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**31st Biennial Convention**  
**October 19-21, 2017**  
**Dallas, Texas**

Click [here](#) for Convention details

## *Save the Dates*

### **DCCRW General Program Meetings**

- Tuesday, October 3, 2017  
at DCRP HQ, 9:30 am coffee, 10:00 am program (TBA)
- Tuesday, November 14, 2017  
(2nd Tuesday due to Election Day on Nov. 7)

*More details coming soon!*

- Congratulations to Jody, Ruston, new NFRW President
- Redesigned website
- Get the NFRW app FREE
- NFRW Video
- [News from Republican Party of Texas](#)
- Webinars:
  - “Update on Progress as the Legislature Draws to a Close”
- Online Resource for the 85th Legislature

## Important Events

*Save the Date!*

**October 10 DCCRW Meeting**

**October 16** DCRP Exec. Cmte. Mtg

**October 19-21** TFRW Convention

**November 7** Constitutional and Joint Election

**November 14 DCCRW Meeting**

**November 20** DCRP Exec. Cmte. Mtg

**December 11** Filing deadline for candidates and filing deadline independent candidates to file declaration of intent

## 2018

**February 17** DCRP Reagan Day Dinner

**March 6** Primary Election



## Republican Women's Clubs in Dallas County

*Click [here](#) for more information on Republican Women's Clubs*

Coppell RW  
[www.coppellrepublicanwomen.com](http://www.coppellrepublicanwomen.com)

Dallas Downtown RW  
[www.ddrwc.net](http://www.ddrwc.net)

Dallas Star RW

First Ladies RW

First RW  
[www.dallas-republican-women.com](http://www.dallas-republican-women.com)

Irving RW  
[www.republican-women-irving.com](http://www.republican-women-irving.com)

Lake Highlands RW  
[www.lakehighlandsrw.org](http://www.lakehighlandsrw.org)

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**Please forward this email to your Republican friends and other like-minded women!**

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## President's Message

### Texas Strong – TFRW Strong

Texas is known for extreme weather. While the summer of 2017 will not be characterized by searing high temperatures, it will be known for Harvey – the CAT 4 hurricane that hit the Texas Gulf Coast on August 25<sup>th</sup>. The hurricane winds battered Rockport and Corpus Christi initially, but the real beating came to the gulf region in the form of relentless rainfall at 1,000 year flood proportions. The loss of life will be far less but Harvey has eclipsed Katrina in terms of property loss.

In true Texas fashion, the response to the victims of Harvey has been extreme as well. Support has rapidly flowed to the region in many forms – from needed supplies, reinforcements for first responders to ordinary people showing up in their monster trucks and flat bottom boats to rush in and rescue families from rising waters. Heroes, all of them. Governor Abbott engaged the state and national guards as President Trump gave a disaster declaration allowing resources to flow through FEMA to assist the tens of thousands of people who are now homeless.

Here in North Texas shelters have opened and the people have overwhelmed the relief organizations with donations of needed items. Some will be used with evacuees here now and the rest is being loaded to trucks for transport down to the affected region that expanded to the Beaumont area and into Louisiana after Harvey doubled back on us.

Help will be needed for a long time to come. TFRW is receiving gift cards to distribute to victims for immediate use as they begin the daunting task of removing the debris that was once their home and rebuilding. Consider purchasing a gift card – in any amount – from Home Depot, Lowe's, Walmart, Target and sending to TFRW for distribution. Mail them to TFRW, 13740 N. Highway 183, Suite J4, Austin, TX 78750-1832. Every little bit helps.

Mesquite RW  
[www.mesquite-republicanwomen.com](http://www.mesquite-republicanwomen.com)

Northwood RW  
[www.northwood-republicanwomen.com](http://www.northwood-republicanwomen.com)

Park Cities RW  
[www.parkcities-republicanwomen.org](http://www.parkcities-republicanwomen.org)

Preston West RW  
[www.prestonwest-republicanwomen.org](http://www.prestonwest-republicanwomen.org)

Richardson RW  
<http://rrwpac.com/>

*Members of Local Republican Women's Clubs are also members of the Dallas County Council of Republican Women, the Texas Federation of Republican Women and the National Federation of Republican Women. We invite You to join us!*

TFRW  
[www.tfrw.org](http://www.tfrw.org)

