Bonham Nov 17th 1853

Mr W. M. Williams

Dr Sir

Enclosed please find power of attorney which will sufficiently explain itself — The last mentioned claim if any other proof is required you will please apply or send to James Bourland as he is familiar and cognizant of my service

By attending to this business at the earliest possible period you will greatly oblige your friend &c

David Waggoner

P.S. The first mentioned claim against the Republic of Texas