

(NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARKS)

Form 10-300 (July 1969)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES INVENTORY - NOMINATION FORM

(Type all entries - complete applicable sections)

STATE:	TEXAS	
COUNTY:	TRAVIS	
FOR NPS USE ONLY		
ENTRY NUMBER	DATE	
70.8.42.0016	8/25/70	

1. NAME

COMMON:  
The Governor's Mansion

AND/OR HISTORIC:

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:  
1010 Colorado

CITY OR TOWN:  
Austin,

STATE: Texas      CODE: 042      COUNTY: Travis      CODE: 453

3. CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY (Check One)	OWNERSHIP	STATUS	ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC
<input type="checkbox"/> District <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input type="checkbox"/> Object	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Both	Public Acquisition: <input type="checkbox"/> In Process <input type="checkbox"/> Being Considered	Yes: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Restricted <input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/> No

PRESENT USE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

<input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Government	<input type="checkbox"/> Park	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation	<input type="checkbox"/> Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/> Industrial	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private Residence	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Educational	<input type="checkbox"/> Military	<input type="checkbox"/> Religious		
<input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/> Museum	<input type="checkbox"/> Scientific		

4. OWNER OF PROPERTY

OWNER'S NAME:  
The State of Texas

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN:  
Austin, Texas

STATE: Texas      CODE: 042



5. LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE, REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.:  
Travis County Courthouse

STREET AND NUMBER:

CITY OR TOWN:  
Austin

STATE: Texas      CODE: 042

6. REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE OF SURVEY:  
Texas State Historical Survey

DATE OF SURVEY: 1962       Federal       State       County       Local

DEPOSITORY FOR SURVEY RECORDS:  
Texas State Historical Survey Committee

STREET AND NUMBER:  
108 W. 15th Street

CITY OR TOWN:  
Austin

STATE: Texas      CODE: 042

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7. DESCRIPTION

CONDITION	(Check One)					
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Deteriorated	<input type="checkbox"/> Ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> Unexposed
	(Check One)			(Check One)		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Altered	<input type="checkbox"/> Unaltered		<input type="checkbox"/> Moved	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Site	

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (if known) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

One of the few Greek Revival Governor's Mansions still in use as the residence of the Chief of State, this building is a charming example of the Texas style. It is set on a hill southwest of the Capitol, on a standard city block. The building is a two story symmetrical white brick residence with a flat roof and five bay inset two story front gallery. The fluted wooden columns and the entablature with its dentils and wide cornice are proper Ionic. The absence of pediment is a regional characteristic.

The full width second story gallery has the graceful and delicate wood balustrade used by the Austin Master Builder, Abner Cook, made up of slender bundled slats forming an open diamond pattern (crows foot balusters). The first floor balustrade and stair railings are a harmonizing modern addition.

A second typical detail of Abner Cook's Greek revival buildings is seen in the sidelights and transom of the front door with an unusually tall transom intersected by the pilasters of the door jambs and carrying a high entablature. In this case the motif is not repeated in the center of the second story and instead there are five six over six sash windows with shutters. The first story gallery windows are floor length and have six over nine sashes. Additions have been made to the original block of the house at the rear and there is also an ell. There is a separate Victorian carriage house, plain but with a modified Mansard roof. Walls, terracing, and gardens were added during the residence of John Connally. The brick on the north side of the house is stuccoed and painted, the rest is exposed and painted.

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Washington, District of Columbia 08

**8. SIGNIFICANCE**

PERIOD (Check One or More as Appropriate)

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|--|---------------------------------------|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Columbian | <input type="checkbox"/> 16th Century | <input type="checkbox"/> 18th Century            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 20th Century |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 15th Century  | <input type="checkbox"/> 17th Century | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 19th Century |  |

SPECIFIC DATE(S) (If Applicable and Known) 1856

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE (Check One or More as Appropriate)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal              | <input type="checkbox"/> Education              | <input type="checkbox"/> Political           | <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Planning        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prehistoric             | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering            | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion/Philosophy | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Historic                | <input type="checkbox"/> Industry               | <input type="checkbox"/> Science             | _____  |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Architecture | <input type="checkbox"/> Social/Humanitarian | _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Literature             | <input type="checkbox"/> Theater             | _____  |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Communications          | <input type="checkbox"/> Music                  |  |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation            |   |  |  |

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

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A visit to the Governor's Mansion in Austin, Texas, is an opportunity to see the best in Texas architecture and to learn a lesson in Texas history. Indeed, the heritage created by all the First Families who have lived in the Governor's Mansion has helped to shape the destiny of Austin and the State of Texas.