NFRW  
[www.nfrw.org](http://www.nfrw.org)

Republican Party of Texas  
[www.texasgop.org](http://www.texasgop.org)

Dallas County Republican Party  
<http://dallasgop.org>

#### DCCRW Officers and Board Members

*Click the + to the right of the name to send an email*

#### President

Annette Ratliff +  
Lake Highlands RW

#### 1st Vice President

Deborah Guerriero +  
First Republican Women

#### Secretary

Gail Capps +  
Park Cities RW

#### Treasurer/PAC

Susan Fountain +  
Lake Highlands RW

#### Programs

Tina Yampanis +  
Preston West RW

#### Communications

Betty Dawson +  
Dallas Downtown RW

#### Membership

Kerry Gaines +  
Richardson RW

And just like that, it's time to ramp up for the 2018 primary – our work is NEVER done!

#TexasStrong #TFRWstrong

May God bless you all -

*Annette Ratliff*

President

DCCRW



## News from DCCRW

DCCRW resumed their programs with an evening meeting and light supper on September 5th. The program was a very interesting discussion of cybercrime and the FBI's response by Allyn Lynd, the Laboratory Director of the FBI's North Texas Regional Computer Forensics Laboratory.



*Friend Us!* Join the DCCRW Friends program! An application is available on our Friends Page [here](#). You may use PayPal on the page also.

Friends receive invitations to special Friends Only events several times during the year!

The most recent Friends event was in July at the home of Carrie Austin. TFRW Board Member Debra Coffey spoke on her fifty-year journey to give her father, an American Hero, a proper burial after he was killed in action in Vietnam.



Another special Friends Event is being planned for the fall.

Friends also receive complimentary reservations to the Christmas Tea.

### Legislative

Carey Austin +  
Northwood RW

### Historian

Jeanne O'Neill +  
First RW

### Hospitality

Elizabeth Degelia +  
Mesquite RW

### Community Involvement

Kit Whitehill +  
Coppell RW

### Special Projects

Cindy Clendenen +  
Park Cities RW

### Fundraising/Friends

Diane Dees +  
Richardson RW

### Publicity

Deborah Brown +  
Lake Highlands RW

### Parliamentarian

Mary McElvany +  
Northwood RW

Nancy Natinsky +  
Northwood RW

### Immediate Past President

Vicki Goode +  
Preston West RW

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Click [here](#) to submit information or pictures for this Newsletter or for the DCCRW website.  
This Newsletter will come out about the last Tuesday of the month.  
The deadline for submitting information is the Friday prior to the last Tuesday.



**Friends of DCCRW**

[Click here](#) to find out more about DCCRW's



## Legislative Update

*with thanks to Diane Boss, Senator Van Taylor's office*

### **Proposition 1 (HJR 21)** [TLO Link](#)

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for an exemption from ad valorem taxation of part of the market value of the residence homestead of a partially disabled veteran or the surviving spouse of a partially disabled veteran if the residence homestead was donated to the disabled veteran by a charitable organization for less than the market value of the residence homestead and harmonizing certain related provisions of the Texas Constitution."

### **Proposition 2 (SJR 60)** [TLO Link](#)

"The constitutional amendment to establish a lower amount for expenses that can be charged to a borrower and removing certain financing expense limitations for a home equity loan, establishing certain authorized lenders to make a home equity loan, changing certain options for the refinancing of home equity loans, changing the threshold for an advance of a home equity line of credit, and allowing home equity loans on agricultural homesteads."

### **Proposition 3 (SJR 34)** [TLO Link](#)

"The constitutional amendment limiting the service of certain officeholders appointed by the governor and confirmed by the senate after the expiration of the person's term of office."

### **Proposition 4 (SJR 6)** [TLO Link](#)

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to require a court to provide notice to the attorney general of a challenge to the constitutionality of a state statute and authorizing the legislature to prescribe a waiting period before the court may enter a judgment holding the statute unconstitutional."

### **Proposition 5 (HJR 100)** [TLO Link](#)

"The constitutional amendment on professional sports team charitable foundations conducting charitable raffles."

