

TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION

**TEXAS PRESERVATION TRUST FUND
FY 2020 GRANT AWARDS**

In January 2019, the THC accepted 42 grant applications requesting over \$1.1 million in grant funds. Twenty-nine projects were selected from the initial application stage to proceed to the project proposal stage. Twenty-four proposals were submitted to the THC in July. At the THC’s quarterly meeting on October 4, 2019, eleven proposals were approved for grant funding totaling \$245,884. Also, the THC had a special earmark of grant funds available for projects located in Galveston County and three projects were approved for funding totaling \$105,777.

Texas Preservation Trust Fund Grant Funds Available: \$248,625						
Rank	County	Project Name		Funds Requested	Funding Recommended	Cumulative Total
ARCHEOLOGY						
1	Live Oak	Loma Sandia Site		\$ 20,979.00	\$ 20,979.00	
				Subtotal	\$ 20,979.00	\$ 20,979.00
HERITAGE EDUCATION						
2	Regional	Aya Education Programs – An Exploration of Texas Freedom Colonies		\$ 8,000.00	\$ 8,000.00	
3	Statewide	Rural Lands Archeology Preservation Initiative		\$ 2,654.00	\$ 2,654.00	
				Subtotal	\$ 10,654.00	\$ 31,633.00
ARCHITECTURE						
4	El Paso	Rio Vista Farm		\$ 30,000.00	\$ 30,000.00	
5	Falls/Limestone	Bassett Farms Cultural Landscape Inventory and Report		\$ 30,000.00	\$ 30,000.00	
6	Gonzales	Gonzales Memorial Museum & Amphitheatre		\$ 30,000.00	\$ 30,000.00	
7	Webb	San Agustin Cathedral		\$ 30,000.00	\$ 30,000.00	
8	Brazos	Temple Freda		\$ 50,000.00	\$ 30,000.00	
9	Robertson	Wheelock School House		\$ 24,251.00	\$ 24,251.00	
10	Gonzales	1885 Gonzales County Jail		\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	
11	Polk	Goodrich Elementary School		\$ 38,000.00	\$ 30,000.00	
				Subtotal	\$ 214,251.00	\$ 245,884.00
					TOTAL FUNDS RECOMMENDED	\$ 245,884.00
Galveston County funds available: \$105,777						
1	Galveston	Bishop's Palace		\$ 70,000.00	\$ 66,258.25	
2	Galveston	E.S. Levy Building/National Hotel Artist Lofts		\$ 30,000.00	\$ 30,000.00	
3	Galveston	Reedy Chapel AME		\$ 9,518.75	\$ 9,518.75	
				Subtotal	\$ 105,777.00	\$ 105,777.00
					TOTAL FUNDS RECOMMENDED	\$ 105,777.00