Texas law demands that each governor must live in a governor's mansion during his term of office. The first structure built to serve this purpose was a two-story frame "president's house" at Seventh and San Jacinto. By 1850, however, the house was clearly insufficient, and the Legislature made plans to build a new Governor's Mansion. The Legislature appropriated \$2,500 for furnishings. Abner Cook, famous for his work on other Austin homes, was architect-contractor.

Cook finished the mansion by 1856. It was in Greek revival style and used bricks made in Austin, and pine logs from Bastrop. The mansion was rectangular-- 105 feet long and fifty-six feet wide-- and six Ionic pillars extended the two-story height. Cook's plans involved four rooms around a central hallway and a kitchen wing which he built apart from the main portion of the house. Nine large fireplaces gave heat during the winter; wide porches caught breezes during the long Texas summers.

Most of the first-floor rooms are used for entertaining. Two north rooms, for example, have been combined to form the Blue Room. A second reception area is the Green Room, south of the entrance hall. The chandelier in this second room is said to be the only original light fixture remaining in the Mansion.

The State Dining Room, used for all state luncheons and banquets, is back of the Green Room. It is decorated in red, and accented in white. Its furniture includes Chippendale dining chairs and a Chippendale sideboard. The south and west wings are additions to the original plan, and they serve as private rooms for the governor's family. Mementos and

**9. MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

Austin Public Library. Austin and Travis County Collection.

**10. GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

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APPROXIMATE ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY: 2.06 acres

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE:	CODE	COUNTY	CODE
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**11. FORM PREPARED BY Wayne Bell, Project Director**

NAME AND TITLE: Roxanne Williamson, Architectural Historian  
Martha Doty, Cultural Historian (SB) (LMD)

ORGANIZATION: Texas State Historical Survey Committee DATE: 4-27-70

STREET AND NUMBER: 108 West 15th Street

CITY OR TOWN: Austin, STATE: Texas CODE: 042

**12. STATE LIAISON OFFICER CERTIFICATION NATIONAL REGISTER VERIFICATION**

As the designated State Liaison Officer for the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (Public Law 89-665), I hereby nominate this property for inclusion in the National Register and certify that it has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the National Park Service. The recommended level of significance of this nomination is:

National  State  Local

Name: [Signature]

Title: State Liaison Officer

Date: 5-1-70

I hereby certify that this property is included in the National Register.

[Signature]  
 Chief, Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation

Date: MAY 25 1970

ATTEST:

[Signature]  
 Keeper of The National Register

Date: JUN 23 1970

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reminders of previous occupants are scattered throughout the Portraits of outstanding Texans such as John Reagan, and William and John Wharton line the walls of the second-floor hallway; the Sam Houston room includes Houston's four-poster bed, Stephen F. Austin's mahogany chest, and Houston's hand-written treaty with the Cherokee Indians.

Recently-added furnishings have been carefully planned. Originally, Governor Pease sent Colonel S.M. Swenson to New York to buy rugs, draperies, and furniture. Subsequent additions were frequently comical: on the first floor, for example, delicate eighteenth-century French chairs stood beside massive Victorian chests. A Mansion Board quickly remedied such anomalies, however, and now each governor's wife must confer with the Board concerning her selections of furniture and decorations.

The Governor's Mansion was the first structure to be designated a Texas Historic Landmark, recorded in 1962. Official dedication ceremonies were held December 7, 1969.

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Governor's Mansion

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5/6/70	✓	—	6
DATA PAGE	✓	—	3
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MAP (S)	✓	—	1
MAP DESCRIPTIONS (S)	✓	—	—
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ACKNOWLEDGE	✓	—	—

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REVIEW

HISTORIAN COMMENTS

OK

Sample  
5/19/70  
B.R.  
5/22/70

HISTORIAN COMMENTS

OK

ARCHITECT COMMENTS

OK

Chambers  
5/19/70

Chief Architect Chief Archeologist Chief Historian

OK. Beauford 10/12/70

Keeper COMMENTS

OK

Wm  
6/23

ENTRY

CHIEF, OAHP COMMENTS

OK

ELL  
8-25-70

EDITORIAL PROCESSING

EDITOR  
Federal Register Entry  
Annual Edition Entry

Date  
10/6/70

OK  
ED 5/12

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Title: The Governor's Mansion

