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MEDIA ADVISORY

Commissioner George P. Bush and GLO Staff to Teach Live-Streamed Texas History Class

Lesson on "Opportunity in Texas" uses primary resources from GLO archives

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AUSTIN — Commissioner George P. Bush will teach a live Texas history class, "Opportunity in Texas: Land and Its Legacy in Texas History," on Thurs., Oct. 29 at 2 p.m.

The class will be co-taught with K-12 Outreach Coordinator Buck Cole and livestreamed from the Texas General Land Office (GLO) via YouTube.

Using documents found in the GLO Archives, the lesson discusses how substantial land grants influenced settlers to undertake a long and perilous journey and move to Texas during the early 1800s.

Texas teachers and students will be invited to ask questions about the lesson and the GLO Archives on Twitter before and during the live class using #SaveTXHistory.

WHAT: Opportunity in Texas: Land and Its Legacy in Texas History

WHO: Hosted by Commissioner George P. Bush and K-12 Education Outreach

Coordinator Buck Cole

WHERE: Live-streamed on YouTube WHEN: Thursday, October 29 at 2 p.m.

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