

Exhibit "B"

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May 19, 2026

Marion County Historical Commission

Dear Members of the Marion County Historical Commission,

Please accept this letter as my formal resignation from the Marion County Historical Commission, effective May 19, 2026. At this late point in my life, I am ready to move in a different direction with my time and energy. After careful consideration, I have concluded that stepping away from the Commission at this time is the most appropriate decision.

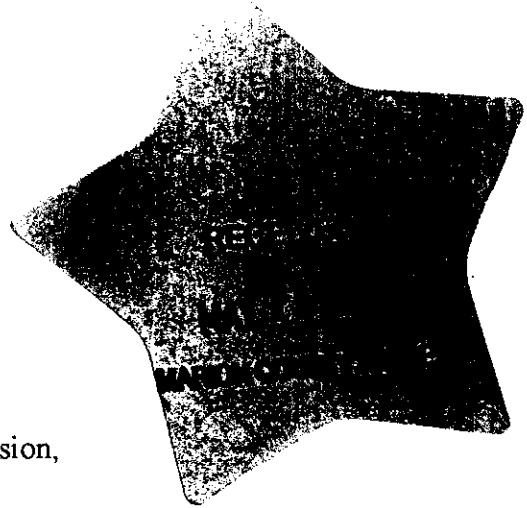
Serving on the Commission has been a meaningful experience, and I am proud of the important work accomplished during my tenure. In particular, I am grateful to have witnessed and supported Amye Kelsey's historic Oakwood Cemetery map conservation project, an effort that significantly advanced both the map's preservation and public accessibility. I am equally proud of the compilation of the Freeground burial database, along with the expansion of other Oakwood burial records, which has created a lasting research resource for descendants, scholars, and the community. Cleaning and stabilization of the Sedberry burial site has been a pleasure and an honor. Additionally, the successful approval of the Alley's Grand Square historical marker application represents a significant achievement in recognizing and preserving Marion County's historical landscape.

I appreciate the opportunity to have served. It is my hope that the Marion County Historical Commission will more consistently and accountably fulfill its essential role in advancing the Texas Historical Commission's mission, serving as the primary local point of contact for history and preservation efforts.

Respectfully,

John Kelsey

CC: Marion County Judge, Leward J. LaFleur



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May 20, 2026



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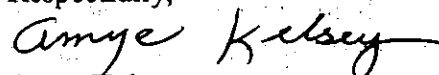
Dear Members of the Marion County Historical Commission,

Please accept this letter as my formal resignation from the Marion County Historical Commission, effective May 21, 2026. At this late point in my life, I am ready to move in a different direction with my time and energy. After careful consideration, I have concluded that stepping away from the Commission at this time is the most appropriate decision.

Serving on the Commission has been a meaningful experience, and I am proud of the important work accomplished during my tenure. In particular, I am grateful to have supported the historic Oakwood Cemetery map conservation project, an effort that significantly advanced both preservation and public accessibility. I am equally proud of the compilation of the Free Ground burial database, along with the expansion of other Oakwood burial records, which has created a lasting research resource for descendants, scholars, and the community. Cleaning tombstones in the Sedberry burial site has been a pleasure and an honor. I am proud to have been a part of an organization capable of providing the Hooked on History presentations, and opportunities to work co-operatively with other local and national organizations in promoting historical preservation and education. I have also been privileged to know and work with the extraordinary County Treasurers, Terri Neuville and B. J. Westbrook, in producing the monthly Marion County Historical Commission's Treasurer Report.

I appreciate the opportunity to have served. It is my hope that the Marion County Historical Commission will be successful in moving forward with consistency and accountably to fulfill its essential role in advancing the Texas Historical Commission's mission, serving as the primary local point of contact for history and preservation efforts.

Respectfully,


Amye Kelsey

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