Loc. Travis Co., Texas

Carriage House from  
the West

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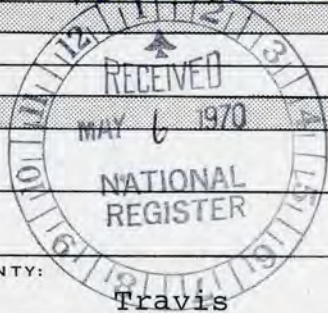
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2. LOCATION			
STREET AND NUMBER:			
1010 Colorado			
CITY OR TOWN:			
Austin			
STATE:	CODE	COUNTY:	CODE
Texas	042	Travis	453
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DATE OF PHOTO:	June, 1969		
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4. IDENTIFICATION			
DESCRIBE VIEW, DIRECTION, ETC.			
Carriage House from the west			





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Title: The Governor's  
Mansion

Loc. Travis Co, Texas  
front & east  
elevation

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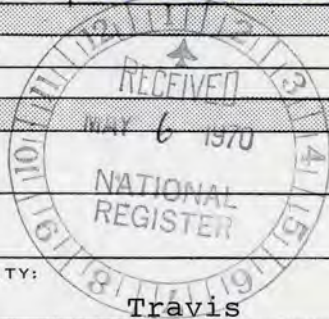
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Front and East elevation			





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Title: The Governor's  
Mansion

Loc. Travis Co, Texas  
Side and north  
elevation

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108 W. 15th Street, Austin, Texas 78711

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Side and north elevation

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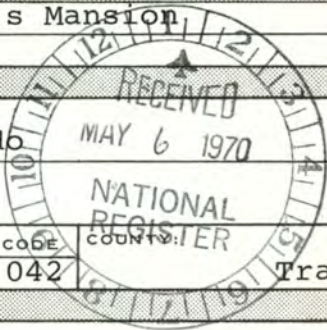
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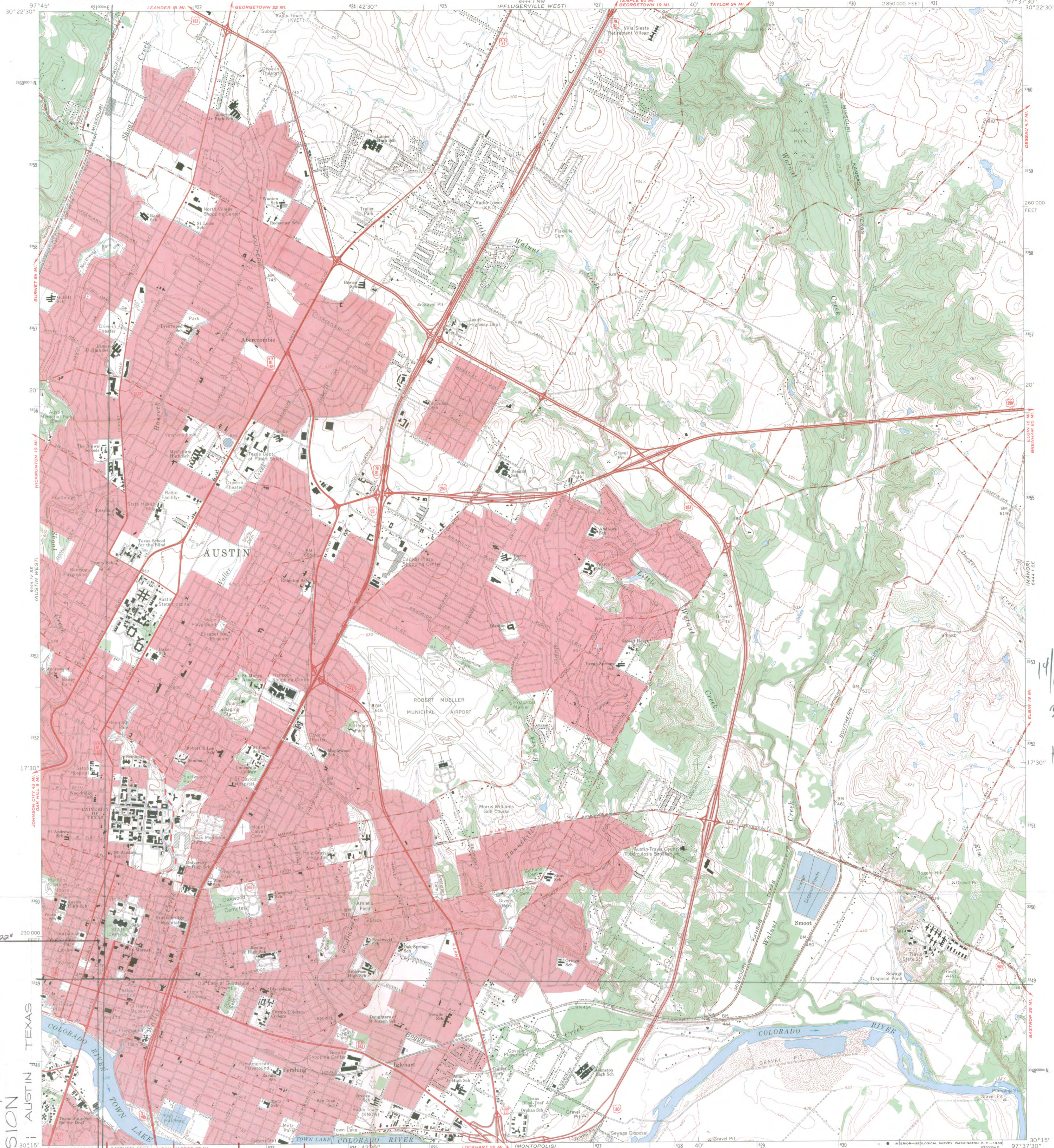
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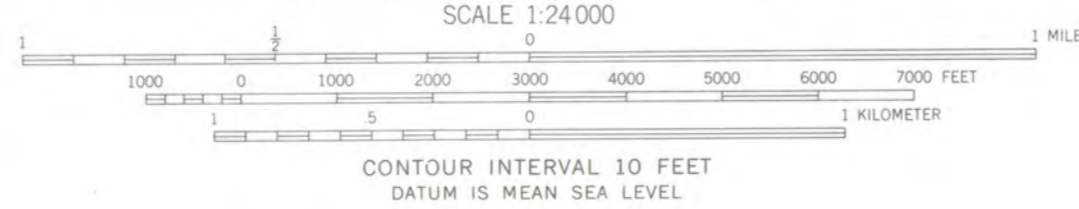
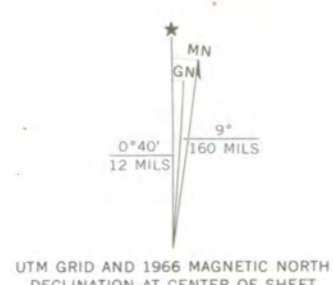




