



Children of the Republic  
of Texas



Project Book  
2021-2022

“Marking Our Roots”

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President General  
2021-2022



Dear CRT Members, Associate Members, and Sponsors,

I would first like to thank the ladies of District II for hosting convention this past year in Eastland. Not only did we learn all about RIP, the miraculous horn toad that slept for 31 years in a cement wall, but we were once again brought together to honor our ancestors and commemorate their memory through activities specified for a younger generation. This was, of course, a special convention to me as I was named your President General.

My journey getting to this spot has been one that seems like a lifetime. I was an official member of CRT at age four, but would not go to my first convention until 2012 (age 8) in Center, Texas where I served as Lauren Williamson's President General's Page. In 2016 I was finally named on the Board of Management in the role of Chaplain General. In the following years I became Fourth Vice President General, Third Vice President General, Second Vice President General, and this past year served as First Vice President General. I do not say all of this to simply give you my credentials and tell you that I have and intend to continue to do the work in which my office asks of me to do, but instead ask you to imagine for a moment the work of your ancestors. My own journey to simply honor them seems like a lot of work. Can you imagine the work and sacrifice in which the families of the Republic of Texas Citizens went through in order to first claim Texas as a Republic and thus allow you to join this society?

For this reason, my project, "Marking Our Roots". This is a call to look back and research where our ancestors started to plant their roots into what is now this amazing state that we get to now call home because of them. The research that is turned in can help us go back and mark where our ancestors started and made the Republic of Texas that rooted our love, appreciation, and passion that we have for Texas and CRT. In addition to researching cites, I call on you to donate to the President General's Project in support of marking historic cities that were formed or founded when Texas was a republic. When donating to the raffle you will have the chance to win: a painting of a Texas sunset over a field of Bluebonnets and Indian Paintbrushes or a James Avery Texas charm bracelet.

While Marking Our Roots, we will get to see where our ancestors got to first call their home during the Republic of Texas and publicly mark this piece of history for generations to come while spreading the word about our society. Let's follow the example of love and passion for Texas that our ancestors had by participating in officer projects, attending CRT workshops and joining myself and the rest of the Board of Management at the annual CRT Convention June 24-25 in Denton! I hope to see you and your whole chapter there! So, mark y'all's calendars. This year will be filled with fun as we Mark Our Roots!

Abigail M. Funderburk  
President General  
Children of the Republic of Texas

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## **Calendar of Events 2021-2022**

Saturday, June 26	BOM Meeting (Face to Face)
Sunday, July 11	BOM Conference Call
Saturday, August 7	District II (2) Workshop in Brownwood
Saturday, August 14	District III (3) Workshop in Dallas BOM Meeting (Face to Face)
Saturday, August 21	District IV (4) Workshop in Jasper
Saturday, September 11	District VIII (8) Workshop in Fredericksburg
Sunday, September 12	BOM Conference Call
Saturday, September 18	Texas Honor Day- Texas Heroes Day
Saturday, September 18	Texas Honor Day- Texian Navy Day
Saturday, September 25	District X (10) Workshop in Amarillo
Saturday, October 2	District V (5) Workshop in Marble Falls, Texas Honor Day- Gonzales Day
Saturday, October 9	District VII (7) Workshop in Laredo
Sunday, October 10	BOM Conference Call
Saturday, October 16	District VI (6) Workshop in Houston-San Jacinto
Saturday, October 23	District IX (9) Workshop in Sugar Land
Saturday, October 30	District I (1) Workshop in Midland
Wednesday, November 3	Texas Honor Day- Stephen F. Austin's Birthday 1793
Saturday, November 6	Texas Honor Day- DRT Founder's Day 1891
Sunday, November 14	BOM Conference Call
Saturday, December 4	Christmas BOM Meeting (face to face)
Thursday, December 9	Texas Honor Day- Siege of B��xar Day 1835
Sunday, January 9	BOM Conference Call
Wednesday, January 26	Texas Honor Day- Mirabeau B. Lamar Day
Tuesday, February 1	Bylaw Submissions Due
Sunday, February 13	BOM Conference Call
Saturday, February 19	Texas Honor Day- Texas Statehood Day
Tuesday, March 1	Texas Honor Day- CRT Founder's Day 1929
Wednesday, March 2	Texas Honor Day- Texas Independence Day
Sunday, March 6	Texas Honor Day- Alamo Heroes Day
Sunday, March 13	BOM Conference Call
Sunday, March 27	Texas Honor Day- Goliad Heroes Day
April 1	DRT Convention Page Form
Sunday, April 10	BOM Conference Call
Thursday, April 21	Texas Honor Day- San Jacinto Day
Sunday, May 1	Scholarships, Awards, Page Applications Due
Thursday- Saturday May 19-21	DRT Convention, Austin, BOM Meeting TBD (Face to Face)

Wednesday, June 1  
Sunday, June 12  
Friday, June 17  
Thursday, June 23  
Friday- Saturday, June 24-25

Project Entry Due  
BOM Conference Call  
2022-2023 Officer Nomination Form Due  
BOM Face to Face Meeting  
CRT Convention

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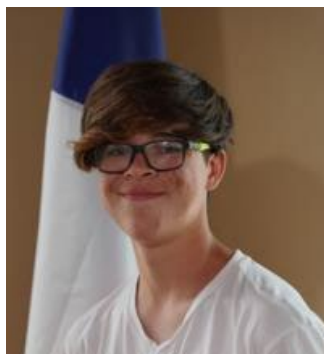
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# About the Children of the Republic of Texas

## History

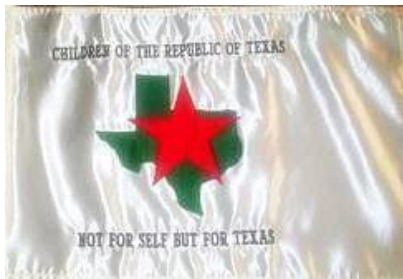
*March 1, 1929, during The Daughters of the Republic of Texas Convention, a motion was made and passed that the DRT sponsor a junior organization known as the "Children of the Republic of Texas." The first CRT Chapter organized was Alamo Mission in San Antonio, with 34 members.*

## Objectives

- *To encourage the study of Texas History*
- *To help preserve the places made sacred by the men and women who achieved Texas Independence*
- *To stimulate historical research into the earliest records of Texas*
- *To foster the preservations of documents and relics*
- *To revere the Flag of Texas and to promote the display of same*
- *To cherish and preserve TEXAS, ONE AND INDIVISIBLE, as achieved by the Fathers and Mothers of the Texas Revolution*

## Flag

*The CRT flag was designed and adopted June 1994 at the annual convention by the BOM. CRT President General, David Foster conducted the CRT Official Flag Contest. Custodian General 2006-2007, Reed Denton conducted a fundraiser as his officer's general project and had the flag commissioned. Shown is the smaller version, the larger version is bound by red fringe.*



## Motto

*Not for self, but for Texas!*

## Seal



## Logo



*Designed by Alayne Denton. Adopted by the General Membership June 2017*

## Colors

Red and Green

## Flower

Indian Paintbrush



# Pledges



*“I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, Indivisible with Liberty and Justice for all.”*

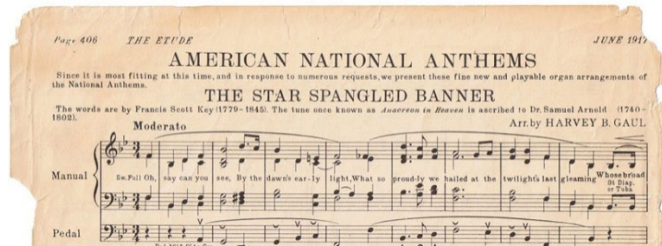


*“Honor the Texas Flag, I pledge allegiance to thee, Texas, one state under God, one and Indivisible.”*



*“Honor the Children of the Republic of Texas Flag, I pledge to encourage, preserve and cherish Texas History.”*

## *The National Anthem The Star-Spangled Banner*



What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous fight  
O'er the ramparts we watch'd were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rocket's red glare, the bomb bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there,  
O say does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

## *Texas Our Texas*



Texas, Our Texas! so wonderful so great!  
Boldest and grandest, withstanding ev'ry test  
O Empire wide and glorious, you stand supremely blest.

Chorus

God bless you Texas! And keep you brave and strong,  
That you may grow in power and worth, throughout the ages long.  
God bless you Texas! And keep you brave and strong,  
That you may grow in power and worth, throughout the ages long.

## **TEXAS HONOR DAYS**

### **September 18 Texas Heroes Day**

The date of September 18 has multiple significant factors in that on September 18, 1842; thirty- six volunteer Texan soldiers were killed on the field of battle in the Dawson Massacre. Of the survivors, three escaped to tell the story, and fifteen others were taken prisoner by Mexican soldiers in the Woll invasion near Salado Creek (where Fort Sam Houston is now located in San Antonio). The captured prisoners were marched away to Perote Castle Prison in Veracruz, Mexico. Of these men, only nine survived to return to Texas. The remains of one captive who died were thrown into the castle moat. September 18, 1848, the remains of fifty-two men who died in Perote Prison, including sixteen of the seventeen who survived the Mier Expedition, were imprisoned at Perote Prison, and drew the “Black Beans of Death” on March 25, 1843, to decide who would be executed, were buried at what became known as Monument Hill at LaGrange.

