

# **CERTIFIED LOCAL GOVERNMENT (CLG) COMMISSION TRAINING**

## **Blanco Historic Preservation Commission**

**Saturday, June 22, 2024 / 1:00–5:00 p.m.**

**Byars Building, 308 Pecan St, Blanco, Texas 78606**

### **AGENDA**

1:00 – 1:20 pm	Introductions
1:20– 1:40 pm	Introduction to the Certified Local Government Program, <i>Ericca Espindola</i>
1:40 pm – 2:10 pm	Meeting Procedures for Preservation Commissions, <i>Kelly Little</i>
2:10 – 2:20 pm	Break
2:20 pm – 3:20 pm	What is Section 106 and How Can CLGs Participate? <i>Justin Kockritz</i>
3:20 – 3:45 pm	Role of the Commission and Historic Preservation Officer, <i>Ericca Espindola</i>
3:45 – 4:00 pm	Break
4:00 – 4:40 pm	The Secretary of the Interior’s Standards for Rehabilitation, <i>Kelly Little</i>
4:30 – 5:00 pm	Questions and Discussion

### **Meet the Presenters**

**Ericca Espindola** is a Certified Local Government specialist at the Texas Historical Commission. She previously worked at the THC’s Casa Navarro State Historic Site and the Conservation Society of San Antonio. She has a master’s degree in architecture with a focus in historic preservation from The University of Texas at San Antonio, where she worked as a graduate research assistant tasked with mapping housing decay in San Antonio’s historic near Westside neighborhood.

**Justin Kockritz** has worked for the Texas Historical Commission for over ten years where he serves as the lead project reviewer for the History Programs Division, focusing on transportation projects under Section 106 of the National

Historic Preservation Act. He previously served as a regional architectural reviewer for the THC, and as an environmental review specialist for the North Carolina State Historic Preservation Office. A native of Dallas, Justin holds a master's degree in historic preservation from the University of Maryland, and undergraduate degrees from the University of Texas in urban studies and geography.

**Kelly Little** serves as state coordinator for the Certified Local Government Program at the Texas Historical Commission, where she works with a network of 78 CLG communities across the state to empower local communities to better protect historic resources. Kelly actively volunteers on the board of Preservation Austin and served as a council-appointed member of Austin's Historic Landmark Commission for four years. She holds a master's in historic preservation from The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, and a bachelor's in journalism and mass communications.