

**AGENDA ITEM 33**

Consider approving resolution in support of Williamson County's participation in the 2006 and 2007 Games of Texas.

Jim Rodgers addressed the Court regarding the potential role of Williamson County in the 2006 and 2007 Games of Texas, including financial considerations.

Moved: **Commissioner Boatright**

Seconded: **Commissioner Hays**

Motion: To approve a resolution in support of Williamson County's participation in the 2006 and 2007 Games of Texas.

Vote: **5 - 0**

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**Williamson County**  
**Parks and Recreation Department**

**Memorandum**

**TO:** John Doerfler, Judge  
County Commissioners  
Williamson County

**FROM:** Jim Rodgers, Director  
Parks and Recreation

**DATE:** December 22, 2003,

**RE:** Games of Texas Resolution

The Parks and Recreation Departments of Round Rock, Georgetown, Cedar Park, Leander, Brushy Creek MUD, and Fern Bluff MUD along with Williamson County are joining together in an attempt to host the 2006 and 2007 Texas Amateur Athletic Federation (TAAF) Games of Texas. Designed by TAAF to bring the state's athletes together in the name of recreation and competition, the games create an annual sports festival.

The event held in the last of July, will draw 8,000 to 10,000 from all over Texas participating in over 20 sports and events. The games can have a significant economic impact on the county and the cities. Attached is a resolution of support and authorization for the Parks and Recreation Department to join in the effort to secure and participate in the Games of Texas.

Approved

A handwritten signature of John C. Doerfler in black ink, written over a horizontal line.  
John C. Doerfler, Judge

Date 1-6-04

**RESOLUTION OF THE WILLIAMSON COUNTY  
COMMISSIONERS COURT:**

WHEREAS, the Parks and Recreation Departments of Brushy Creek, Cedar Park, Fern Bluff, Georgetown, Leander, Round Rock, and Williamson County want to join together to host the 2006 and 2007 Games of Texas, and

WHEREAS, this event will draw 8,000 to 10,000 youth and adult athletes, from around the state, to participate in approximately 15 sporting events over a one week period, and

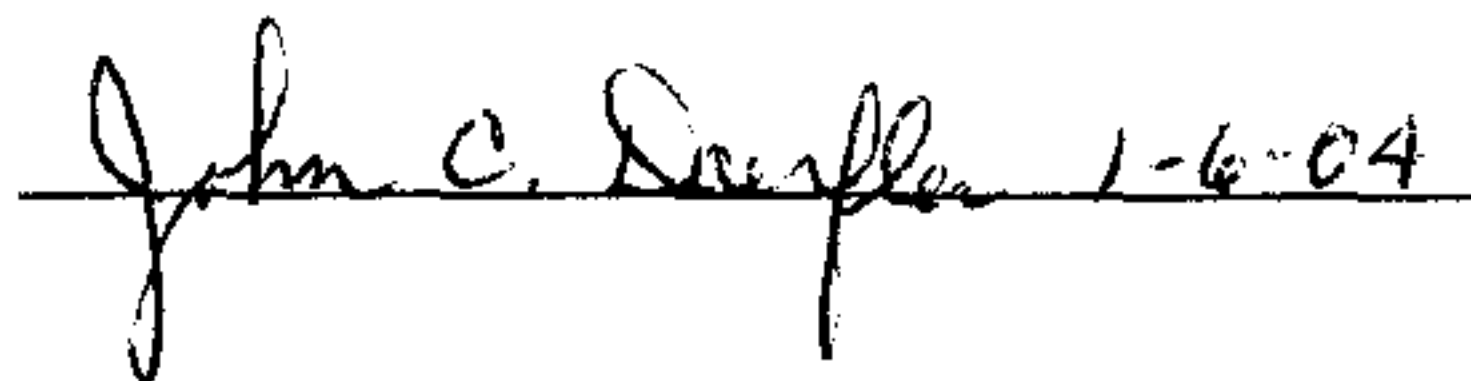
WHEREAS, tourism is important to our economies and we know that the Games of Texas can have a tremendous economic impact upon our participating communities, estimated to be 7 million to 10 million dollars, and

WHEREAS, prospective bids must be submitted to the Executive Board, at the January meeting, of the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation (TAAF), Now therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF  
THE WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TEXAS,**

That the Commissioners Court of Williamson County hereby authorizes Parks and Recreation staff to join the representatives from Brushy Creek, Cedar Park, Fern Bluff, Georgetown, Leander and Round Rock in jointly preparing a bid submittal to host the 2006 and 2007 Games of Texas.

**RESOLVED** this 6<sup>th</sup> day Of January, 2004



John C. Doerfler, Judge