TEXAS STATE GOVERNOR'S  
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1010 COLORADO ST. AUSTIN, TEXAS

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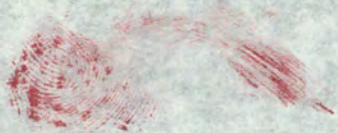
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A FOLDER DESCRIBING TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS AND SYMBOLS IS AVAILABLE ON REQUEST

AUSTIN EAST, TEX.  
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H30-HR

Mr. Truett Latimer  
Executive Director  
Texas State Historical Survey Committee  
Post Office Box 12276  
Capitol Station  
108 West 15th Street  
Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Mr. Latimer:

We are pleased to inform you that the historic properties listed on the enclosure have been placed on the National Register of Historic Places. Senators Ralph W. Yarborough and John G. Tower and the appropriate Representatives have also been notified. Please withhold any publicity on this until you have received a carbon copy of the Congressional correspondence.

Sincerely yours,

/S/ Ernest Allen Connally

Ernest Allen Connally  
Chief, Office of Archeology  
and Historic Preservation

Enclosure

AUG 25 1970

Entered in the National Register \_\_\_\_\_

cc:  
HR

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BASIC FILE RETAINED IN HR

Properties added to the National Register of Historic Places

TEXAS

Bishop's Palace	Galveston, Texas
Old Land Office Building	Austin, Texas
Barker History Center	Austin, Texas
Neill-Cochran House	Austin, Texas
Old Post Office and Federal Building	Austin, Texas
Woodlawn	Austin, Texas
The Governor's Mansion	Austin, Texas
Gethsemane Lutheran Church	Austin, Texas
Hollamon House (Erskine House #1	Seguin, Texas
Carrington-Covert House	Austin, Texas
Klein (Stephen) House	New Braunfels, Texas
Schubert House	Giddings, Texas
Tinnen House	Georgetown, Texas
Sedberry House	Jefferson, Texas
Sebastopol (Zorn House)	Seguin, Texas
Littlefield House	Austin, Texas
Old Galveston Custom House	Galveston, Texas
Captain Singleton House	Jefferson, Texas
Lindheimer Home	New Braunfels, Texas
Captain William Perry House	Jefferson, Texas
Beard House	Jefferson, Texas

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SEP 16 1970

Hon. J. J. (Jake) Pickle  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Pickle:

We are pleased to inform you that the historic properties listed on the enclosure have been nominated by the State Liaison Officer appointed by the Governor for the implementation of the National Historic Preservation Program in Texas and have been entered into the National Register of Historic Places. Senators Ralph W. Yarborough and John G. Tower have also been provided with this information. By copy of this letter, the State Liaison Officer, Mr. Truett Latimer, Executive Director, Texas State Historical Survey Committee, Post Office Box 12276, Capitol Station, 105 West 15th Street, Austin, Texas 78701, has likewise been notified. A leaflet explaining the National Register is enclosed.

