

Office of the Mayor
Tomball, Texas

Proclamation



WHEREAS, the City of Tomball is pleased to welcome The Sons of the Republic of Texas for their Quarterly Business Meeting and we invite the members and their families to visit and enjoy the many historical sites, restaurants and shopping opportunities in Tomball this weekend; and

WHEREAS, The Sons of the Republic of Texas has entered the Tomball Annual Holiday Parade for the past 11 years and forms their parade unit at the Historic Tomball Museum, where your President General leads members and families in period dress and the Rolling Thunder Cannon brings excitement to the parade attendees and reminds us all to observe Texas holidays and proudly fly our Texas flags; and

WHEREAS, The Sons of the Republic of Texas sponsors the Texas History Lecture Series at Lone Star College-Tomball to educate our community about our rich and colorful Texas history and provides Texas history lectures to local school children and community organizations such as the Tomball Rotary Club and the Tomball Chamber of Commerce; and

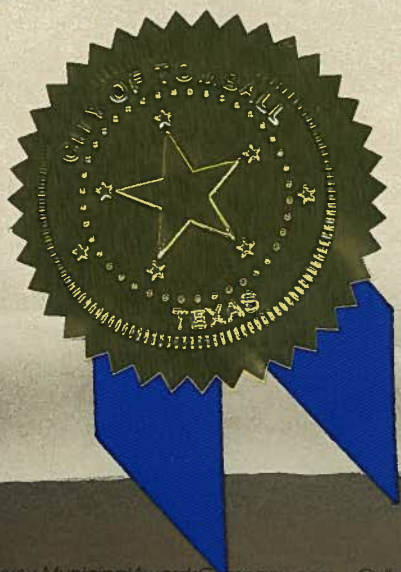
WHEREAS, The Sons of the Republic of Texas and the City of Tomball share mutual interests in perpetuating the memory and spirit of the men and women who settled Texas, and works to obtain recognition, preservation and marking of places of historical significance as illustrated at the Tomball Historic Depot; and

WHEREAS, in 1836, the Texas Army, on its way to the Battle of San Jacinto, camped just a few miles west of downtown Tomball and the site is marked by Historical Markers, which you are invited to see and visit;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Tomball, on behalf of the Tomball City Council and all citizens hereof, I do hereby proclaim **June 8-9, 2012** as:

“THE SONS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS” DAYS

and invite The Sons of the Republic of Texas to return to Tomball, Texas for future meetings, extending our warm welcome to you and your families.



In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal to be affixed.

Robert W. Speer

ATTEST: *Alouis Speer*

DATE: *April 23, 2012*