, and the Texas Historical Commission. The Commission has assisted in designations and marker research for the Fischer Historic District, Haag Cemetery, Slumber Falls Youth Camp, Fischer Cemetery, Phoenix Saloon, Comal Steam Laundry, 1915 Post Office, Startzville, Startz Café, Riley's Tavern, Comal Settlement, Henne Hardware, New Braunfels Methodist Church, Smithson Valley Cemetery, Comal County Fair, Anhalt Halle, Walzem Chapel, Spring Branch Post Office, Windwehen House, St. Joseph's Chapel, and the German Pioneers in Texas. The Commission also awarded the first annual Frederick Frueholz Preservation Award to Alton Rahe; and

Whereas, the Comal County Historical Commission devoted numerous hours in 2014 to important projects such as the completion of the Historic Resource Survey of Comal County that was published in September 2014, obtaining a grant for the preparation of the nomination to the National Register of Historic Places for the Fischer Historic District, the Texas Historical Commission Marker Program including restoration of existing markers, the Texas Treasure Business Award, and Section 106 Project Review; and

Whereas, the education of current and future generations will continue to be enhanced through the identification and preservation of the County's historic resources with relevant information in the media, on the county website and other communication avenues available to the Historical Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Comal County Commissioners Court does hereby gratefully honor and congratulate the Comal County Historical Commission for receiving the 2014 Distinguished Service Award by the Texas Historical Commission, and invites all citizens of Comal County to recognize the members of this Commission for their extraordinary accomplishments.

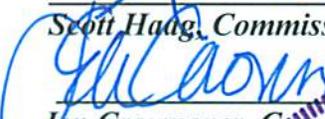
PASSED AND APPROVED this 25th day of June, 2015.


Sherman Krause, County Judge


Donna Eccleston, Commissioner Pct 1


Scott Haag, Commissioner Pct 2

Absent
Kevin Webb, Commissioner Pct 3


Jen Crownover, Commissioner Pct 4

Attest: 
Bobbie Koepf, County Clerk

