# TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION



# TEXAS PRESERVATION TRUST FUND

# FISCAL YEAR 2007 FUNDED PROJECTS

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### **Boca Chica Shipwreck Field School**

Cameron County Archeology Development Project TPTF Grant Award \$17,091 Total Project Cost \$34,483

The PAST Foundation will conduct an archeological investigation on a 19th century shipwreck on the beach near Brownsville. The project will be an educational opportunity involving K-12 teachers in a field school setting.



# **Baytown Post Office Mural**

Harris County Architecture Development Project

TPTF Grant Award \$4,200 Total Project Cost \$8,400

Restoration and conservation of the historic mural located in the lobby of the former post office building, now serving as the Baytown Historical Museum. The work is to be completed by an experienced art conservator.



### **Kay Theater**

Milam County Architecture Development Project
TPTF Grant Award \$30,000 Total Project Cost \$767,630

The grant will fund a portion of the complete rehabilitation of this unique community theater constructed in a surplus metal Quonset hut in Rockdale. The overall project includes the repair of the metal shell, repair to glass block, concrete floors, door and window rehabilitation, and interior work.



# **Caddo Lake Heritage Awareness and Education Project**

Marion & Harrison Counties Heritage Education Project
TPTF Grant Award \$30,000 Total Project Cost \$80,000

A large group of interested agencies and private citizens from both Texas and Louisiana has been formed to develop a long-term heritage awareness and education program for Caddo Lake. The final product will be an Action Plan, developed by consultants at the Jeffersonian Institute. A special group, the Heritage Planning Group, will be formed from participating stakeholders to provide feedback to the consultants and to set direction for formulating the Action Plan for the heritage awareness and education project. The Action Plan will address needs for educational opportunities to encourage private landowners to preserve their cultural and environmental resources and use them responsibly for economic benefit.



# **Charles Goodnight Historical Visitor's Center**

Armstrong County Architecture Development Project
TPTF Grant Award \$25,000 Total Project Cost \$100,000

The grant funds the rehabilitation of the historic stone cistern, including masonry and structural repairs. The project also includes repairs to the gutters and downspouts of the historic home and improvements to the site's drainage system.

### **SFA Archeology Repository**

Nacogdoches County Archeology Curatorial Project
TPTF Grant Award \$13,780 Total Project Cost \$63,280

Purchase archival supplies, a collections management database, and environmental monitoring and control equipment. Rehousing and inventory of held-in-trust collections.



# **Old Church & Lyceum Building**

Galveston County Architecture Development Project
TPTF Grant Award \$29,730 Total Project Cost \$59,461

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church received this grant for structural repair to the failing exterior masonry walls of the historic church and lyceum. Repairs include the replacement of rusted and expanding steel lintels along with repair of the front entry doors.



### **Greenleaf Fisk House**

Brown County Architecture Acquisition Project TPTF Grant Award \$20,000 Total Project Cost \$40,000

Purchase of the Greenleaf Fisk House by the Brown County Museum of History.



#### Gonzales Memorial Museum & Amphitheater

Gonzales County Architecture Planning Project
TPTF Grant Award \$20,000 Total Project Cost \$40,000

The development and completion of a preservation plan. The completed document will evaluate existing conditions and historic integrity, recommend necessary and appropriate repair or restoration, evaluate the demolition or removal of inappropriate additions, and prioritize work items for owner.



# Franklin Carnegie Library

Robertson County Architecture Development Project TPTF Grant Award \$30,000 Total Project Cost \$85,796

The grant focuses on solutions to ongoing drainage and foundation problems. Work includes the installation of foundation waterproofing and drainage system, repairs and replacement of concrete ramps, stairs, retaining walls, and handrails.



Travis County Archeology Curatorial Project TPTF Grant Award \$12,000 Total Project Cost \$24,000

Rehouse and inventory held-in-trust collections from Fort Griffin State Historic Site, Monument Hill / Kreische Brewery State Historic Site, Sebastopol State Historic Site, and Lyndon B. Johnson State Park.



#### Pittsburg Police Department

Camp County Architecture Development Project TPTF Grant Award \$30,000 Total Project Cost \$107,800

Rehabilitation of the former fire station, including foundation work; masonry and woodwork repairs; general cleaning; and window repairs.



# Campbell Building

Somervell County Architecture Development Project TPTF Grant Award \$30,000 Total Project Cost \$73,535

The grant will assist with exterior restoration of this fire damaged historic structure in Glen Rose. Work includes the manufacture and installation of custom-made wood windows to replicate the historic design and appearance as well as the replacement of metal cornice destroyed by the fire.



### **Nameless Community School**

Travis County Architecture Development Project TPTF Grant Award \$23,500 Total Project Cost \$47,910

Structural repairs to the foundation, walls and roof. Preparation and painting of the exterior. Window rehabilitation.

### **Learning About the People of the Texas Prairies and Marshlands**

Statewide Heritage Education Project Total Project Cost \$71,352 TPTF Grant Award \$30,000

The project proposes to create a series of online educational exhibits and teaching resources for the Texas Beyond History website. The exhibits will focus on the prehistoric and early historic peoples of the Texas coastal prairies and marshlands.



#### **Thomas Jefferson Nash Farm**

Tarrant County Architecture Development Project TPTF Grant Award \$30,000 Total Project Cost \$74,525

Repair and restoration of historic masonry chimneys of this farmhouse in Grapevine. Window rehabilitation to include the installation of windows to replicate the original design and construction.



#### Thistle Hill

**Tarrant County** Architecture Development Project TPTF Grant Award \$30,000 Total Project Cost \$105,091 Masonry stabilization and structural repairs to the historic perimeter walls of this historic Fort Worth landmark.



# Mission San Jose y San Miguel de Aguayo Archaeological Collections

Bexar County Archeology Curatorial Project TPTF Grant Award \$20,000 Total Project Cost \$52,307

Rehabilitation, repackaging, recataloging, and reinventory of held-in-trust collections

from Mission San Jose y San Miguel de Aguayo.



# TAMU Archaeological Collections

**Brazos County** Archeology Curatorial Project TPTF Grant Award \$24,000 Total Project Cost \$73,342

Inventory, assessment, rehabilitation, and rehousing of held-in-trust collections from Granado Cave, Fort Brown, Alabonson Road, and South Bend Reservoir Survey.



# Flatonia Elevated Water Tower

**Fayette County** Architecture Development Project TPTF Grant Award \$30,000 Total Project Cost \$235,000 Rehabilitation of the water tower to a stable, functioning and code compliant condition including abatement of the lead based paint, repair/replacement of corroded metal, and repair/upgrade of overflow drainpipe and hatch.