

State of Texas \*  
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County of Comal \*

# Proclamation

## RECOGNIZING THE COMAL COUNTY HISTORICAL COMMISSION WITH THE TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION 2022 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 while emphasizing stewardship of our cultural and historical resources, encouraging economic development, and generating 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, New Braunfels Historic Landmark Commission, Sophienburg Museum & Archives, New Braunfels Parks and Recreation Department, New Braunfels Conservation Society, The Heritage Society of New Braunfels, Headwaters at the Comal, the El Camino Real de los Tejas Historic Trail Association, and the Texas Historical Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, the Comal County Historical Commission continued the Texas Historical Commission marker program by assisting with designations and marker research for Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cemetery, Panteon Hidalgo Cemetery, Cypress Bend Park, Heinrich Mordhorst, Franz Heimer, Weisser Dairy Farm-Pfeiffer Ranch, Kopplin-Leitch House, New Braunfels Gemischer Chor Harmonie, Julius Bremer/Rebecca Creek School, Market Plaza, Comal Cemetery, York Creek Cemetery, Dr. E. A. Grist, Mission Hill, Kindermaskenball, and the Kaderli Family, and also awarded the eighth annual Frederick Frueholz Preservation Award to Rosemarie Leissner Gregory; and

**WHEREAS**, the Comal County Historical Commission volunteered numerous hours in 2022 for Certified Local Government grant projects for National Register of Historic Places nominations of the New Braunfels Main Plaza, the Frueholz House and Frueholz Medical Building, and the New Braunfels Downtown Historic District, conducting physical condition reviews of properties designated historic by Texas or the Department of the Interior, participating in the Texas Historical Commission RTHL Photography Project, submitting nominations for Texas Treasure Business Awards, educating the public through the focused use of social media, and completing Section 106 Project Reviews; 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 PROCLAIMED** that the Commissioners Court of Comal County, Texas, duly convened and acting in its capacity as the governing body of Comal County, does hereby gratefully honor and congratulate the Comal County Historical Commission for receiving the 2022 Distinguished Service Award from the Texas Historical Commission, and does invite all residents of Comal County to recognize the members of this commission for their extraordinary accomplishments.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this the 20<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2023.



*Absent*

Sherman Krause, County Judge

*Donna Eccleston*  
Donna Eccleston, Commissioner Pct. 1

*Scott Haag*  
Scott Haag, Commissioner Pct. 2

*Kevin Webb*  
Kevin Webb, Commissioner Pct. 3

*Jen Crownover*  
Jen Crownover, Commissioner Pct. 4

Attest: *Bobbie Koepp*  
Bobbie Koepp, County Clerk