The State of Texas
County of Wharton

Know all men by these presents that I Mentor Northington of said county do by this act nominate, constitute and appoint Frank Giraud of Austin my true and lawful attorney for me and in my place and stead to demand and receive from the State of Texas all such sums of money as are due and coming to me from the late Republic of Texas for Military services rendered, or on any other account whatever, And I empower him for me to sign and execute all necessary receipts and acquitances. Hereby ratifying all the acts of my said attorney in the premises

Done under my hand & seal this 4th day of June AD 1859. in presence of witnesses

Geo Giraud

Mentor Northington