

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF UPSHUR

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE EFFORTS OF UPSHUR COUNTY  
TOWARD RESTORATION OF THE UPSHUR COUNTY COURTHOUSE

WHEREAS, the historic county courthouse, having served the county since it was completed in 1936, is in need of repair and upgrades; and

WHEREAS, Upshur County submitted a Courthouse Preservation Master Plan, which was approved by Texas Historical Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Master Plan contains valuable information on the condition of the courthouse, prioritizes functional needs, and includes estimated costs for rehabilitation and restoration work; and

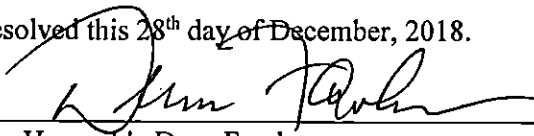
WHEREAS, since completion of the Master Plan, the condition of the courthouse has changed, the County's functional needs have changed, the cost estimates are outdated, and the Master Plan is in need of updating; and

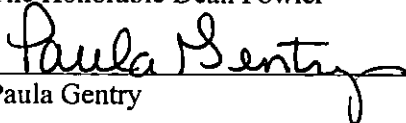
WHEREAS, the Texas Historical Commission has determined that any county with an approved Master Plan that has not yet been funded for a full restoration or a planning grant can receive up to \$50,000 in funding to update that plan with a local match of \$5,000 from the county;

WHEREAS, Upshur County intends to use the updated Master Plan to apply for a full restoration grant in the next available grant cycle;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Commissioners Court of Upshur County, Texas, affirms by this vote its willingness to accept this funding award, to contribute the local match of \$5000 to obtain the services of a qualified historic preservation architect necessary to complete the Master Plan update, and hereby declares its complete support for this important project to preserve the Upshur County Courthouse for future generations.

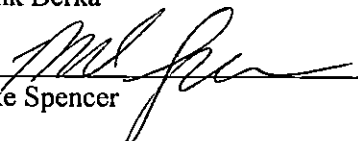
Resolved this 28<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2018.

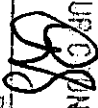
  
\_\_\_\_\_, Upshur County Judge  
The Honorable Dean Fowler

  
\_\_\_\_\_, Commissioner, Pct. 1  
Paula Gentry

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