2023 APPLICATION FOR UNTOLD HISTORY MARKER FUNDING DALLAS COUNTY HISTORICAL COMMISSION





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Dallas County has a very rich and diverse history consisting of many cultures and populations. However, a significant number of these cultures and populations have not yet been commemorated with State historical markers. So that these invaluable elements can be similarly acknowledged and preserved, the Dallas County Historical Commission operates a program under which it will reimburse up to 50% of the cost of the small version of a Texas Historical Commission subject marker, cemetery marker, or Recorded Texas Historical Landmark marker.

This program is for marker applications that have not been previously approved by the State. To receive funding from the County's program, interested parties must electronically submit the attached application, along with an application for a Texas Historical Commission marker, to DCHC@dallascounty.org no later than April 1, 2023. Questions about this marker funding program can also be directed to DCHC@dallascounty.org.



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PROPOSED MARKER TITLE:	
NAME OF APPLICANT/CONTACT:	
MAILING ADDRESS:	
EMAIL ADDRESS:	
TELEPHONE NUMBER:	

Brief Summary/Description of Marker Subject:

Explain how the proposed marker is associated with a population group or element of Dallas County History that has generally been untold or under-recognized. To what degree have markers previously been provided for this topic, geographic area, and/or population group? If similar markers currently exist, how does this proposed marker differ from them? Where are these other markers located? How nearby are they? What is the historical significance of the proposed marker subject? How has it influenced Dallas County's past and present?

Describe where the marker will be located. Will the marker be situated at a location with high visibility? Will the marker commemorate a subject that no longer exists, a subject, or event?

Applicants are encouraged to provide information in whatever amount that they deem is appropriate. Accordingly, applicants may attach additional pages and/or materials if the space provided herein is not sufficient.

Submitting the required information to Dallas County for funding under this program does not obligate the County to provide funding for any application.

Funding will only be provided if the Texas Historical Commission first approves the associated marker application submitted to it and when the applicant has paid the marker cost in full to the Texas Historical Commission. The funds will be provided as a reimbursement to the marker applicant.

The applicant attests that the information provided in this application is true and correct. The applicant understands that the Dallas Countyntold Marker Program is a reimbursement program. The applicant acknowledges that the cost of the marker must be paid in full by them to the Texas Historical Com before receiving reimbursement from Dallas County.

Applicant/Contact

Date

Applications for Untold History Marker Funding must simultaneously be electronically submitted along with an application for a Texas Historical Marker to <u>DCHC@dallascounty.org</u>, no later than April 15.