### **Texian Navy Day**

Texian Navy Day honors the courage and determination of the small Texian Navy who, by 1842 had helped secure the Gulf of Mexico and protect Texas independence on the sea. It also pays tribute to the 1832 Battle of Velasco, when Texian volunteers on sea and on land fought an early skirmish for their rights. (Celebrated on the 3rd Saturday of September).

### **October 2 Gonzales Day**

Gonzales Day is in remembrance of the first skirmish fought in the Texas War for Independence. On October 2, 1835, the citizens of Gonzales refused to give up a small cannon to the Mexican Military. Texians rallied around a flag showing a cannon and a single black star, with the legend “Come and Take It!” The Mexican troops retreated to San Antonio. The Texians, under Stephen F. Austin organized an army and followed. Gonzales is remembered as “The Lexington of Texas.”

### **November 3 Stephen F. Austin’s Birthday**

Honoring “The Father of Texas”, who brought the first 300 Anglo families into Texas beginning in 1822 and who helped guide Texas during the difficult years under the Mexican flag. Austin served as the first commander of the Texas Army during the War for Texas Independence and later served as a commissioner to the United States. He was also the first to hold office as Secretary of State of the Texian Republic. Austin died in December of 1836 and is now buried in the State Cemetery in Austin, Texas.

### **November 6 DRT Founder’s Day**

DRT Founder’s Day honors the 1891 chartering of The Daughters of the Republic of Texas at “The Cradle” in Galveston. The surviving members of the Texas Veterans Association passed the legacy of the Texian Republic to the DRT who vowed to keep the memory and spirit of early Texas alive for generations to come.

### **December 9 Siege of Béxar Day**

The Siege of Béxar began in October of 1835 and ended with the surrender of Mexican General Cos on December 9, 1835. This was the only Victory of the Texas Revolution until the Battle of San Jacinto.

### **January 26 Mirabeau B. Lamar Day**

Lamar, second president of the Texas Republic, advocated setting aside land for public schools. This resulted in the Texas Congress establishing a system of public education. During Lamar’s term as president, the city of Austin was created and made the state capital. Lamar also approved the design of the state flag and seal. He is known as the “Father of Education.” Lamar University in Beaumont is named in his honor.

### **February 19 Texas Statehood Day**

Statehood Day honors Texas’ entry into the United States as the 28th state of the Union. Following a vote of the Texan people to annex themselves to the United States, President John Tyler admitted Texas into the

Union in December 1845. The actual change of government from independent nation to state came on February 19, 1846 when Texas President Anson Jones lowered the Texas flag at the state capitol and the United States flag was raised in its place.

### **March 1 CRT Founder's Day**

CRT Founder's Day honors the 1929 chartering of the Children of the Republic of Texas. The Daughters of the Republic of Texas sponsor the organization to be known as the Children of the Republic of Texas, such members to be subject to the Bylaws of our organization pertaining to membership and objectives and that a committee be appointed to further the same.

### **March 2 Texas Independence and Flag Day**

This day honors the signing of the Texas Declaration of Independence at Washington-on-the Brazos. As Colonel William B. Travis and the brave defenders of the Alamo withstood Santa Anna's army, the fifty-nine delegates representing each of the Texas colonies and municipalities gathered in Convention and declared Texas an independent nation. An ad-interim government was elected with David G. Burnet as President and Lorenzo de Zavala as Vice-President. A Constitution was adopted on March 17, 1836.

### **March 6 Alamo Heroes Day**

Alamo Heroes Day honors the heroic sacrifices of the less than 200 Texian citizen-soldiers who defended the Alamo from February 23 – March 6, 1836. Electing to fight to the death rather than surrender, they gave their lives in order that Texas might live, and their sacrifice was not in vain. The battle cry "Remember the Alamo!" became the rallying point for the Texian people and continues to inspire Texans and Americans. The Alamo has become an international symbol of courage, honor, and the love of liberty and is visited by over 3 million people each year.

### **March 27 Goliad Heroes Day**

Goliad Day honors those who gave their lives in the cause of Texas Independence at Goliad. Following the fall of the Alamo, part of Santa Anna's army attacked Col. Fannin's troops at Goliad. Fannin was forced to surrender after the battle of Coleto Creek on March 19-20, 1836. He and his men were promised fair treatment and parole, but Santa Anna ordered that all prisoners be shot. On March 27, over 320 unknowing Texian prisoners were marched out and executed. This was the largest loss of life in the battle for Texas Independence. "Remember Goliad" became one of the great battle cries at San Jacinto. When we remember Goliad, we also remember those who gave their lives at Refugio, Coleto Creek, and San Patricio, as well as Pachita Alavez, "The Angel of Goliad," who helped save several of the Texian prisoners from being shot.

### **April 21, San Jacinto Day**

San Jacinto Day honors the victory of the Texian Army over Santa Anna. On April 21, 1836, forty-six days after the fall of the Alamo, Sam Houston led less than 1000 Texians against the Mexican Army. With the battle cries of "Remember the Alamo" and "Remember Goliad" ringing in their ears, Texian troops took less than 20 minutes to defeat more than 1600 Mexican soldiers. Santa Anna was captured and promised to remove his army from Texas. This secured the independence of the Texian people who went on to build a great Republic and state.

For more information and press releases, go to:

<https://www.drinfo.org/members/forms-publications/publications/press-releases-for-texas-honor-days>

## PAST CRT PRESIDENTS GENERAL

2020-2021 Alayne Denton	1993-1994 David Foster
2019-2020 Marilyn Steakley	1992-1993 Karen Megan McCollum
2018-2019 Xander Genarelli	1991-1992 Matthew Laird Finch
2017-2018 Daniel Steeves	1990-1991 April Allen
2016-2017 Boone Denton	1989-1990 Unknown
2015-2016 Sarah E. Funderburk	1988-1989 Heather Teer
2014-2015 Hunter Creasey	1987-1988 Sharon Weed
2013-2014 Reed Denton	1986-1987 Glen Schulgen
2012-2013 Machala Ann Noack	1980-1986 Unknown
2011-2012 Lauren Rae Williamson	1979-1980 Tiersa Hayes
2010-2011 Melody Townsend	1978-1979 Nan Orman
2009-2010 Ashley Graham	1977-1978 Cindy Berryman
2008-2009 Aaron Lee Evan Noack	1976-1977 Joe Anderson
2007-2008 Amber Horton	1976-1975 Rebecca Gray
2006-2007 Mary Ellen Townsend Clem	1974-1975 Dennis Pappa
2005-2006 Chancey Westfall	1973-1974 Louisa Aikin
2004-2005 *Kayla Roberts	1972-1973 Bill Berryman
2003-2004 Jack Roberts	1971-1972 Cynthia Pappa
2002-2003 Sage Alison Smith	1970-1971 Joella Smith
2001-2002 Neal Ashton Kocurek	1969-1970 *Edward Philmore Haltom, Jr.
2000-2001 Philip Washington	1968-1969 *James Milton Rash
1999-2000 Susan Hill	1964-1967 Unknown
1998-1999 Elizabeth Harvey	1963-1964 *Mike O'Dowd
1997-1998 Sidney Jennings	1962-1963 Unknown
1996-1997 Deborah Carleton "Carly" Milner	1961-1962 John Roth
1995-1996 Tara Shipman Frost	1960-1961 Ila Dee Hatter
1994-1995 David Edward Hill	

\*Deceased

# **Voting**

## **Who is eligible to vote?**

1. All CRT Members who are 10 years or older
2. Present at the CRT state convention
3. Voting members are identified and will have designated seating during the business meeting of the Annual Convention.

## **What do you vote about?**

Voting activity may include items presented from the CRT Board of Management. An example may be a bylaw change.

## **How do you debate?**

The information will be read to the assembly and/or handouts may be made available. As appropriate, questions should be asked by addressing the officer in charge from the floor. Usually, the President General will recognize an individual. Follow parliamentary procedures by being recognized.

Example: identify yourself by your name and chapter and then state your question.

## **How do you vote?**

Wait for the President General's instructions on how to vote. It could be a standing vote, a ballot vote or via voce (meaning by voice)

## **Election of the Board of Management**

1. The Nominating Committee Chairman will present the recommended slate of officers.
2. A candidate may be nominated from the floor. If there is more than one candidate for an office, each candidate or their representative will be allowed two (2) minutes to speak on their behalf.
3. When more than one candidate is nominated, a written ballot is cast by each voting member.
4. Adult tellers will distribute the ballot, collect, count and report the results.
5. If only one candidate is presented, that vote is by acclamation.