### **Proposition 6 (SJR 1)** [TLO Link](#)

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for an exemption from ad valorem taxation of all or part of the market value of the residence homestead of the surviving spouse of a first responder who is killed or fatally injured in the line of duty "

## Friends Program.

Join the Friends! An application is [here!](#)

- **Dot Adler**,  
Dallas Downtown RW
- **Poppy Airhart**,  
Mesquite RW
- **Elaine Ashburn**  
Richardson RW
- **Carrie Austin**  
Northwood RW
- **Linda Bauer**,  
Lake highlands RW
- **Rep. Cindy Burkett**  
HD 113
- **Gail Capps**  
Park Cities RW
- **Cindy Clendenen**,  
Park Cities RW
- **Deborah Coffey**  
TFRW Board
- **Susan Cumby**,  
Mesquite RW
- **Betty Dawson**,  
Dallas Downtown RW
- **Diane Dees**,  
Richardson RW
- **Elizabeth Degelia**  
Mesquite RW
- **Susan Falvo**  
White Rock RW
- **Susan Fischer**,  
Richardson RW
- **Barbara Foreman**,  
Preston West RW
- **Susan Fountain**  
Lake Highlands RW
- **Kerry Gaines**,  
Richardson RW
- **Taffy Goldsmith**,  
First Republican Women
- **Vicki Goode**,  
Preston West RW
- **Deborah Guerriero**  
First Republican Women
- **Cathy Gump**,  
Park Cities RW
- **Glee Huebner**,  
Lake Highlands RW
- **Sen. Don Huffines**  
SD 16
- **Wanda King**,  
Mesquite RW
- **Carolyn Kobey**  
Richardson RW
- **Peggy Lundy**  
Park Cities RW
- **Betty Marquis**,  
Park Cities RW
- **Mary McElvany**,  
Northwood RW
- **Pam Meyercord**,  
Northwood RW
- **Tincy Miller**  
  
Park Cities RW
- **Richard Morgan**
- **Jeannee O'Neill**  
First Republican Women
- **Dee Phelps**,  
Preston West RW
- **Rebecca Pratt**

fatally injured in the line of duty.

## Proposition 7 (HJR 37) TLO Link

"The constitutional amendment relating to legislative authority to permit credit unions and other financial institutions to award prizes by lot to promote savings."



## News from Local Clubs

Club Meetings:

- **Richardson RW** will meet Tuesday, Sept. 19, at 6:30 - 9:00pm, at International Chem-Crete Corp, 800 Security Row, Richardson. Come play Political Bingo!
- **Park Cities RW** will meet Tues, **Sept. 19** at 6:00pm at Museum of Biblical Arts, 7500 Park Lane, Dallas. Spkr: Col. Allen West. <http://parkcitiesrepublicanwomen.org/>
- **Northwood RW** will meet Monday, **Sept 25**, at 9:30am at Fretz Park Rec. Center (corner of Belt Line and Hillcrest). Spkr: Maura Schrier-Fleming will speak on "How To Talk To a Democrat Without Losing Your Cool." [www.northwoodrepublicanwomen.com](http://www.northwoodrepublicanwomen.com)
- **Preston West RW Membership Drive and Picnic** will be Saturday, Sept. 27, 9:30am - 12:30pm at Farmers Branch Historical Park, 2540 Farmers Branch Lane. Spkr: Wade Miller, political director for Sen. Ted Cruz will speak, then Q&A. Picnic will follow.

## October

- **Dallas Downtown RW** will meet Tuesday, **Oct 10**, 6:30pm at DCRP HQ, Spkr: Rep. Linda Koop. [www.ddrwc.org](http://www.ddrwc.org)
- **Park Cities RW** will NOT meet in October. Members will be attending the TFRW Convention. <http://parkcitiesrepublicanwomen.org/>
- **Preston West RW** will meet Thursday, **Oct. 26**, 9:30am - 12:30pm at Farmers Branch Rec. Center, 14050 Heartside Place, Farmers Branch. Spkr: Rep. Jason Villalba. <http://www.prestonwestrepublicanwomen.com>

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*For more information on all the Republican Women's Clubs in Dallas County see [www.dccrw.org/local\\_clubs.html](http://www.dccrw.org/local_clubs.html)*



## From the Dallas County Republican Party

Precinct Chair Filing for the 2018-2020 term

- Lake Highlands RW
- **Annette Ratliff**,  
Lake Highlands RW
- **Catherine Riddle**  
Richardson RW
- **Catherine Tolliver**  
Richardson RW
- **Kit Whitehill**  
Coppell RW
- **Tina Yampanis**  
Preston West RW



