

# Historical Preservation & Restoration Board

Annual Update



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# Mission & Vision



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- **Mission** - To collect, preserve, interpret and celebrate the history of the United States and Texas with an emphasis on Peters Colony and Farmers Branch.
- **Vision** - To provide visitors high quality programs, exhibits and events through living history experiences and mission-based education with a goal of becoming a fully accredited museum that offers programming which will link our past to our future.

# Meetings & Participation



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- Meetings are held the 4th Thursday of every month. We welcome any individual to attend a meeting.
- Board member participation is over 80%.

# Board Accomplishments



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2023  
*Board*  
OF THE *Year*



- Awarded Board of the Year for 2023
- Assist the Friends of the Farmers Branch Historical Park with fundraising efforts
- Assist HP staff by volunteering at events
- Keenan Cemetery: Wreaths Across America

# Historical Park Updates

- Award Winning Programs in 2024
  - DFW Directors - Arts & Entertainment Award
  - TRAPS North Region - Excellence in Programming
- Historic Structures Repair & Maintenance
  - Storm Damage Repairs – Maintenance Area
  - Depot – Full Exterior Restoration
- Move to Economic Development, Tourism, and Planning
- Venue1842 Grand Opening – Wednesday, November 20



# Direction from Council?



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