## **STATE NOMINATING COMMITTEE**

1. One voting aged member from each chapter, present at the state convention on Friday, will serve as a member of the state nominating committee. During the meeting, the committee will recommend a slate of officers for the upcoming term.
2. The candidates must complete the Officers General Nomination Packet. The forms are available in the CRT Annual Project Book and online at [www.CRTTexas.com](http://www.CRTTexas.com).
3. When a chapter's member attends the nominating committee meeting, they will have the application to review for each office a candidate has recommended.
4. The nominating committee will recommend the candidate they feel is best qualified for the office.
5. The nominating committee will be able to discuss all candidates who have applied for an office to determine which person is best qualified.
6. The nominating committee's recommendations are by vote with the majority selecting the candidate. If there is only one candidate for an office, that person can be selected, however; the nominating committee will make the final choice.
7. Candidates may select more than one office
8. The nominating committee may recommend the candidate for a second or third choice on the application.
9. The CRT State Director will serve as an advisor and may select an adult to assist as secretary for the group. No other adults are allowed so members have the opportunity to participate in a democratic process through this leadership opportunity.

## **BYLAWS AND AMENDMENTS**



The Bylaws of the Children of the Republic of Texas shall be amended only at the regular Convention of the CRT in even numbered years.

Members of the CRT wishing to propose amendments to the bylaws in even numbered years shall send proposals in writing to the CRT Director and CRT Parliamentarian General, prior to February 1. The CRT Director shall notify the CRT President General who shall immediately appoint a committee which shall include at least two DRT members and the CRT Director along with BOM members to study the propose amendments and present them to the Annual Convention. Any changes and/or additions approved by the CRT Convention should be given by the CRT State Director to the DRT Custodian General and DRT Bylaws chairman for inclusion in the DRT Manual of Procedure and the CRT Bylaws and Manual of Procedure.

No CRT Bylaw or Articles in Manual of Procedure can conflict with the parent organization Bylaws. Changes to the CRT Manual of Procedures can be made at a Board of Management meeting or convention and issued as updates at that time. Updates to Bylaws and CRT MOP can be found on the CRT Website [crttexas.com](http://crttexas.com). Please use the bylaw amendment form on the CRT Website to submit with your project.

## HOW TO MAKE A MOTION

All motions of CRT whether during the annual business meeting, nominating committee, BOM shall be made in writing on the official CRT Motion form. The maker of the motion may use an electronic submission as well and the form may be found on the DRT and CRT websites.

Any motion not coming from a committee chairman must have a maker, a second, signed and dated (two members of one chapter may make a motion).

Motion forms shall be made available during the annual business meeting from the CRT Parliamentarian or DRT 3rd Vice President/CRT Director.

The use of the formal CRT Motion form is encouraged for all chapters.

The motion form can be found in the current Manual of Procedure (MOP) on the CRT Website at [crttexas.com](http://crttexas.com).

# Merchandise

## CRT MERCHANDISE

### **CRT RIBBON** (Approved Green & Red Ribbon)

CRT Ribbon on which to wear your CRT jewelry may be purchased from the CRT Sales Table at any DRT/CRT Workshop, DRT/CRT Convention or visit [www.CRTTexas.com](http://www.CRTTexas.com)

### **OFFICIAL JEWELRY**

J. Brandt is the Official Jeweler of CRT. The CRT membership pin may be purchased from J. Brandt and is pinned to the top of the membership ribbon which is worn over the left breast at official CRT Functions. No other item shall be worn above the membership pin with the exception of the plain, gold fastener bar approved by the BOM. The ribbon may be worn suspended from beneath the bar. Ancestor bars are worn beneath the membership pin, with Board of Management pins following and then commemorative pins. Refer to Manual of Procedure for additional information on other pins that may be worn on the membership ribbon. An official J. Brandt Order Form may be found at [www.CRTTexas.com](http://www.CRTTexas.com)



### **OTHER CRT PINS AND MERCHANDISE**

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# President General Project

## “Marking Our Roots”

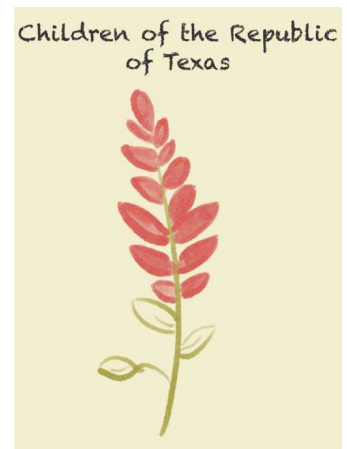
This year’s theme is all about researching where our ancestors were so that we can publicly display a marker for generations upon generations to take notice when they touch history and when something in their everyday life started as a goal that others had to lay down their lives to achieve.

We cannot achieve our goals without your help. Please choose one of the following options to participate in the President General’s Project. Once completed, send a copy of the following form to the President General and the Director’s email.

- Option 1: **Donate** to the President General’s Project in support of marking historic cities that were formed or founded when Texas was a republic.
- Option 2: Purchase of raffle tickets to win one of the following: Native Texan Artist’s painting of a Texas sunset over a field of Bluebonnets and Indian Paintbrushes, or a James Avery (Texas Oriented Company) Texas charm bracelet.
- Option 3: **Research** the founding of a town and submit the research for us to mark your town.
- Option 3: **Participate** in the marking of a town.

***Remember to Email Project Submission Form with your submission (next page)***

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: JUNE 1**



# PRESIDENT GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION

Individual Certificate? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Names for Individual Certificates:

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CRT Chapter Name:

\_\_\_\_\_ District Number: \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Chapter Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

[PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com](mailto:PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com)  
[CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org)

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: JUNE 1**

# *Children of the Republic of Texas*

## **President General's Star Award**

To achieve a Star Award choose from the following:

**Four** chapter meetings & **Four** officer general projects

**Three** chapter meetings & **Three** officer general projects

**Two** chapter meetings & **Two** officer general projects

**One** chapter meetings & **One** officer general projects

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District Number: \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Chapter Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Date Form Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_ PG \_\_\_\_\_ CRT DIRECTOR \_\_\_\_\_

**DEADLINE: June 1**

### **IMPORTANT!**

★ **AND** — CRT Chapter Sponsors must submit the following copies by May 1st:

- ★ Chapter Annual Proceedings Report including meetings and projects participated
- ★ Chapter Roster

Submit paperwork to all of the following:

- ☐ [annualproceedings@drinfo.org](mailto:annualproceedings@drinfo.org)
- ☐ [crtdirector@drinfo.org](mailto:crtdirector@drinfo.org)
- ☐ [presidentgeneral@crttexas.com](mailto:presidentgeneral@crttexas.com)

*Ref: CRT Bylaws, Article IX Chapters, Section 8, Reports*

# Project Submission Checklist

This Project Submission Checklist is used to verify the President General's 4-Star Award.

(Instructions - Sponsors, place an "X" on the Officer General Project Completed and place a checkmark on specific project completed. Send form to [PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com](mailto:PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com) and [CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org) by June 1st.)

CRT Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsoring DRT Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_ Town: \_\_\_\_\_ District #: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

President General's Project: \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ Raffle
- \_\_\_\_\_ Research a City/Town
- \_\_\_\_\_ Participate in marking a town
- \_\_\_\_\_ Star Award
  - 4 Star
  - 3 Star
  - 2 Star
  - 1 Star

First VP General's Project:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Monetary Donation for Scholarship or Silent Auction
- \_\_\_\_\_ Physical donation for Silent Auction
- \_\_\_\_\_ Submit a newsletter article of Chapter meeting

2<sup>nd</sup> VP General's Project: \_\_\_\_\_

**Convention Participation**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Hospitality Donation
- \_\_\_\_\_ Design a Wild West Party poster
- 10 +**
- \_\_\_\_\_ Research & plan Birthday Party
- \_\_\_\_\_ Essay Option
- Ages 9 & under**
- \_\_\_\_\_ Draw Convention activity
- \_\_\_\_\_ Draw a Convention Poster

3<sup>rd</sup> VP General's Project: \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 10+ Draw how your ancestors made and saved money
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9 & under - Write how your chapter made money this year in a brief essay

Chaplain General's Project: \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 9& under - Visit & draw a historical church with a sentence or two.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10+ - Visit & photograph a historical church with 50-word essay

Rec. Sec. General's Project \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ Ages 9& under - Make a courthouse picture book
- \_\_\_\_\_ Ages 10& over - 200+ word essay on the history of a courthouse
- \_\_\_\_\_ Photo of Chapter tour of a courthouse

Corresponding Secretary General's Project: \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 9 & under picture of a historic post office
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10+ Republic of Texas Mail Delivery
- \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter singing "Texas Our Texas"

Treasurer General's Project: \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 9 & under- Sentence and picture of Historic Bank
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10 + - 13-15 Sentences about Historic Bank

Registrar General's Project: \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ Supplementals
- \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter Growth
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10+ Speak to Peers about CRT
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9- Photo passing out CRT flyer

Historian General's Project: \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ Take your picture with a historical marker for booklet
- \_\_\_\_\_ Send in pictures of CRT or DRT event with explanation for State scrapbook page
- \_\_\_\_\_ Submit a Chapter Scrapbook for contest

Custodian General \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ Send in a picture of the 6 flags of Texas
- \_\_\_\_\_ Attend a Flag Retirement Ceremony

Parliamentarian General's Project: \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ Submit Chapter Bylaws
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10+ Submit Proposed Bylaw Amendment
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9 and under - Draw a picture of your chapter meeting

Retiring President General's Project \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ Invite Alumni to a meeting
- \_\_\_\_\_ Submit the names of those aging out

# FIRST VICE PRESIDENT GENERAL PROJECT

*The First Vice President General shall serve as aide to the President General, shall arrange and supervise the annual silent auction under the direction of the CRT Director.*

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**You can participate in my project by any of the following:**

**Chapter Option:** Hold a chapter meeting and show others what you do! Take pictures and write a short article to be featured in the CRT Newsletter. Be sure to include the members who attended, when and where the meeting was held, and any other fun details!