## Our Republican Officials

### Texas Senators

#### **John Cornyn**,

5001 Spring Valley Rd, Ste 1125 E, Dallas, 75244 ,  
972-239-1310 or 202-224-2934, [www.cornyn.senate.gov/public/](http://www.cornyn.senate.gov/public/)

#### **Ted Cruz**,

Lee Park Tower II, 3626 N. Hall St., Ste 410, Dallas, TX 75219,  
214- 599-8749 or 202-224-5922,  
[www.cruz.senate.gov/](http://www.cruz.senate.gov/)

### Dallas County Republican Congressmen

**Jeb Hensarling** (Dist 5),  
6510 Abrams Rd, Ste 243, Dallas, 75231,  
214-349-9996 or 202-225 3484,  
<http://hensarling.house.gov/>

**Kenny Marchant** (Dist 24),  
9901 E. Valley Ranch Pkwy., Ste. 2060, Irving, 75063,  
972.556.0162 or 202.225.6605  
<http://marchant.house.gov/>

**Pete Sessions** (Dist 32)  
Park Central VII, 12750 Merit Drive, Suite 1434, Dallas, 75251,  
972-392-0505 or 202-225-2231  
<https://sessions.house.gov/index.cfm/home>



## Our Republican State Officials

### Governor **Greg Abbott**

P.O. Box 12428, Austin, TX 78711  
512.463.2000  
<http://gov.texas.gov/>

### Lt Governor **Dan Patrick**

P.O. Box 12068, Austin, TX 78711  
512.463.0001  
[www.ltgov.state.tx.us/](http://www.ltgov.state.tx.us/)

### Attorney General

Precinct Chair Training for the 2018-2020 term opened September 12 and continues to December 11, 2017. The form is [here](#). It must be notarized and returned to the DCRP Office. There will be a Notary present at DCRP Executive Committee meetings and at the DCRP office.

There are still openings for Precinct Chairs. See <http://dallasgop.org> for details and openings.

Executive Committee Meetings are scheduled for Mondays

September 18, 2017

October 16, 2017

November 20, 2017

Aaron Harris from Direct Action Texas will be the guest speaker at the September meeting, which will be at the Best Western Plus Hotel and Conference Center, 8051 LBJ Fwy, Dallas 75251 (Coit and I-635). Check in begins at 6:30pm.

### **DCRP Candidates Calendar**

DCRP is setting up a calendar for Candidates' events which will allow all 2018 Republican candidates to submit events.



## News from TFRW



## 31st Biennial Convention October 19-21, 2017 Dallas, Texas

From the President's Newsletter, September, 2017

*from Pam Meyercord, PRP - TFRW Parliamentarian*

### **Understanding Convention**

Convention meetings are a little different from the regular meetings we are accustomed to attending. If this is your first convention, some things may be slightly confusing. Here is some information that may help

**Attorney General**

**Ken Paxton**

P.O. Box 12548, Austin, TX 78711  
512.463.2191  
[www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/](http://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/)

**Comptroller of Public Accounts**

**Glenn Hegar**

P.O. Box 13528, Austin, TX 78774  
512.463.4000  
<http://comptroller.texas.gov/>

**Com. of General Land Office**

**George P. Bush**

P.O. Box 12873, Austin, TX 78711  
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<http://www.glo.texas.gov/>

**Com. of Agriculture**

**Sid Miller**

P.O. Box 12847, Austin, TX 78711  
512.463.4578  
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**Com. David Porter**

P.O. Drawer 12967 Austin, TX 78711  
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<http://www.rrc.texas.gov/>

**Supreme Ct of TX**

**Nathan L. Hecht, Chief Justice**

**Paul W. Green**

**Phil Johnson**

**Don R. Willett**

**Eva M. Guzman**

**Debra H. Lehrman**

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**John P. Devine**

**Jeffrey V. Brown**

P.O. Box 12248 Austin, TX 78711  
512.463.1312  
[www.txcourts.gov/supreme/](http://www.txcourts.gov/supreme/)

**Ct of Criminal Appeals**

**Sharon Keller, Presiding Judge**

**Lawrence E. Meyers**

**Cheryl Johnson**

**Michael E. Keasler**

**Barbara Hervey**

**Elsa Alcala**

**Bert Richardson**

**Kevin P. Yeary**

**David Newell**

P.O. Box 12308 Austin, TX 78711  
512.463.1551  
[www.txcourts.gov/ccca/](http://www.txcourts.gov/ccca/)

