

Oral History Short Story Acceptance Process

In keeping with the Williamson County Historical Commission's (WCHC) purpose of gathering, preserving and sharing Williamson County historical information, WCHC will accept and post short stories presented in WCHC-sponsored or approved oral history activities and those sponsored by museums located within Williamson County.

Short stories deal with specific events or individuals in Williamson County history and must meet the same criteria as the interviews conducted by WCHC members of an individual's life, including completed release forms and photos of presenters. (Reference: WCHC Oral History Handbook – copies can be found at the Williamson Museum and on line at wilcohistory.org/about-us.)

Short stories should first be submitted to and screened by the WCHC Oral History Committee. The Committee will then circulate the stories through the full Commission for final approval.

Every effort should be made by the submitter to present accurate information. In the event that after posting the story, contradictory information surfaces, the Oral History Committee will either post corrections or remove the story, as appropriate.