**Option One:** Make a monetary donation to the Silent Auction to support the scholarship fund. All checks should be mailed to the CRT Director.

**Option Two:** Bring a physical donation for the silent auction during CRT Convention. Please make note of what you're bringing and its value so proper bid sheets can be prepared!

Make the check to CRT and mark it **“1<sup>st</sup> VPG Project”** then mail to:

Carol Steakley  
PO Box 1446  
Odessa, TX 79760-1446

## DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: JUNE 1

***Remember to Email Project Submission Form with your submission (next page)***

# FIRST VICE PRESIDENT GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

Individual Certificate? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Names for Individual Certificates:

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Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ First VP \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

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[PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com](mailto:PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com)  
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## SECOND VICE PRESIDENT GENERAL PROJECT

*The Second Vice President General shall chair the Extension Committee and shall supervise and encourage the organization of new chapters. The 2<sup>nd</sup> VPG shall also arrange and supervise the Hospitality Suite during the CRT Convention with the assistance of the DRT Host chapters. The 2<sup>nd</sup> VPG shall communicate with the DRT District Representative/Convention Co-Chair no later than January 1 of the term to start coordinating the suite.*



### 10 and Older

Option 1: Research and plan a birthday party for that city or settlement close by. Make an invitation to the town to come celebrate. Have an old-fashioned party with punch, cake, or cookies. Bring an example of tools or items your city/settlement would have.

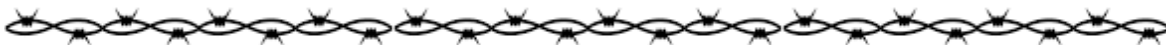


### 9 and younger



Option 1: Draw a picture of your settler in their homestead or farm. What crops or animals were raised?

Option 2: Draw a picture of at least five things you would like to do at CRT convention 2022.



### Convention Participation

Option 1: Donate \$5 to the hospitality Suit. Everyone that donates will be entered to win the door prize. The money will pay for games, snacks, decorations, and special door prize at CRT convention 2022.



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## SECOND VP GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

Individual Certificate? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Names for Individual Certificates:

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DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Second VP \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

[SecondVP@CRTTexas.com](mailto:SecondVP@CRTTexas.com)  
[PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com](mailto:PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com)  
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## THIRD VICE PRESIDENT GENERAL PROJECT

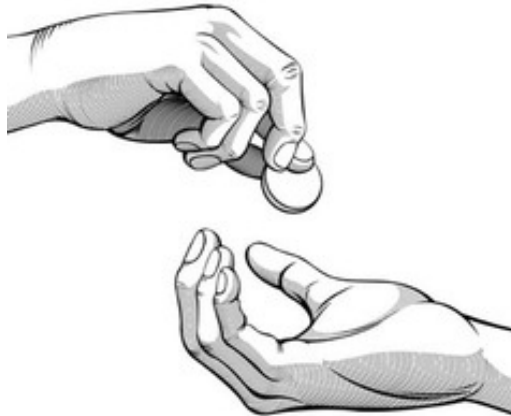
*The Third Vice President General shall chair the Ways and Means Committee and assist the 1st VPG with the Silent Auction.*

### Project Options:

**Age 9 and under** – Tell how your Republic of Texas ancestor may have made money during the Republic of Texas period. And how would they have saved it. Submit a drawing or Photo.

**Age 10 and up** – Share how your Children of the Republic of Texas chapter has raised money. Include a brief essay.

**Submit by June 1<sup>st</sup>.**



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## THIRD VP GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

Individual Certificate? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_ Third VP \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

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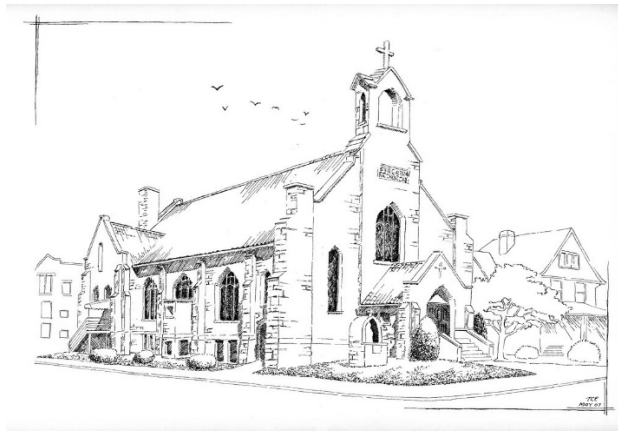
## Chaplain General Project

*The Chaplain General shall open and close all meetings of the Board of Management with a prayer, arrange for and preside at the Memorial Service at the Convention; keep a record of the deaths of all members and write to the bereaved families; and maintain a Book of Memory by preserving articles concerning the deceased members.*

**There are two options for this project for two different age groups.**

**Option 1 (ages 10 and older):** Visit and take pictures of a historical church in your city. Then, write a fifty-word essay about the church including what denomination it is.

**Option 2 (ages 9 and younger):** Visit and draw a historical church in your city. Then, write a sentence or two about what you like about the church.



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# CHAPLAIN GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

Individual Certificate? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Chaplain \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

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[PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com](mailto:PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com)  
[CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org)

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## **RECORDING SECRETARY GENERAL PROJECT**

*The Recording Secretary General shall record the minutes of the BOM, the Executive Committee, as well as assist the DRT Recording Secretary during the CRT Annual Convention. A copy of all the minutes shall be sent to the CRT Director and the President General within fifteen (15) days of a said meeting for proofing.*

**Chapters Option:** The chapter that wishes to participate in this project may visit a nearby courthouse. If a tour is available, then the chapter should take one, otherwise one member, or the sponsor may look up a history of the courthouse to be read when visiting. Submit a photo of your group at a courthouse.

**Option 1 (10 +):** These older members may write the history of their favorite Texas courthouse. This essay should be at least two hundred words. It should describe the favored courthouse's history in the form of a story book, illustrations would be welcome.

**Option 2 (9& under):** Children nine and under may make a picture book depicting the history of their favorite Texas courthouse. This book should be at least four single, or two double sided sheets. It must have a title, although words on each page are optional.

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# RECORDING SECRETARY GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

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\_\_ DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Recording Secretary \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

[RecordingSecretary@CRTTexas.com](mailto:RecordingSecretary@CRTTexas.com)

[PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com](mailto:PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com)

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## CORRESPONDING SECRETARY GENERAL PROJECT

*The Corresponding Secretary General shall conduct all correspondence of the Association as authorized by the President General and the BOM, which shall include but not limited to birthday & Christmas greetings, congratulations, and other correspondence as deemed necessary by the CRT President and CRT Director.*



Project Options:

9 & under: Visit a historic Post Office, take a picture, and tell the name of the Post Office.

Chapter Option: Sing “Texas Our Texas” as a chapter while caroling to neighbors, nursing homes, community events, etc. I would also love to see a picture. Do not forget to include pictures in your chapter scrapbook.



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## CORRESPONDING SECRETARY GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

Individual Certificate? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Corresponding Secretary \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

[CorrespondingSecretary@CRTTexas.com](mailto:CorrespondingSecretary@CRTTexas.com)

[PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com](mailto:PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com)

[CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org)

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## TREASURER GENERAL

*The Treasurer General shall give a report of all receipts and disbursements of all CRT monetary accounts at every CRT BOM meeting and the CRT Annual Convention as prepared by the CRT DIRECTOR. The Treasurer Gen. shall keep in communication with the CRT DIRECTOR and shall review the reports seven (7) days prior to a meeting or convention and shall then have copies of the reports available for distribution. The Treasurer General shall assist in the leadership of the CRT Sales Table at District Workshops and DRT and CRT Conventions.*



### Project Options:

Ages 9& under Visit a historic bank and write a sentence about it. Be sure to include the city where the bank is located and when it was built.



