

# SAN JACINTO BATTLEGROUND CONSERVANCY

What do we do?



We support and fund projects to help restore the San Jacinto prairie and marsh. Above, the San Jacinto prairie will live again!

We acquire land original to the San Jacinto Battleground as a primary component of our mission. The map, above, shows property we purchased in 2010. We own approximately 29 acres used by the Mexican and Texan armies in April 1836. You can help by donating to our "Save the San Jacinto Battleground Fund."



We collaborate with other conservation groups to protect sites such as a large prairie in Deer Park, Texas---untouched and resembling the terrain of the area in 1836.



We participate in archeological surveys on land within and outside of the state historic site under permits issued by the Texas Historical Commission and in partnership with TPWD and others. Once thought to be a sterile archeological site, the battleground has yielded hundreds of battle-related artifacts such as this 1835 coin, left.



We support and fund educational projects---such as the reconstruction of the faces of Mexican soldiers, above, killed at the battle from their skulls collected at the battleground by notables like John James Audubon. And, we present an annual symposium!

San Jacinto Battleground Conservancy is a nonprofit organization dedicated to protecting, preserving and securing the San Jacinto Battleground for future generations by facilitating conservation of land, artifacts, and native habitat original to the 1836 battlefield and educating the public about the history and far reaching significance of the battle for Texas Independence.

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# San Jacinto Battleground Conservancy

## BECOME A MEMBER TODAY!

Founded in 2002, the SAN JACINTO BATTLEGROUND CONSERVANCY is dedicated to the protection and conservation of the San Jacinto Battlefield---the site of the culminating military event of the Texas Revolution fought on April 20 and April 21, 1836.

The Texas victory at San Jacinto secured independence from Mexico and led to the establishment of the Republic of Texas, and ultimately led to the annexation of Texas to the United States. The battlefield is one of the most important, but underappreciated historic sites in the state. Texas Parks and Wildlife Department manages the San Jacinto Battleground State Historic Site consisting of approximately 1,200 acres. Recent archival and archeological research shows that the battlefield's boundaries should also include additional land surrounding the State Historic Site.

In 2010, the San Jacinto Battleground was listed by Preservation Texas as one of the state's "Most Endangered Places" because of continuing threats of industrial encroachment and incompatible development. The San Jacinto Battleground Conservancy is the only non-profit whose mission is solely dedicated to protecting and conserving the battleground.

Please show your support of this historic and sacred ground by becoming a member today!

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## I want to become a member of the San Jacinto Battleground Conservancy!

Individual \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$30.00      Family (2 adults & up to 4 children or grandchildren) \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 50.00

I want to donate to **Save the San Jacinto Battleground Fund!** \_\_\_\_\_ Send me more information.

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