

**RESOLUTION NO. R-2019-98**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BASTROP, TEXAS SUPPORTING THE BARON DE BASTROP CHAPTER OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS TO PURSUE FUNDING FOR THE STEPHEN F. AUSTIN AND THE BARON DE BASTROP SCULPTURES TO BE CREATED BY CLINT HOWARD, OWNER OF DEEP IN THE HEART ART FOUNDRY WITH NO MATCHING FUNDS FROM THE CITY OF BASTROP; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY AND REPEALING CLAUSE; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the Bastrop Arts in Public Places Board assists the Bastrop City Council in the selection, display, and maintenance of art in the City of Bastrop and acquires works of art by purchase, loan, or donation for public enjoyment; and

**WHEREAS**, The Baron de Bastrop Chapter of The Daughters of the Republic of Texas approached the Bastrop Art in Public Places Board and offered to secure funding for bronze sculptures depicting Stephen F. Austin and The Baron de Bastrop created by Clint Howard, owner of Deep in the Heart Art Foundry, at no cost to the City of Bastrop; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Bastrop supports the Baron de Bastrop Chapter of The Daughters of the Republic of Texas pursuit of funds for the sculpture project; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Bastrop agrees to accept ownership of the sculptures, which includes providing insurance, cleaning, and maintenance for the sculptures; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Bastrop will display the sculptures in an easily accessible and high traffic area; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Bastrop agrees to return the sculptures to the Baron de Bastrop Chapter of The Daughters of the Republic of Texas in the event the City of Bastrop was no longer interested or able to maintain the sculptures;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BASTROP, TEXAS:**

**Section 1.** The City Council of the City of Bastrop supports the Baron de Bastrop Chapter of The Daughters of the Republic of Texas pursuing funding for the Stephen F. Austin and The Baron de Bastrop sculptures to be created by Clint Howard, owner of Deep in the Heart Art Foundry.

**Section 2.** Any prior resolution of the City Council in conflict with the provisions contained in this resolution are hereby repealed and revoked.

**Section 3:** Should any part of this resolution be held to be invalid for any reason, the remainder shall not be affected thereby, and such remaining portions are hereby severable.

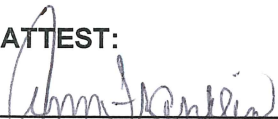
**Section 4:** This resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage, and it is duly resolved.

**DULY RESOLVED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of Bastrop this 24<sup>th</sup> day of September 2019.


**APPROVED:**

  
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Connie B. Schroeder, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
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Ann Franklin, City Secretary

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  
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Alan Bojorquez, City Attorney