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# TREASURER GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

Individual Certificate? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Names for Individual Certificates:

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DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Treasurer \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

[Treasurer@CRTTexas.com](mailto:Treasurer@CRTTexas.com)  
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[CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org)

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## REGISTRAR GENERAL

*The Registrar General shall maintain a correct membership roster and shall work in conjunction with the CRT Registrar General of the DRT who handles CRT applications. Information on members aging out, chapter transfer and transfers from the CRT to DRT/SRT shall be obtained from the CRT Registrar General of the DRT so a membership update report may be given at the Annual Convention. The Registrar General shall also serve as chairman of the Credentials Committee during the Annual Convention and be responsible for gathering credential information prior to the start of the business meeting from the Convention Registrar.*

### Individual Options

10+ Talk to five peers at school or in an organization you belong to and tell them about the CRT and peak their interest to join. Even as an Associate Member if not a CRT member. Submit their name and photo with you talking to them.

9 & under Submit a photo of you with a non CRT, DRT, or SRT member that involves doing or sharing something with Texas History. Maybe even passing out a flyer about Texas History and joining the CRT.

### Individual or Chapter Options

1. Have a supplemental application approved. Send in proof of your supplement. Visit <https://www.drinfo.org/members/forms-publications/forms> for Membership forms.
2. Add more members to your chapter. Submit their names and CRT number to both the CRT and DRT Registrars. You may use the form below as an example.



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## **New Member to Chapter, Addition Form**

CRT Member Full Name:

CRT Member Number:

CRT Member Parent Email:

CRT Member Parent Phone Number:

Current CRT Chapter:

Current DRT Sponsoring Chapter:

Not in a current CRT Chapter:

Transferring to what CRT Chapter:

New DRT Sponsoring Chapter:

Name of Person or Chapter that referred you that will receive an award for Registrar General Project:

Email this form to:

[Registrar@CRTTexas.com](mailto:Registrar@CRTTexas.com)

[CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org)

[CRTRegistrar@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTRegistrar@DRTInfo.org)

## REGISTRAR GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

Individual Certificate? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Names for Individual Certificates:

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DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Registrar General \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

[Registrar@CRTTexas.com](mailto:Registrar@CRTTexas.com)  
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## **HISTORIAN GENERAL**

*The Historian General shall maintain a history of the Association by creating an Annual State Scrapbook. They shall include photos, publicity, and memorabilia along with articles of interest of CRT activities from the year. Starting with the annual election of officers through the DRT Annual Convention, CRT chapters should be solicited and encouraged to submit scrapbook pages with exact specifications for the scrapbook being created. This scrapbook shall be on display during Annual Convention. The Historian General shall also serve as the Chair of the Annual CRT Chapter Scrapbook Contest and Judging Committee. With the assistance of the CRT Director, he/she shall appoint three to five (3-5) DRT/SRT members who will be in attendance during the Annual Convention where judging will take place at a time and place to be announced. The CRT Director shall provide ribbons to prepare for the top three (3) winners in each judging category prior to arrival at the Annual Convention, as well as providing an ample number of judging forms and pens.*

### **Option 1:**

If you attend a CRT and/or DRT event, send the pictures you take to me! Write a few sentences telling me about what happened at the event. I will use the in the state scrapbook. And, don't forget to use them in your chapter scrapbook as well.

Option 2: As you are out and about in Texas and see a historical mark, hop out and have a picture taken at the site. Read about why the marker is there. Send me the picture and a few sentences about the marker. I will create a booklet with all the historical markers that were visited by CRT members! This booklet will be available for purchase if ordered by June 1<sup>st</sup> and may be picked up at the CRT Convention. Cost will vary depending on the number of entries for this project. Extra proceeds will be donated to the CRT room at the Republic of Texas History Center.

Option 3: Submit a Chapter Scrapbook for the annual Scrapbook contest at the Convention! A sample judging form is on the next page.

## **DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: JUNE 1**

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## HISTORIAN GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

Individual Certificate? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Historian General \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

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## CRT CHAPTER SCRAPBOOK SCORE SHEET

Be as creative as you possibly can. The age of the Chapter Historian will strongly be considered.

CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

CHAPTER HISTORIAN \_\_\_\_\_

CHAPTER HISTORIAN AGE GROUP (circle one): 11 & UNDER 12 & UP

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### SCRAPBOOK COVER (POSSIBLE 10 POINTS EACH)

CHAPTER NAME \_\_\_\_\_

CREATIVITY \_\_\_\_\_

**COVER TOTAL** \_\_\_\_\_ (POSSIBLE COVER TOTAL 20 POINTS)

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### TITLE PAGE (POSSIBLE 2 POINTS EACH)

CHAPTER NAME \_\_\_\_\_

DATES COVERED IN SCRAPBOOK \_\_\_\_\_

CHAPTER PRESIDENT NAME & AGE \_\_\_\_\_

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HISTORIAN GENERAL USE ONLY

HISTORIAN GENERAL INITIALS \_\_\_\_\_

JUDGES INITIALS \_\_\_\_\_

CATEGORY VERIFICATION (CIRCLE ONE) 11 & UNDER 12 AND UP

PLACE (CIRCLE ONE) 1<sup>ST</sup> 2<sup>ND</sup> 3<sup>RD</sup> HONORABLE MENTION

## **CUSTODIAN GENERAL**

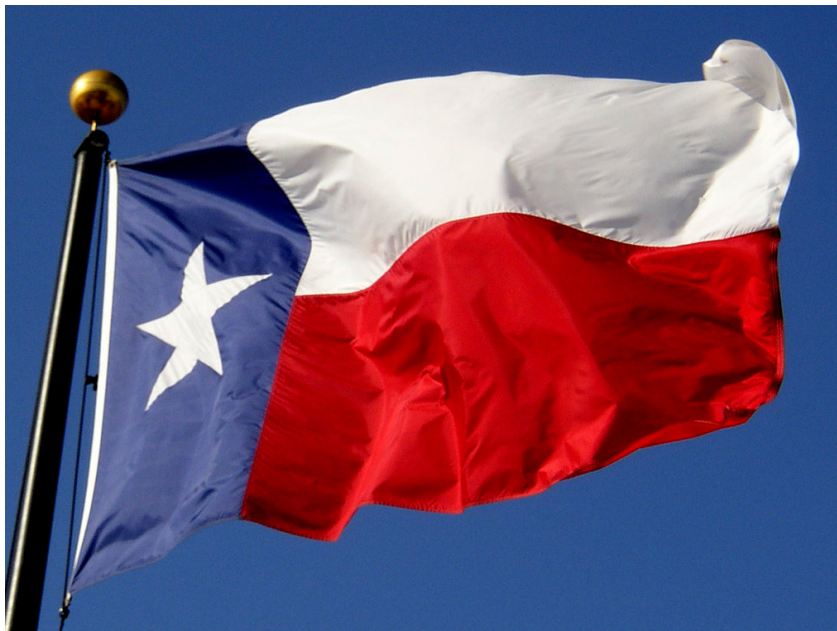
*The Custodian General shall be entrusted with the care of all properties belonging to the CRT. Said properties include a United States flag, a Texas flag, the CRT flag, three (3) flag bags, and three (3) flag bases. The flags and bases shall be at the Annual Convention and all BOM meetings.*

### **Individual or Chapter Options:**

- 1) Send in a picture of a display of the 6 Flags of Texas.
- 2) Attend a Flag Retirement Ceremony. Your chapter may wish to conduct their own Flag Retirement Ceremony.

Visit the website

<https://statutes.capitol.texas.gov/Docs/GV/htm/GV.3100.htm> for rules regarding the Texas Flag Retirement Ceremony and the display of the Flags and other instructions.



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## CUSTODIAN GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

Individual Certificate? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Custodian \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

[Custodian@CRTTexas.com](mailto:Custodian@CRTTexas.com)  
[PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com](mailto:PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com)  
[CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org)

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: JUNE 1**

## PARLIAMENTARIAN GENERAL

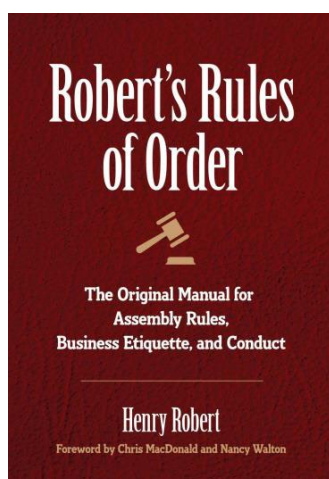
*The Parliamentarian General shall attend all Meetings of the BOM, the Executive Committee, and the Convention; and shall advise on parliamentary procedure, interpret bylaws in question, point of order, point of information, and protocol. They shall serve as the Chair of the Bylaws Committee and shall appoint the Committee upon confirmation of the CRT President General and the CRT Director. It is recommended to have the assistance of at least two (2) DRT members on the committee. The Parliamentarian General shall also work in conjunctions with the CRT Director to arrange for a Registered Parliamentarian to be present at the Annual Convention Business meeting. The Parliamentarian shall review all chapter bylaws in order to assure all chapter bylaws are in accordance with CRT and DRT.*

**This year's project has a few options:**

**Chapter Option:** Submit a copy of your chapter bylaws that have been adopted by your membership. Write a brief synopsis of the last time your chapter had an amendment to your bylaws, what that amendment was, its purpose, and how it affected your chapter.

