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Volunteer Opportunities at Texas Heritage Music Foundation

KERRVILLE, Texas—The Texas Heritage Music Foundation announces exciting volunteer opportunities in its 20th year of celebrating Texas music and heritage.

The tradition of storytelling in both song and spoken word is a powerful educational tool, and THMF is committed to the belief that stories and songs are a vital part of both school and life curriculum. To help fulfill its mission of education, THMF is seeking a volunteer to coordinate and administer our In-School Performer Program. The ISPP coordinator would be responsible for contacting area elementary and middle schools, contacting musicians/performers, scheduling two school performances per month, issuing checks to performers, following up on performances, maintaining school and performer files, and assisting the executive director of THMF to ensure that the program runs smoothly.

Because THMF would not be able to accomplish all that it does without its members, the foundation is seeking a volunteer to serve as membership coordinator. The membership coordinator would be responsible for cleaning out and updating electronic membership files in an Access database, contacting members periodically by mail and phone to update member information or to provide event information to members, and assisting the executive director of THMF to ensure that the members feel involved and well-informed.

If you are interested in making a difference and enjoy involvement with caring, creative people, please contact Kathleen Hudson, executive director of Texas Heritage Music Foundation, at kat@maverickbbs.com.

Founded in July 1987, Texas Heritage Music Foundation seeks to preserve and perpetuate the traditions of Texas music, to examine the background of Texas music, to trace influences and patterns in Texas music, to document the role Texas music has played in society, and to provide free educational programming to the Texas community. THFM produces community education events and outreach programs each year to promote Texas heritage, history, education and family values, as well as working with at-risk youth in summer arts programs.