



**AGENDA
HISTORICAL PRESERVATION COMMISSION
MEETING
CITY OF LEANDER, TEXAS**



Development Services - San Gabriel Conference Room
201 North Brushy Street - Leander, Texas
Wednesday, October 15, 2025
Regular Meeting at 5:30 PM

Place 1 - Benjamin Geiger
Place 2 - Anna Yelaun
Place 3 - Kathy Howell
Place 4 - Esmeralda Gonzalez
Place 5 - Carlos Gormaz

Place 6 - Christina Twing
Place 7 - Triste Freeburg
Council Liaison - Na'Cole Thompson
Staff Liaison - Karina Castillo

REGULAR MEETING - REVISED

1. Open Meeting.
2. Roll Call.
3. Public comments on items not listed in the agenda.

Public comments on items listed in the agenda will be heard at the time each item is discussed.

[All comments are limited to no more than 3 minutes (6 minutes if translation is needed) per individual.]

4. SUB-COMMITTEE REPORT

1. Public Education - updates on community engagements, presentations, and other educational opportunities.
2. Website and Social Media - discuss the upcoming posts on the Commission's Facebook page.
3. Special Events - discuss upcoming events including Holidays at the Homestead and Spirits of Bagdad.
4. Historic Locations - recognize McKee media for their help in recreating the Old Town photos and discuss any updates on the historic locations throughout the City.

5. STAFF BRIEFINGS

1. Bryson Farmstead - updates on the status of the rehabilitation of the Bryson Farmstead.
2. Mason Homestead - updates on the maintenance of the Mason Homestead.
3. FY25/26 Budget - status of the current budget.

CONSENT AGENDA: ACTION

6. Approval of the minutes for meeting held on September 17, 2025

REGULAR AGENDA

7. Review and consider the approval of a contract with Gus Bernal: Film + Photo + Education for the videography services of the Spirits at Bagdad event held on October 18, 2025 not to exceed \$1,737.41.
8. Discuss and consider volunteer schedule and responsibilities for Spirits at Bagdad being held on October 18, 2025.
9. Discussion of the volunteer process for events with the Historical Preservation Commission.
10. Discussion of the procedures for oral history.
11. Discussion of a marker program for historical properties within the City of Leander limits.
12. Discuss and consider topics to submit for the Central Texas Learning Festival held in March 2026.
13. Future Agenda Items [Any deliberation of or decision about the subject of the inquiry shall be limited to a proposal to place the subject on the agenda for a subsequent meeting.]
14. Adjournment

CERTIFICATION

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Karina Castillo, Planning Manager