**Individual Option ages 10+:** Submit a proposed bylaw amendment to be considered during the upcoming 2022 Convention. Proposed bylaw amendments must be received by **February 1, 2022** according to the CRT Bylaws found on the CRT Website.  
[www.CRTTexas.com](http://www.CRTTexas.com)

**Individual Options ages 9 & under:** Submit a drawing of your CRT Chapter business meeting being conducted. Be sure to include your Chapter President and members in this meeting.



**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: JUNE 1**

***Remember to Email Project Submission Form with any additional project pages or forms (next page)***

# PARLIAMENTARIAN GENERAL PROJECT SUBMISSION FORM

Individual Certificate? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Names for Individual Certificates:

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CRT Chapter Name: \_\_\_\_\_ District Number: \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Chapter Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Activity(ies) or Option Completed:

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DATE SUBMITTED: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Parliamentarian General \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

[Parliamentarian@CRTTexas.com](mailto:Parliamentarian@CRTTexas.com)  
[PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com](mailto:PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com)  
[CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org)

**OPTION 2 DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION IS FEBRUARY 1**

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: JUNE 1**

# Children of the Republic of Texas

## Bylaw Amendment Proposal

**Complete a different form for each proposed amendment.** Do not write on reverse side — use an additional sheet if necessary. Amendments received after February 1 will be discarded.

Submitter: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Chapter or <input type="checkbox"/> BOM or <input type="checkbox"/> Admin Cmte
Contact name: _____	Contact Position: _____
Contact email: _____	Phone: _____

Amendments are editorial in nature, and suggest a **specific change in wording** to the existing bylaws.

This proposed amendment is to Article \_\_\_\_\_, Section \_\_\_\_\_, Paragraph \_\_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_\_

The EXISTING language:	The PROPOSED language:
Rationale for this change:	

Completed forms and questions may be sent to CRT Parliamentarian [Parliamentarian@CRTTexas.com](mailto:Parliamentarian@CRTTexas.com)

## ***RETIRING PRESIDENT GENERAL'S PROJECT***

***Deadline June 1, 2022***

*The Retiring President General should serve as an advisor to the President and the BOM. They shall also conduct the Aging Out Ceremony held during the Annual Convention.*

**OPTION ONE:** Invite a CRT Alumni to your chapter meeting to speak with your chapter on ideas to promote CRT or any other topic that would interest your chapter. Submit date he/she attended your meeting, his/her name and a picture with your chapter. While at the meeting include taking up a donation to purchase raffle tickets to support the President General's project, *Marking Our Roots*, and send in donation funds along with photos taken with CRT alumni.



**OPTION TWO:** Send a list of Chapter members who will age out prior to September 1, 2022. Include member's name, date of birth, CRT #, chapter, as well as the DRT/SRT Chapter the member is transferring to or being referred. If member is a female, she may transfer to the Daughters of the Republic of Texas any time after her 16<sup>th</sup> birthday. Submit the member's name to the sponsoring DRT Chapter. Male members may join the Sons of the Republic of Texas. Help them find a nearby Chapter. (Ceremony on pg. 48 of MOP, Go to CRTTEXAS.com, under "More" tab then CRT Manual of Procedures)

An *Aging Out Ceremony* will be conducted at the 2022 CRT Convention. DRT has approved a Former CRT pin to be worn on official DRT ribbon or lapel. The pin may be purchased from the CRT Sales table or [www.crttexas.com](http://www.crttexas.com). If you would like to have your aging out member pinned during the ceremony, please purchase the pin, attach name, chapter and district, and give the pin to CRT Retiring President General Alayne Denton prior to the start of the business meeting on Saturday of convention.

*Send notification to Alayne Denton as well as the CRT Director no later than **June 1, 2022** so ceremony preparations may be made.*

# Retiring President General's Project Submission Form

Name of Members:

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CRT Chapter Name and District: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Option Completed (please check those that apply):

Option 1: Alumni Visit \_\_\_\_\_

Option 2: Aging Out List \_\_\_\_\_

Extra Details:

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\_\_\_\_ Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Retiring President General \_\_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director

[RetiringPresident@CRTTexas.com](mailto:RetiringPresident@CRTTexas.com)

[PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com](mailto:PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com)

[CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org)

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: JUNE 1**

# Children of the Republic of Texas

## Aging out Form

Name of Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle One:            Male            Female

CRT Chapter Name and District: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

DRT CRT Chapter Registrar: \_\_\_\_\_

Transferring to: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle One:            DRT            SRT

Transfer Application Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Transfer Application Approved Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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During the Aging Out Ceremony there is a time for a presentation of a “Former CRT Pin” by a family member or CRT Sponsor. This is optional, but should the Chapter or Family choose to present this pin, please mail payment along with a COPY of this form to the address below and the pin will be ready for you at the time of the ceremony.

Former CRT Pin        \$20 \_\_\_\_\_

Former BOM Dangle \$10 \_\_\_\_\_

DRT Dangle            \$10 \_\_\_\_\_

SRT Dangle            \$10 \_\_\_\_\_

Total Due \_\_\_\_\_

Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Retiring President General \_\_\_\_ President General \_\_\_\_ CRT Director

[RetiringPresident@CRTTexas.com](mailto:RetiringPresident@CRTTexas.com)

[PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com](mailto:PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com)

[CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org)

**DEADLINE: June 1<sup>st</sup>**

## **CRT AWARD AND SCHOLARSHIP CHECKLIST**

CRT Sponsor: Complete this form, all necessary documents and submit to CRTDirector@DRTInfo.com or mail by May 1<sup>st</sup>

CRT Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

DRT Sponsoring Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, ST, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

### **AWARD ENTRIES**

### **NAME OF CANDIDATE(S)**

Edward Philmore Haltom, Jr. Award \_\_\_\_\_

James Milton Rash Memorial Award \_\_\_\_\_

Carolyn DeKeith Cook Roth Memorial Award \_\_\_\_\_

Grandmother of the Year Award \_\_\_\_\_

### **SCHOLARSHIP ENTRIES**

### **NAME OF CANDIDATE(S)**

Aaron Lee Evan Scholarship \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Leadership Scholarship \_\_\_\_\_

Melody Harris Horn Pearson Scholarship \_\_\_\_\_

### **DATES REPORTS SUBMITTED**

REPORT TITLE	CRT DIRECTOR	AP CHAIRMAN	DRT CUST. GEN.	DRT HEADQUARTERS
Annual Report	_____	_____	_____	_____
*Chapter Roster	_____	_____	_____	_____

\*Chapter Roster is to include name, CRT member number, address, date of birth, parent's email, parent's phone number. ***Incomplete rosters may prevent Chapter from qualifying for 4-Star Award.***

## **ANNUAL CRT AWARDS**

### **Edward Philmore Haltom, Jr. Trophy**

This award was begun in 1986 in memory of Edward Philmore Haltom Jr., a past President General of the CRT. This trophy is to be presented annually to the CRT Chapter that is judged to have had the best program or project during the past year. Applying chapter must submit an essay of 150 words minimum describing the program or project completed. Pictures are not required but are beneficial. A panel of unbiased judges will select the award winner.

### **James Milton Rash Memorial Trophy**

The Rash Family is giving this trophy to the Children of the Republic of Texas in loving memory of James Milton Rash, CRT President General 1968-1969. Jim Rash was an avid researcher and genealogist during his adult life and often spoke to groups about genealogical research. The trophy is presented to a CRT member who is 14 years of age or older, researches and prepares an essay of 150-200 words, describing his Republic of Texas ancestor and the ancestor's contribution to the Republic. Papers will be judged on how the CRT member presents the facts, not on the accomplishments of the ancestor. A panel of unbiased judges will select the award winner.

### **Carolyn DeKeith Cook Roth Memorial Trophy**

A gift of the John W. Roth family, this trophy will be presented annually to the CRT member judged to be the year's outstanding member. The trophy is presented to a candidate who is an active CRT member exhibiting scholarship and demonstrating involvement in religious activities, sports, and community affairs. The candidate's sponsoring CRT chapter should submit a report on the candidate, which is to include a list of CRT activities as well as the above-mentioned qualities. A panel of unbiased judges will select the award winner.

### **Grandmother of the Year Award**

This award will be presented during the annual CRT Convention to the Grandmother selected to be the year's outstanding Grandmother. Nominating CRT members must submit a minimum 100- word essay(s) of their Grandmother's contributions to CRT, chapter activities during the year, member's involvement, and other qualifications of your outstanding Grandmother. Nomination Form and essay(s) must be submitted to the CRT President General and the CRT Director. The CRT Board of Management will select the award winner. Nominees are eligible for this award every five years.