**Texas State Republican Senators**

**Bob Hall (SD 2)**

Alliance Bldg #2, 6537 Horizon Rd, Ste B-1, Rockwall, 75032,  
972-722-3131 or 512-463-0102,  
[www.hall.senate.state.tx.us/](http://www.hall.senate.state.tx.us/)

**Van Taylor (SD 8)**

6301 Preston Rd, Ste 700, Plano, 75024,  
972-398-9416 or 512-463-0108

confusing. Here is some information that may help.

- The business of TFRW takes place in the General Sessions.
- Quorum is the number of delegates required in order to conduct business. For convention, the quorum is a majority of the registered delegates.
- At the beginning of the General Session, before any business can be conducted, a quorum will be established.
- Once there is a quorum, the Convention Rules, which will be printed in the program, will be adopted.
- Then the agenda or program will be adopted.
- At that point, the official business of TFRW commences. There may be ceremonies and many guest speakers at the beginning, but the business meeting itself does not begin until quorum is established, the Convention Rules are adopted, and the program is adopted.
- Note that only delegates may participate in the business of the meeting. Only delegates may speak at the microphones, make motions and vote.
- Reminder - your convention badge is very important. Wear it at all times.

Come to the TFRW Convention ready to participate in the business of our important association and to be inspired and renewed. You'll be glad you came.

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**Announcing the Slate of Officers 2018-2019**

Delegates to the 31st Biennial Convention will elect TFRW's officers for the 2018-2019 term. In accordance with the TFRW Bylaws [Article XI], the 2017 Nominating Committee, elected by the TFRW Board of Directors, has unanimously nominated the following Slate of Officers to serve the Texas Federation of Republican Women for the 2018-2019 term.

- Karen C Newton, Alamo Heights, RW, President

[www.senate.state.tx.us/75r/Senate/members/dist8/dist8.htm](http://www.senate.state.tx.us/75r/Senate/members/dist8/dist8.htm)

**Kelly Hancock (SD 9)**

9121 Belshire Dr, Ste 200, North Richland Hills, 76182,  
817-514-3804 or 512-463-0109

[www.senate.state.tx.us/75r/Senate/members/dist9/dist9.htm](http://www.senate.state.tx.us/75r/Senate/members/dist9/dist9.htm)

**Don Huffines, (SD 16)**

8222 Douglas Av, Ste 675, Dallas, 75225,  
214-239-6131 or 512-463-0116

[www.senate.state.tx.us/75r/Senate/members/dist16/dist16.htm](http://www.senate.state.tx.us/75r/Senate/members/dist16/dist16.htm)

**Texas State Republican Representatives**

**Linda Koop (HD 102)**

300 North Coit Rd, Ste 330, Richardson, 75080,  
512-463-0454,

[www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=102](http://www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=102)

**Rodney Anderson (HD 105)**

800 W Airport Fwy, Ste 1100, Irving, 75062,  
469-713-6581 or 512-463-0641,

[www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=105](http://www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=105)

**Morgan Meyer (HD 108)**

P.O. Box 2910, Austin, 78768,  
512-463-0367

[www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=108](http://www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=108)

**Angie Chen Button (HD 112)**

1201 International Pkwy #130, Richardson, 75081,  
972-234-8980 or 512-463-0486

[www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=112](http://www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=112)

**Cindy Burkett (HD 113)**

3200 Broadway St, #240, Garland, 75043,  
972-278-7276 or 512-463-0464,

[www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=113](http://www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=113)

**Jason Villalba (HD 114)**

10210 North Central Expwy, Suite 220, Dallas, 75231,  
214-363-8700 or 512-463-0576,

[www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=114](http://www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=114)

**Matt Rinaldi (HD 115)**

P.O. Box 2910, Austin, 78768,  
512-463-0468

[www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=115](http://www.house.state.tx.us/members/member-page/?district=115)

**State Board of Education**

**Geraldine "Tincy" Miller (Dist 12)**

1100 Providence Tower West, 5001 Spring Valley Rd, Dallas,  
75244,

972-419-4000

<http://tea.texas.gov/index2.aspx?id=3721>

**Dallas County Republican Officials**

**Faith Johnson, District Attorney**

Frank Crowley Courts Building - 133 N. Riverfront Blvd, LB 19,  
Dallas, 75207,

214-653-3600

[www.dallascounty.org/department/da/da\\_index.php/](http://www.dallascounty.org/department/da/da_index.php/)

