

Proclamation for National Historic Preservation Month 2013

WHEREAS, “See! Save! Celebrate!” is the theme for National Historic Preservation Month 2013; and

WHEREAS, the City of Buda has a number of National Register Landmarks, a National Register Historic District and a Locally-Designated Historic District worth seeing, saving and celebrating; and

WHEREAS, historic preservation is an effective tool for managing growth and sustainable development, revitalizing neighborhoods, fostering local pride and maintaining community character while enhancing livability; and

WHEREAS, historic preservation is inherently economically, environmentally, and socially sustainable, fostering a culture of reuse and maximizing the life cycle of all resources through conservation; and

WHEREAS, historic preservation is relevant for communities across the nation, both urban and rural, and for Americans of all ages, all walks of life and all ethnic backgrounds; and

WHEREAS, it is important to celebrate the role of history in our lives and the contributions made by dedicated individuals in helping to preserve the tangible aspects of the heritage that has shaped us as a people; and

WHEREAS, many Buda residents, groups and organizations work hard to preserve Buda’s past for future generations;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mayor Todd Ruge, do proclaim May 2013 as National Preservation Month, and call upon the people of Buda to join their fellow citizens across the United States in recognizing and participating in this special month through the many activities that are happening in our community during the month of May.

Given under my hand and the seal of the City of Buda, Texas, this 7th day of May, 2013.

Todd Ruge, Mayor

Attest:

Danny S. Batts II