Sincerely yours,

(SGD) GEORGE B. HARTZOG, JR.

Director

Enclosures

Entered in the National Register

AUG 25 1970

cc:

Mr. Truett Latimer, Executive Director, Texas State Historical Survey Committee,  
P. O. Box 12276, Capitol Station, 105 W. 15th St., Austin, Texas 78701

Director, Southwest Region

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cc: LL-Mr. Melvin  
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Properties added to the National Register of Historic Places

TEXAS

<del>Schubert House</del>	Giddings, Texas
<del>Tinman House</del>	Georgetown, Texas
Littlefield House	Austin, Texas
Old Land Office Building	Austin, Texas
Barker History Center	Austin, Texas
Heill-Cochran House	Austin, Texas
Old Post Office and Federal Building	Austin, Texas
Woodlawn	Austin, Texas
<u>The Governor's Mansion</u>	Austin, Texas
Gethsemane Lutheran Church	Austin, Texas
Carrington-Covert House	Austin, Texas

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United States Senate  
Washington, D. C.

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Sincerely yours,

(SGD) GEORGE B. HARTZOG, JR.

Director

cc: Director, Southwest Region  
LL-Mr. Melvin

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Entered in the National Register AUG 25 1970

cc: Mr. Truett Latimer, Executive Director, Texas State Historical Survey Committee,  
P.O. Box 12276, Capitol Station, 105 W. 15th St., Austin, Texas 78701

Duplicate letter sent to: Hon. John G. Tower  
United States Senate  
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Beard House	Jefferson, Texas

cc  
~~Mr. Heine~~  
Mr. Sheehy  
→

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

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CONGRESSIONAL TELEPHONE REQUEST

OFFICE <i>Sen. Eastland</i>	DATE <i>3-7-74</i>	TIME <i>4:00</i>
CALLER <i>Bill Simpson, legis. asst</i>	TELEPHONE	
RECEIVED BY <i>Walker</i>	OFFICE <i>B</i>	REFERRED TO <i>Connally</i>

NATURE OF REQUEST  
 Inquired about status of Governor's Mansion, Jackson, Miss for National Historic Landmark status. Present work on mansion = personal project of Mrs. Waller. Gov. and Mrs. Waller coming to Washington for Folk Festival. Reported that Advisory Board recommended, April meeting, against NHL status - loss of integrity in 1908 remodeling.

DATE	ACTION TAKEN
	<p>Agreed to have architect of Historic Sites Survey stop in Jackson and inspect recent work (a restoration?) so we could determine whether changes are sufficient to bring the mansion before Advisory Board again.</p> <p><i>Connally</i></p>

To Be Hand-Carried To Assistant Director Legislation When Action Completed

Hance: - Dr Mortensen  
+  
Al Chamber  
will make this study  
+ Trip

Keep this for your records. Con  
C.H.

Governor's Mansion

(Resource Name)

Travis

(County)

\* 70000896

(Reference Number[s])

Texas

(State)

July 11 1986

(Date form completed)

Mike Whitley

(Completed by)

STATUS:

1. MISSING \_\_\_\_\_ 2. REMOVED/ DEMOLISHED \_\_\_\_\_ 3. NHL  4. TR \_\_\_\_\_ 5. MRA \_\_\_\_\_ 6. OVER-SIZED \_\_\_\_\_ 7. NPS - UNDOCUMENTED \_\_\_\_\_ 8. DOE - OWNER OBJECTION \_\_\_\_\_ 9. RESTRICTED \_\_\_\_\_

EXPLANATION:

1. Missing Status: Entire Folder ( ); Nomination ( ); Map(s) ( ); Photos ( )  
Available on: Microfiche (x); Optical Disk (x)

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Cause for removal)

1 1  
(Date Removed)

3. \_\_\_\_\_  
(NHL Name, if different than NRHP Name)

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(Date Designated)

4. \_\_\_\_\_  
(If multi-state/county TR, state/county where filed and location)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(TR or MRA Name)

5. \_\_\_\_\_  
(If multi-state/county MRA, state/county where filed and location)

6. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Location of oversize file)

7. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Current source of partial documentation)

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(Target Date)

- COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Where found, or source of replacement)

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(Date Found/Replaced)