

TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION

TEXAS CERTIFIED LOCAL GOVERNMENT PROGRAM FY2014 HISTORIC PRESERVATION FUND GRANTS



Covert Park at Mount Bonnell Historic Resource Assessment
Austin, TX

CLG Grant Award: \$ 22,605.00

Total Project Cost: \$ 45,210.00

This project included the survey and conditions assessment of existing historic features, including those likely constructed as part of the depression-era New Deal projects carried out in Travis County. The 1938 limestone monument at the site was restored after being broken in at least three pieces. The pieces were reattached, Dutchman repairs were made for missing pieces, cracks and holes were filled, and the graffiti was removed.



Historic Preservation Education
Denison, TX

CLG Grant Award: \$ 3,000.00

Total Project Cost: \$ 6,000.00

A workshop was held on December 5, 2014 at the historic Katy Depot in Denison. The event included exhibits, hands-on demonstrations, and Q & A sessions. The presentations were videotaped and the city is making copies for Landmark Commission members and historic building owners.



Survey of Historic Glenwood, Phase 2
Denton, TX

CLG Grant Award: \$ 37,755.00

Total Project Cost: \$ 86,096.00

The City of Denton updated its 1996 historic resources survey and identified additional resources that are now eligible for designation. Phase 1 of the survey was conducted using a 2012 CLG grant. This project covered the Glenwood area, which included over 1,000 resources.



Denton County Historic Resources Survey Plan
Denton County, TX

CLG Grant Award: \$ 30,000.00

Total Project Cost: \$ 60,019.30

This project created a plan for a phased county-wide survey, and included archival and historic map research, a historic context, and GIS analysis. Denton County identified the need to document extant resources as soon as possible due to development pressures from the expansion of major roads, such as Interstate 35E, and the rapid development that may occur within Municipal Utility Districts in the north and eastern parts of the county.



Survey of East End, Silk Stocking and Lost Bayou Historic Districts
Galveston, TX

CLG Grant Award: \$ 10,000.00

Total Project Cost: \$ 20,000.00

This project surveyed and evaluated properties located within the East End, Silk Stocking, and Lost Bayou Local Historic Districts. Combined, the districts consist of 1,369 parcels. The East End was previously surveyed in 1969 and 1988, with an expansion area surveyed in 1994. The Silk Stocking and Lost Bayou districts were only surveyed once since their establishments in 1975 and 1994.



National Register Districts Review and Update Georgetown, TX

CLG Grant Award: \$ 12,000.00

Total Project Cost: \$ 25,744.84

Several of the National Register Historic Districts in Georgetown contain buildings listed as noncontributing that should have been included at the time of nomination, or that have gained historical significance since the approval of the nominations. This project reviewed existing district boundaries and reevaluated the status of the resources within those boundaries, for possible boundary expansion or change in the status of individual resources. A National Register nomination amendment was also prepared for the one of the districts.



Restoration of the J.J. Culbertson Fountain Paris, TX

CLG Grant Award: \$ 3,270.00

Total Project Cost: \$ 21,240.00

The project removed a temporary cementitious coating on the walking surfaces and reinstalled tiles similar to those found historically. Other activities included patching cracks in the cast stone walls and steps, repointing mortar joints, cleaning cast stone surfaces, and removing and reinstalling a sea cherub statue after plumbing repairs were made.



Survey and Inventory of Southwest Travis County. Travis County, TX

CLG Grant Award: \$ 8,500.00

Total Project Cost: \$ 17,015.00

Travis County surveyed the SW portion of the county as part of their long-term, phased project to survey the entire county (outside of Austin city limits). The pending extension of State 45, which will connect MoPac Expressway South with IH-35, has magnified the need to identify and document all historic resources in the area. More than 450 historic resources were identified.



Preservation education event and two-day workshop Tyler, TX

CLG Grant Award: \$ 3,168.62

Total Project Costs: 8,000.00

The City of Tyler hosted a three-day preservation workshop and invited preservation professionals, Landmarks Commission board members, and the public from Tyler and other regional CLGs.



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