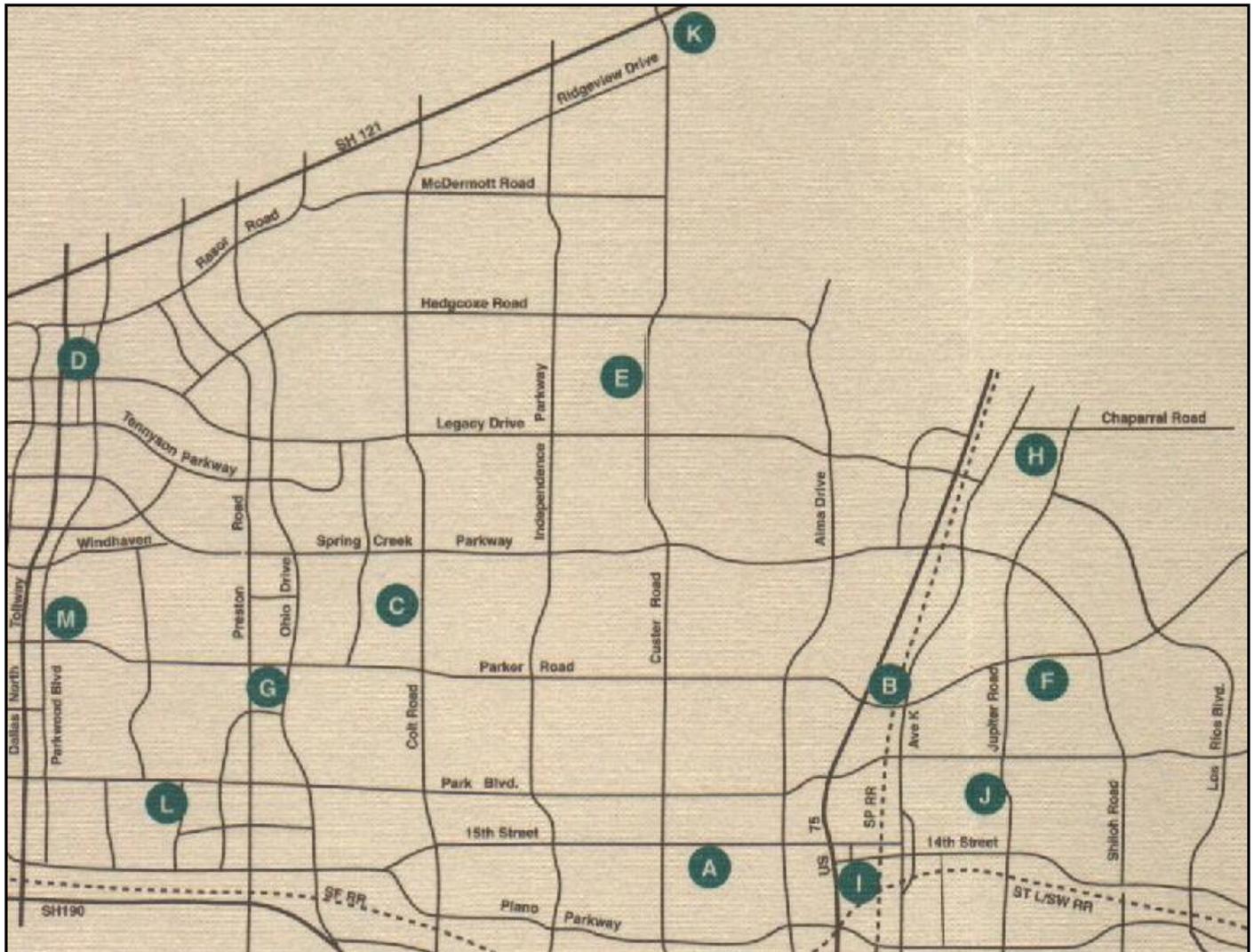


OTHER HISTORIC POINTS OF INTEREST IN PLANO

This document is designed as a supplement to the Historic Plano Walking Tour. It is a guide for visiting other historic points of interest in Plano.



A. Heritage Farmstead Museum
15th Street at Pitman Drive

This four-acre museum preserves a way of life during the height of farm prosperity in the early 1900s. The beautiful Folk Victorian home and 12 outbuildings were the hub of a 360-acre farm operated by a colorful local resident, Ammie Wilson. The museum is open to the public and guided tours are available.

B. Skaggs General Store
US 75 north of Parker Road

This building was originally built as a gas station/general store during the 1930s and was located on Avenue K. In 1989, the Haggard family acquired the building and moved it to Fairview Farms Marketplace. The building was fully restored and reopened in January, 1990, as an antique shop and general store. The Fairview Farms area combines a mixture of historic features with a farmer's market.

C. Wells Homestead
3921 Coit Road

This home has remained in the Wells family since it was built in 1893. It was restored in 1990s and today houses a favorite Plano restaurant.

Historic Plano Cemeteries

Several cemeteries in the Plano area have gravesites dating back to the 1840's. The following is a list of some of the historic cemeteries in Plano.

D. Baccus Cemetery

Located at the northwest corner of Bishop Road and Legacy Drive.

Also known as the "Cook Cemetery", this cemetery has the oldest marked gravesite (January, 1847) in Plano.

E. Bethany Cemetery

Located at the northwest corner of Custer and Clothes Road.

F. Bowman Cemetery

Located in the 2700 block of Oak Grove Drive (enter from the alley).

G. Collinsworth Graves

Located southeast of Parker Road at Preston Road.

Thirty people of the same family died of smallpox in 1895 and were buried there.

H. Leach-Thomas Cemetery

Located southwest of Chaparral Road at Jupiter Road.

I. Old City Cemetery

Located in the 1100 block of Avenue H.

Also called the "Pioneer Cemetery", many of Plano's first families were buried here.

J. Plano Mutual Cemetery

Located at the northwest corner of 18th Street and Jupiter Road.

This site includes the "Forman Cemetery". This cemetery also contains graves of prominent early families. For more information, contact 972-424-4511.

K. Rowlett Creek Cemetery

Located on Custer Road, south of S.H. 121.

The Old Settlers Reunion was held here until 1910. This is the largest of the rural cemeteries.

L. Shepard Ranch Graves

Located on Park Boulevard, one miles west of Preston Road.

Family records indicate many burials on Shepard land (including that of a horse thief who was hanged), but there are only three marked gravesites.

M. Young Cemetery

Located south of Yeary Road.

This cemetery contains the second oldest marked gravesite (February, 1847) in Plano.