*PLEASE NOTE: In order for to be eligible for one of the above Awards, a CRT Awards Application along with specific requirements for each award must be submitted to the CRT Director and CRT President General where specified by May 1st of each year. The award-winning member or chapter's name and award year will be engraved on the trophy to be displayed at the CRT Headquarter and Museum. The Grandmother of the Year will receive an award designated by the CRT BOM*

# CRT MEMORIAL TROPHY APPLICATION

(One form per award category)

**Award Category (Circle One)   Haltom   Rash   Roth**

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Member #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

District #: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Chapter Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

DRT Sponsoring Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Sponsor Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Sponsor Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Sponsor Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Sponsor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Due to [CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org) by May 1<sup>st</sup>

*PLEASE NOTE: In order for a CRT Member or Chapter to be eligible for one of the above Awards, a CRT Awards Application along with specific requirements for each award must be submitted to the CRT State Director by May 1<sup>st</sup> of each year. The Award-Winning member or chapter's name and year will be engraved on the traveling trophy as well as a Texas shaped award for permanent display. All traveling trophies must be returned to the CRT Director no later than the annual DRT Convention.*

# CRT ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIPS

## CRT Leadership Scholarship

CRT awards an Annual Leadership Scholarship to a high school senior based on merit, CRT, scholastic and community activities, as well as leadership. Applicants must submit the Leadership Scholarship application along with qualifying documentation. There may be more than one applicant from any one chapter and in years where there is more than one applicant meeting the mentioned requirements there may be a two-thousand dollar (\$2000), a fifteen-hundred (\$1500) dollar and one-thousand-dollar (\$1000) award to the subsequent top applicants. A panel of unbiased judges will select the award winner.

## Aaron Lee Evan Noack Scholarship

Aaron Noack was a member of CRT for twenty-one years, attended 21 consecutive conventions and exemplified leadership on the Board of Management for many of those years including President General. Aaron was very passionate about CRT and he strived for a better CRT for future generations to come.

In honor of his service to CRT, an annual \$250 scholarship will be awarded to a high school senior who meets all requirements of the CRT Leadership Scholarship guidelines and who submits an essay of five hundred-word (500) minimum, entitled “*Why I Love CRT*” along with a CRT Scholarship Form. A panel of unbiased judges will select the award winner.

## Melody Harris Horn Pearson Scholarship

Melody Harris Horn Pearson was the Great-Grandmother of CRT President General 2008-2009, Aaron Lee Evan Noack and very active and loyal CRT Member and Board of Management member. Mrs. Pearson was also a very pro-active friend of the Texian Navy, SRT and CRT. Mrs. Pearson made sure Aaron became a CRT member as soon as possible after his birth and he is now a SRT member.

In honor of Mrs. Pearson an annual \$500 scholarship will be awarded to a high school senior who meets all requirements of the CRT Scholarship guidelines and who submits an essay of two hundred-word (250) minimum about the history of the Texian Navy. A panel of unbiased judges will select the award winner.

# CRT Scholarship Application Cover

*(Submit one Application Cover per Scholarship Application)*

Submit to [CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org) by May 1<sup>ST</sup>

**Scholarship Category (Circle One):      Leadership      Noack      Pearson**

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Name \_\_\_\_\_

District # \_\_\_\_\_

DRT Sponsoring Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

How long has applicant been a CRT Member? \_\_\_\_\_

Has applicant been active last two (2) years? \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Offices held: \_\_\_\_\_

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## LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

*There will be a two-thousand-dollar (\$2000) scholarship awarded to a high school senior CRT member judged to display the best leadership qualities. There may be more than one applicant from any one chapter and in years with more than one applicant meeting the mentioned requirements there may be a fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500) and a one-thousand-dollar (\$1000) award to the subsequent top applicants. A panel of unbiased judges will select the award winner(s). Submission must be made to CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org by May 1st.*

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Official Transcript 1<sup>st</sup> Semester Sr. Year      Counselor Date Mailed: \_\_\_\_\_

Proof of acceptance to Upper Education/Trade School      Date Copy Mailed: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher Letter of Recommendation      Date Mailed: \_\_\_\_\_

Peer Letter of Recommendation      Date Mailed: \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Sponsor Letter of Recommendation      Date Mailed: \_\_\_\_\_

### **How have you demonstrated leadership?**

#### **At School?**

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#### **In Your Community?**

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#### **At Work?**

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#### **In your Extra-Curricular Activities?**

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**In CRT?**

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**List in order of importance to you awards or honors you have received during high school:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

**List in order of importance to you, high school, CRT, community, work or athletic abilities giving you leadership abilities. Be sure to indicate any office or position held (additional activities may be listed on another sheet):**

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

Submit the CRT Leadership Scholarship Application, the CRT Application Cover and a minimum two-hundred (200) word essay describing what being a member of CRT has meant to you. Be sure to include any offices held on the local and state level, activities and projects you have been involved with.

Applicant's Signature	_____
Date	_____
CRT Sponsor's Signature	_____
Date	_____

CRT Leadership Scholarship Application:

Date Received by CRT Director \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director Initials \_\_\_\_\_

## AARON LEE EVAN NOACK SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

A two-hundred-fifty (\$250) dollar scholarship will be awarded to a high school senior who meets all of the CRT Leadership Scholarship Guidelines and submits the following to [CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org) by May 1<sup>st</sup>.

1. CRT Scholarship Application Cover
2. CRT Leadership Scholarship Application
3. Five-Hundred (500) word minimum essay entitled *“Why I Love CRT”*

Aaron Lee Evan Noack Scholarship Application:

Date Received by CRT Director \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director Initials \_\_\_\_\_

## MELODY HARRIS HORN PEARSON SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

A five-hundred-dollar (\$500) scholarship will be awarded to a high school senior who meets all of the CRT Leadership Scholarship Guidelines and submits the following to [CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org](mailto:CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org) by May 1<sup>st</sup>.

1. CRT Scholarship Application Cover
2. CRT Leadership Scholarship Application
3. Two-Hundred-Fifty word minimum about the *“History of the Texian Navy”*

Melody Harris Horn Pearson Scholarship Application:

Date Received by CRT Director \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Director Initials \_\_\_\_\_

# GRANDMOTHER OF THE YEAR NOMINATION FORM

Nominee's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

DRT # or Associate: \_\_\_\_\_

DRT Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

District #: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominating CRT Member(s) \_\_\_\_\_

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Nominating Member Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Sponsor or  
DRT Chapter President Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nomination Form and essay(s) must be submitted to  
PresidentGeneral@CRTTexas.com and CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org by May 1<sup>st</sup>**

Submit a minimum 100-word essay(s) of your Grandmother's contributions to CRT, your chapter's activities during the year, your involvement, and other qualifications of your outstanding Grandmother.

## **Officers General Nomination Application Deadline: June 18, 2022**

# **CRT OFFICERS GENERAL NOMINATION FORM**

**Candidate must be in attendance during the Annual Convention to be considered for an election to office.**

Whether candidate is recommended by the Nominating Committee or is planning on “running from the floor” this nomination form along with required documentation it is asked this form be submitted by June 20, 2022, via email to CRTDirector@DRTInfo.org in order to allow enough time for candidate to be properly vetted.

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Member #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_ District #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age as of June 27, 2022 \_\_\_\_\_ Grade in School in Fall 2022 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parent's Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 CRT Chapter Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_ CRT Sponsor Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 CRT Sponsor Email: \_\_\_\_\_ DRT Sponsoring Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_  
 CRT Chapter Sponsor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Qualifications For Office:**

1. Must be at least 10 years of age by the day of the business session at CRT Convention
2. Must have been an active member of CRT for 2 years
3. Must have attended 2 consecutive CRT Conventions **prior** to this one
4. Must be able to attend one or more DRT Workshops scheduled between August and November
5. Assist in Chartering Ceremonies of new CRT Chapters or any other ceremonies when necessary
6. Serve, if possible, as CRT Page for DRT Convention
7. Learn the objectives of CRT and important events leading to Texas Independence and the formation of the Republic of Texas
8. Must be able to attend a minimum of one other CRT event other than District Workshop
9. Submit a letter of recommendation from CRT Chapter Sponsor

CRT Convention Years Attended \_\_\_\_\_

CRT Chapter Office Held _____	Year _____
CRT Chapter Office Held _____	Year _____
CRT Chapter Office Held _____	Year _____
BOM Office Held _____	Year _____
BOM Office Held _____	Year _____
BOM Office Held _____	Year _____

***If you are currently a member of the Board of Management, your Annual Officer Report must be submitted with this application. NO EXCEPTIONS! You will not be eligible for Nominations if no report is filed.***

**ALL CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE MUST MEET REQUIREMENTS DEFINED IN ARTICLE VIII OF THE CRT BYLAWS**

## **BOM CANDIDATE STATEMENT OF AGREEMENT**

If elected, I agree to have the required Officer General's Project submitted to the CRT State Director by July 1st. If my project IS NOT submitted on time, it may be eliminated from the Annual Project Book or assigned to me.

Being elected to the CRT Board of Management is a privilege and the office shall be respected as such. Therefore I, \_\_\_\_\_ ,  
having run for an office of the CRT Board of Management shall dutifully preform the responsibilities given me as a member of the CRT Board of Management member. I will uphold the officer duties, responsibilities, bylaws and guidelines set forth in the CRT MOP. I will submit an officer general project by the set deadline and furthermore I will continue to promote Texas History and it's Republic, as well as, have an exciting and fun time as a member of this Board of Management.

