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OPTIONS FOR CONFEDERATE MONUMENTS

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Purpose

- Identify options for
 - Robert E. Lee sculpture
 - Confederate Monument
 - Fair Park



Confederate Monuments and Memorials in Dallas





Frank Teich, *Confederate Monument*, 1896-97

Alexander Phimister Proctor, Robert E. Lee and the Confederate Soldier, 1936

Robert E. Lee Sculpture



Relocate to

- Museum
- Historic Civil War Battlefield or Civil War National Park
- Private Property

Sell

- Artist's Foundation
- Heirs
- Original Donor
- Locations listed above
- Auction through Fine Art Auction Firm

Long-term Loan

Retain in situ and re-contextualize with signage

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Fair Park



Retain in situ and re-contextualize with signage, printed material, digital site.

BACKGROUND

Confederate Monuments and Memorials in Dallas

| Title of Work | Artist | Date | Location | Information |
|--|-------------------------|---------|--|--|
| Confederate Monument | Frank Teich | 1896-97 | Pioneer Cemetery, Young Street | Donated by the Daughters of the Confederacy Has Dallas Landmark Status |
| Robert E. Lee and the Confederate Soldier | Alexander P. Proctor | 1936 | Lee Park, 3400 Turtle Creek Blvd | Donated by the Southern Memorial Association On Park Property |

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Artwork at Fair Park is under Dallas Landmark, State of Texas Landmark and National Historic Landmark Protection

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| Female Figure as the Confederacy | Laurence Tenney Stevens | 1936 | Fair Park, Esplanade | One of six figures depicting Texas History |
| Roundel depicting the Confederate Flag with 7 stars | Not known | 1936 | Fair Park, Esplanade | One of six roundels depicting the flags of Texas History |
| Great Seal of Texas | Joseph Renie | 1936 | Hall of State, Far end of the Great Hall | Female figures representing the six historic republics of Texas |
| History of Texas Mural | Eugene Savage, Reveau Basseit, James Buchanan Winn | 1936 | Hall of State, Great Hall | Each of the six flags of Texas is included in the mural |
| Bronze Lanterns | Not known | 1936 | Hall of State, Entrance | Figures of soldiers representing the 6 historic republics of Texas |



Laurence Tenney Stevens, *The Confederacy*, 1936



Confederate Roundel, 1936

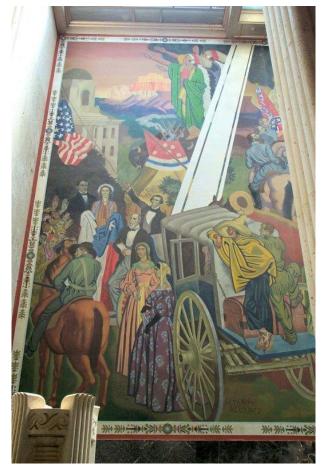




Detail of the Confederacy figure -right

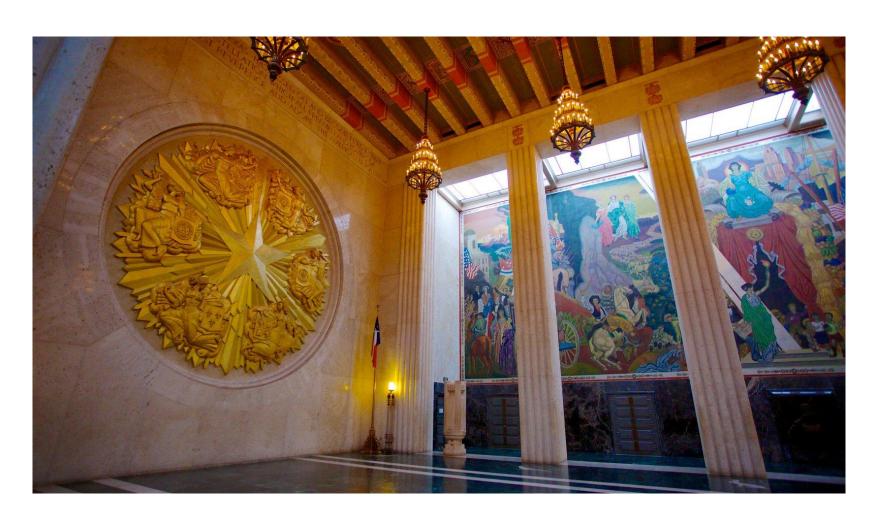






Detail of the State of Texas History Mural with flags

Texas History Mural in the Great Hall



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