Harris County Historical Commission

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Marker # 00119 **Year** 1937 **Inventoried BY** Jim Fisher / Louis L **Date Last Inventory** 5/3/2008

Marker TYPE D.R.T. granite **Inventory Notes** State erected marker near bayou, SW of DeZavala Plaza

Marker Description **Where Santa Anna Surrendered to Houston, Site of**

Marker SIZE D.R.T. granite **Key Map Coordinates** 499 P **Location Address**

Dedication Date **Condition of Marke** Good San Jacinto Battleground Park

Notes

D.R.T. Marker No. 20 of 20; Louis Lenz Inventory # 13 of 71; approved by San Jacinto Chapter of Daughters of the Republic; on reverse side of stone is an etched scene of the surrender of Santa Anna, per painting by Huddle; monument in DeZavala Plaza area; NOTE per David Pomeroy: the original DRT marker #20 was replaced by the state as part of the 1937 monument landscaping project, the original marker was to be refaced & was removed, the disposition of the original DRT #20 marker is unknown, that marker is missing

Location City La Porte **Zip** 77571

GPS Latitude 29 45.213 **GPS Longitude** 95 05.456

DB Ref. # 9805 Historic Site **Parking** Street

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Marker Text

Beneath an oak tree that grew on this site General Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna, President and Dictator of the Republic of Mexico, was brought a captive April 22, 1836, before General Sam Houston, Commander-in-chief of the Army of Texas, who had been painfully wounded on the day previous in the Battle of San Jacinto. Know to have been among the captors of Santa Anna were James Austin Sylvester, Joel Walter Robison, Joseph D. Vermillion, Alfred H. Miles, David Cole.

Marker Sponsor: ***Marker Mentor:*** ***Marker Research:***

Marker Narrative:

Directions: SW of DeZavala plaza Sun-dial area near bayou

Date Created: *Sunday, March 22, 2009*