\_\_\_\_\_  
CRT BOM Candidate Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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## **PARENT/GUARDIAN STATEMENT OF SUPPORT**

I agree to assist \_\_\_\_\_  
to fulfill their duties if elected to the CRT BOM. This includes but is not limited to traveling to district workshops, BOM meetings via conference call, BOM meetings, the Annual DRT Convention, Annual CRT Convention, CRT ceremonies and other events deemed necessary by the CRT President General and the CRT Director as well as assist with the Officer Generals Project, Certificate preparation and presentation.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**If you are currently a member of the Board of Management, your Annual Officer Report must be submitted with this application. NO EXCEPTIONS! You will not be eligible for Nominations if no report is filed.**

## OFFICERS GENERAL POSITIONS

(Number 1-3 in preference order for position seeking)

President General \_\_\_\_\_

General Organization of the Association Serve as Annual Convention Chairman  
Preside over all meetings (Except Nominating) Chairman of Executive Committee  
Represent CRT at all CRT/DRT/SRT functions  
Candidate Signature \_\_\_\_\_

1st Vice President General \_\_\_\_\_

Serve in the capacity of President General if they are not available  
Chairman of the Annual Scholarship Fundraiser Auction  
Candidate Signature \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Vice President General \_\_\_\_\_

Serve in the capacity of President General in subsequent order  
Organize and Promote new chapters  
Host the Hospitality Suite during Annual Convention Chairman of the Historical Preservation Committee

3rd Vice President General \_\_\_\_\_

Serve in the capacity of President General in subsequent order  
Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee  
Assists the 1st Vice President General with Annual Auction  
Arrange proclamations from government officials from State to Local Level for the Annual Convention.  
Assist with the Sales Tables at CRT/DRT events.

Chaplain General \_\_\_\_\_

Lead Memorial Services  
Keep a record of all members deaths Write bereaved family members. Lead Invocation and Benediction at all BOM meetings, ceremonies and Annual Convention  
Maintain a Memory Book for deceased members

Recording Secretary General \_\_\_\_\_

Record, prepare and distribute minutes of all CRT BOM meetings as well as Annual Convention and any other meetings deemed necessary by the CRT President General or the DRT 3rd Vice President General/CRT Director

Corresponding Secretary General \_\_\_\_\_

Prepare and mail correspondences as deemed necessary by the CRT President General or the CRT Director

Treasurer General \_\_\_\_\_

Review and Present Financial Reports as prepared by the DRT Treasurer General. Shall assist with or arrange assistance for the CRT Sales table during workshops, conventions and any other events deemed necessary by the CRT President General and the CRT Director

Registrar General \_\_\_\_\_

Maintain a correct membership roster and shall work in conjunction with the CRT Registrar General of the DRT who handles CRT applications  
Serve as Credentials Committee during Annual Convention

Historian General \_\_\_\_\_

Maintain an annual scrapbook of activities throughout the year  
Serve as chairman of the Scrapbook Judging Committee

Custodian General \_\_\_\_\_

Entrusted with the care of CRT Properties as deemed necessary by the CRT Director  
Lead the pledges to the US, Texas and CRT Pledges for BOM meetings. Shall be responsible for bringing such properties to meetings deemed necessary by the CRT Director, as well as, the Annual Convention

Parliamentarian General \_\_\_\_\_

Shall participate in all business meetings of the CRT BOM, the CRT Executive committee as well the Annual Convention and shall advise on Parliamentary Procedure, CRT Bylaws and MOP  
Serve as the Bylaws Committee Chairman

Retiring President General

(NOT ELECTED – AUTOMATIC SUCCESSION)

Shall serve as an advisor to the CRT President General and the BOM Shall conduct Aging Out Ceremony during Annual Convention

### CRT DIRECTOR QUESTIONS:

If Candidate is a previous/current BOM member, please rate their performance: Scale 1-10 (1 worse 10 best) \_\_\_\_\_

Did Candidate submit project and reports in a timely manner?

Circle One: Yes No

Was Candidates behavior problematic? Circle One: Yes No

Did Candidate perform all duties including prepare Officer Participation Awards?

Circle One: Yes No

Would you recommend this Candidate to serve on the BOM again? Circle One: Yes No

CRT Director Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## PHOTO AND VIDEO RELEASE FORM

I, \_\_\_\_\_ give permission to The Daughters  
of the Republic of Texas and/or the Children of the Republic of Texas, to use \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, my child's photograph and/or  
video image for the following but not limited to:

- ☐ DRT/CRT video productions
- ☐ DRT/CRT publications
- ☐ DRT/CRT website
- ☐ DRT/CRT Social Media
- ☐ Other News Media related to DRT/CRT

I further give permission to The Daughters of the Republic of Texas and the Children of the Republic of Texas to allow my child to be photographed, audio/videotaped, or interviewed by the news media or other organizations for DRT/CRT related stories, articles or projects.

CRT Member's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## PAST CRT ANNUAL AWARDS RECIPIANTS

### Carolyn DeKeith Cook Roth

*The John W. Roth family gave a gift in memory of Carolyn DeKeith Cook Roth. This trophy is presented annually to the CRT member judged to be the year's outstanding member.*

2021 Alayne Denton	2002 Neal Kocurek
2020 Xander Genarelli	2000 Susan Hill
2019 Amber Bormann	1999-1994 Unknown
2018 Daniel Steeves	1993 Amy Gunter
2017 Boone Denton	1992 Matthew Finch
2016 Katherine Steeves	1991 Unknown
2015 Hunter Creasey	1990 Laura Wathall
2014 Reed Denton	1988-1989 Unknown
2013 Machala Ann Noack	1987 Glen Schulgen
2012 Melody Townsend	1986 William Fishe
2011 Lauren Williamson	1985 Unknown
2010 Ashley Graham	1984 Tracy Timme
2009 Aaron Lee Evan Noack	1983 James Soderholtz
2008 Amber Horton	1982 Angela Harrington
2007 Reed Denton	1981 Tiersa Hayes
2006 Chancey Westfall	1980 Tiersa Hayes
2005 Kayla Roberts	1978-1979 Unknown
2004 Jack Washington	1977 Cindy Berryman
2003 Sage Smith	1976 Becky Gray
	1969 Anniell Rudisil

## James Milton Rash

*The Rash Family gave a trophy to the Children of the Republic of Texas in loving memory of Past President General James Milton Rash, 1968-1969. Jim Rash was an avid researcher and genealogist during his adult life and often spoke to groups about genealogical research.*

2021 Gray Altmeyer	2011 Melody Anne Townsend
2020 Amber Bormann	2010 Ashley Graham
2019 Abigail Funderburk	2009 William Domengeaux
2018 Boone Denton	2008 Kyle Roberts
2017 Alayne Denton	2007 Helen Marie Williams
2016 No Entry	2006 Amber Lyneise Horton
2015 Daniel Steeves	2005 Mary Ellen Townsend
2014 Sarah Funderburk	2004 Kayla Roberts
2013 Machala Noack	2003 Jack Washington
2012 Lauren Williamson	2002 Nathaniel Corbett

## Edward Philmore Haltom, Jr. Award Recipients

*This award began in 1986 in memory of Past President General Edward Philmore Haltom, Jr. and is presented annually to the CRT Chapter judged to have had the best program or project during the past year*

2021 New Kentucky	2007 San Jacinto 2006 Alamo Heroes
2020 Sam Houston	2006 Alamo Heroes
2019 Alamo Mission	2005 Alamo Heroes
2018 Elizabeth Lawrence Aldrich	2004 Silver Hawks
2017 Elizabeth Lawrence Aldrich	2003 Alamo Heroes
2016 Bosque River	2002 Waco Village
2015 Elizabeth Lawrence Aldrich	2001 Miss Ima Hogg
2014 Elizabeth Lawrence Aldrich	2000 Alamo Heroes
2013 No Entry	1999 Monument Hill
2012 James Bowie	1993 Monument Hill
2011 Sarah Ward	1988 Judge James Hall, Jr
2010 Matilda Holman Wright	1987 Margaret Ann Pace
2009 Elizabeth Lawrence Aldrich	1986 Alamo Mission
2008 Sarah Turner Cottle	

## Grandmother of the Year

*This award began in 1980 to honor a special woman selected to be Grandmother of the year.*

2021 Ronnie Retzloff	2009 Martha Ann Pattinson
2020 Sandy Salinas	2008 Unknown
2019 Mary Jane Blanco	2007 Delitha Guenzel
2018 Nikki Haskins	2006-1994 Unknown
2017 Judy West Palmer	1993 Dorothy Albrechy
2016 Rebecca Epps	1992 Unknown
2015 Elizabeth Hedges	1991 Mabel Leyda
2014 Nelle Buchanan Still	1990-1985 Unknown
2013 Dot Creasey	1984 Mrs. Roger Vaughn
2012 Melba Payne & Judy West Palmer	1983 Mrs. Charles Bollfrass
2011 Unknown	1982 Unknown
2010 Unknown	1981 Mrs. Grady Rash
1980 Mary Alice O'Dowd	

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