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MONDAY NOVEMBER 24, 2025 - 5:30 PM

JOHNSON COUNTY HISTORIC LANDMARK DEDICATION CEREMONY FOR (3) SITES:

DILLON DEPOT, BUS DEPOT AND CHAF-IN RESTAURANT

FOLLOWED BY JCHC REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING AT 6 PM - ALL AT DILLON DEPOT ON ANGLIN

AGENDA

1. **Call to Order 6:00 pm**
2. **Invocation**
3. **Pledge of Allegiance to the US and Texas Flags**
4. **Roll Call and Introduction of Guests**
5. **Announcements**
6. **Secretary's Report** - Amy Nichols
 - A. Additions/corrections to Oct. 27, 2025 minutes as printed and mailed; Approval of same
 - B. Other Secretarial matters
7. **Treasurer's Report** – James Neeley
 - A. Treasurer's Report & Expenditures (copies available on sign-in table); Approval of same
 - B. Other financial matters
8. **Old Business** -

- A. Vote to purchase replacement frame for CSA certificates per written quote from A Little Ben's at the not-to-exceed amount of \$150

This item was on the Oct. 27 agenda but was overlooked and not voted on.

 - B. Other Old Business in Committee Reports
9. **New Business** - Also see Committee Reports
 - A. Next **JCHC mtg Jan. 26, 2026 – 6 pm** Location to be determined at this meeting.
 - B. Vote to provide a resolution or letter of support to accompany the County's grant application to repair replace the restored courthouse steps and elevator. (when Judge/Facilities provide instructions)
 - C. Other New Business – discussion only

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

A. Texas Historical Marker and Texas Historic Cemetery Designations

Updates: Brazos Point Bridge THM and Texas Historic Cemetery applications

Note: Photo etching voted on at Oct. meeting is on order; Display stand to be addressed at a future mtg.

B. Johnson Co. Historic Landmark Plaques & Dedications and Texas Treasure Business – Nita Redmon

Report on date for pending dedication at J N Long Building

Update on letter to Cleburne Floral owner regarding Hist. Landmark Plaque the business did not install.

Vote to bestow, order and fund any new Johnson County Historic Landmark plaque and narrative applications presented by project Chair. Authorize JCHC Chair to purchase the narrative upon receipt and approval of final draft and written quote from Bennett's at the not-to-exceed amount of \$____ (\$100, \$200, etc. as determined)

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Update on any **Texas Treasure Business (TTB)** applications in process.

Suggested date to dedicate TTB award at Bennett's

C. Friends of JCHC - Friends donation table Dec. 6 at Dotey House (during Candlewalk) - volunteers, etc.

D. Dotey-Kirkham House (aka Little Old House)

Porches/wheelchair ramp replacement update

Candlewalk - Nov. 18 and 21 - cleaning, decorating, minor repairs, etc. 9 a.m. and until completed Dec. 5.

Discuss and possible vote-to-borrow Stereoscope from museum for demonstration during Candlewalk.

Who will demonstrate it, what hours, etc. ? To be returned to the museum after Dec. 12

Continue sign-ups for times when appointees can assist at the house on Dec. 6 (between 1 and 8 pm)

Misc. updates on Candlewalk

Ellis CHC (Dec. 11) & Parker CHC (Dec 12) requests to tour the house at 9 a.m. Who can help? Followed by courthouse tour and lunch together at Grumps. Each attendee will buy their own lunch.

Update on any Dotey House other repairs pending, suggested, etc. (if available)

Vote to purchase items/supplies needed for the house based on written pricing presented.

Any **non-JCHC** meetings held or planned at the house: Please let Chair Neeley know in advance.

E. Courthouse Museum (Copies of Monthly Report available on sign-in table)

Consider any newly-offered items with Memorandum of Donation forms with photographs.

Known possible donations: 1928 Cleburne City Directory and quilt from Joe Durham for Dotey House.

Update on **Bob Bullock Museum** items requested from JCHC museum - Sandra Neeley

Update on scanning Ms. Rice's photos offered at the Oct. JCHC meeting - Marsha Buckner

CHS photo typed IDs for taking to The Portal in 2026 - Melaine Holcomb

Inventory

Update on moving 2 archival boxes of newspapers in the vault which have gone to The Portal and returned to JCHC to the storage facility (aka the cage) plus 1 box of books from the museum (part of the 350-book loan) and 2 tubes for holding maps.

Note: Facilities will move all items to the cage upon official request.

F. Burlison – Pat Dexheimer and Vivian Wright (date of paranormal investigation fund raiser in December)

G. Digitization - The Portal to Texas History - Sandra Neeley

Audio tapes to The Portal, written quote, vote to send, etc. (for 2026 delivery with other items) if available - Amy Nichols

Box of Cleburne Eagle News to be taken to The Portal in July/Aug. 2026 (prior to 9-1-2026) - Sandra Neeley

H. Reports & Updates from any other Committee or Project not listed and/or Calendar of Events

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