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## Night Heron Media Resumes Houston Arts and Media Projects

Houston-based non-profit Night Heron Media is ecstatic to announce that they are resuming active work on projects previously started by longtime local non-profit Houston Arts and Media. NHM President Mike Vance ran HAM throughout its existence, and he is now able to include the many projects begun under that successful non-profit in Night Heron's portfolio.

One of the notable projects that headline the list is the award-winning *Birth of Texas Series* of documentaries that ran on multiple Texas PBS stations and have been used in more than 80 school districts across the state. Seven of the planned eight feature films in the series were completed by HAM, and the final title in the series, *Austin and the Republic*, is now planned for completion by NHM.

Another marquee documentary is *Home Front: Texas in WWII*. Broken into multiple titles, the films will look at every aspect of what was happening in the Lone Star State during the war and how some Texans contributed to the war effort elsewhere. Many of the activities during WWII laid the groundwork for our modern state.

Under the Night Heron banner, Vance continues as the producer/writer/director of all videos, and they will still be edited by Lone Star Emmy-winning television editor Tim Godwin who did all of the *Birth of Texas Series* movies. The same all-star roster of Texas academic historians and history writers will continue to ensure that all of NHM's videos and books contain compelling Texas stories that are accurate and well-rounded.

Night Heron Media is a 501c3 non-profit organization. They are accepting donations and memberships with all funds supporting their work in educating Texans about the state's culture, history, arts and lifestyle.

For more information about the *Birth of Texas Series* or *Home Front: Texas in WWII*, contact Creative Director Mike Vance at [pccowboy@swbell.net](mailto:pccowboy@swbell.net)

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