

AGENDA ITEM # 7SEPTEMBER 7, 1999Consider approving use of cones for Rattan Creek Neighborhood "Rattan Fest".

Moved: Commissioner Limmer

Seconded: Commissioner Hays

Motion: To approve use of cones for Rattan Creek Neighborhood "Rattan Fest".

Vote: Motion carried 5 - 0

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AHN: Mary
August 2, 1999Attention:
Jane.13119 Green River Trail
Austin, Tx 78729Mike Heiligenstein
Williamson County Commissioner
Precinct 1
211 Commerce Cove #7
Round Rock, Tx 78664

Dear Commissioner Heiligenstein,

The Rattan Creek Neighborhood Association is having its seventh annual Rattan Fest on September 11, 1998. There will be a 5K run starting at 8 am. Booths with crafts and food will be set up in our park all day. Some service organizations also operate booths.

I am co chairman of the 5K run with Evelyn Schultz, who has been in contact with your office in the past years, as we will need some cones. I believe we need the 30 cones, just like we used last year. I do appreciate your help. I can send you a map of the route for the run, if you need one, we are using the same route we have in the past. If you need further information, prior to your next meeting of the Commissioner's Court, please call me at 335-1805. We do not plan on closing any streets. Please deliver the cones to 13119 Green River Trail.

You are certainly invited to participate in this event. A registration fee of \$10 can be sent to us at RCNA, c/o Evelyn Schultz, 13230 Dimebox Trail, Austin, Tx 78729 or at the address above; this money helps to pay for t-shirts and ribbons.

Thank you so very much for your continued support of our neighborhood's activities.

Sincerely,

Jo Rovello Jones
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approved 9-7-99
John C. Daugherty

Thanks.
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RECORDERS MEMORANDUM

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clearly legible for satisfactory recordation.

Regular Agenda

AGENDA ITEM # 8SEPTEMBER 7, 1999Hear presentation on courthouse restoration master plan.

Grant writer Leo Wood introduced Tom Nichols and Pete McRae of Eleven Thirteen Architects of 110 West 8th Street, Georgetown who are working on the bridge and trails historic preservation program for Williamson County. Mr. Wood advised the State of Texas has \$50 million grant funds available for courthouse renovation and restoration. The master plans require completion and submission by March 1, 2000. Application deadline is March 7, 2000. The key to the proposal is the master planning.

Mr. Wood felt \$4 million would be the maximum amount needed for Williamson County. All grants require 15% county match of which the master plan fee could be a part. He felt the balustrades replacement would be a key component in restoring the courthouse to original 1910 condition. The dome, roof, landscaping, restructure within the building, any ADA non-compliance and the possibility of upgrading the elevator could be included.

A first-class master plan is necessary to be competitive in the grant process. The grants will be limited - \$25 million for first round and \$25 million for the second round. Quality master planning will be the key component for courthouse preservation in the State of Texas.

No action was taken on this item which will be added to the agenda of September 14, 1999.

AGENDA ITEM # 9SEPTEMBER 7, 1999Consider approving disbanding Sesquicentennial Committee and authorize all remaining assets to go to the Williamson County Historical Society.

Moved: Commissioner Hays

Seconded: Judge Doerfler

Motion: To approve disbanding Sesquicentennial Committee, close the books and bank accounts and transfer total assets to the Williamson County Historical Society.

Vote: Motion carried 5 - 0

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