



CITY OF HOUSTON

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The Honorable City Council
Houston, Texas

Dear Council Members:

Pursuant to Section 33-253 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Houston, Texas, I am reappointing the following individuals to the Historic Preservation Appeals Board (HPAB) of the City of Houston, subject to City Council confirmation:

Truman C. Edminster, reappointment to Position One, for a term to expire December 2, 2027;
J. D. Bartell, reappointment to Position Two, for a term to expire December 2, 2027;
Douglas C. Elliott, reappointment to Position Three, for a term to expire December 2, 2027;
Brie Kelman, appointment to Position Four, for a term to expire December 2, 2027; and,
Stephen McNiel, appointment to Position Five, for a term to expire December 2, 2027.

The résumés of the nominees are attached for your review.
Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John Whitmire", is written over the word "Sincerely,".

John Whitmire
Mayor

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