**Mike Cantrell, Commissioner, Pct 2,**

1701 N. Collins Blvd, Ste 1000 Richardson, 75080,  
(214) 589-7060,

[www.dallascounty.org/department/comcrt/district2/cantrell.php](http://www.dallascounty.org/department/comcrt/district2/cantrell.php)

**Brian Hutcheson, Justice of the Peace, 2-1**

140 N. Garland Av, Garland, 75040,  
214-643-477,

[www.dallascounty.org/department/jpcourts/jpcourts\\_intro.php](http://www.dallascounty.org/department/jpcourts/jpcourts_intro.php)

**Bill Metzger, Justice of the Peace, 2-2,**

823 N. Galloway Av, Mesquite, 75149,  
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- Karen C Newton, Alamo Heights RW, President
- Glynis Chester, RW of Greater North Texas- First Vice President
- Becky Berger, RW of Yoakum- Vice President Finance
- Linda Hagler, Central Texas RW- Vice President Programs
- Diane Haddock, Cowtown RW- Vice President Bylaws
- Julie Faubel, Lake Conroe Area RW- Vice President Legislation
- Marie Maggio, Golden Triangle RW- Secretary
- Michele Samuelson, Northwest Austin RW- VP Campaign Activities
- Rhonda Lacy, Midland Co. RW- Vice President Membership
- Cindy Barber Payne, Bulverde Area RW- Treasurer

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*from Tina Gibson, VP-Bylaws*

**TFRW Bylaws Amendment Submissions for 2018**

**Amendment #1**

Add to:

Article III - Policy

Section 6. Delivery of Records

All officers and all committee chairmen and vice chairmen shall deliver all records, files, passwords, social media administrative rights, and properties of the club to their successor before December 31 of the year in which she is retiring from office, or within 3 days of leaving the position if earlier than December 31, unless otherwise directed by the club President or Executive Committee. Failure to meet the deadlines may result in the termination of her membership by the club.

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**TFRW's 2016-2017 Leadership Handbook  
Guarantees Success!**

TFRW's 2016-2017 Handbook is ready and waiting for you to read. Updated, insightful, informative, and in a new format, this handbook is your key to success, not only for you but also for your officers and committee



972-288-8729

[www.dallascounty.org/department/jpcourts/jpcourts\\_intro.php](http://www.dallascounty.org/department/jpcourts/jpcourts_intro.php)

**Al Cercone**, Justice of the Peace, 3-1,  
10056 Marsh Ln, Dallas, 75229,  
214-321-4106

[www.dallascounty.org/department/jpcourts/jpcourts\\_intro.php](http://www.dallascounty.org/department/jpcourts/jpcourts_intro.php)

**Steve Seider**, Justice of the Peace, 3-2,  
1411 W. Beltline Rd, Richardson, 75080,  
214-904-3042

[www.dallascounty.org/department/jpcourts/jpcourts\\_intro.php](http://www.dallascounty.org/department/jpcourts/jpcourts_intro.php)

**Ray Nichols**, Constable  
140 N. Garland Av, Garland, 75040,  
214-643-4766,

[www.dallascounty.org/department/constable/constable\\_index.php](http://www.dallascounty.org/department/constable/constable_index.php)

**Ben Adamcik**, Constable  
10056 Marsh Ln., Ste. 230, Dallas, 75229,  
214-904-3160,

[www.dallascounty.org/department/constable/constable\\_index.php](http://www.dallascounty.org/department/constable/constable_index.php)



only for you, but also for your officers and committee chairs.

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**TFRW has moved!** Their new address is  
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*The TFRW President's Newsletter is available by email to all members of federated republican women's clubs. If you are not receiving it, you can ask for it to be sent to you by contacting*  
*TFRW*



**TFRW Calendar** - This feature has been available for awhile, but may be new to you. If you would like your club meetings or special events listed in our online calendar, please contact [webmaster@tfrw.org](mailto:webmaster@tfrw.org) with the information!

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**There is a wealth of information on the TFRW website!**  
[www.tfrw.org](http://www.tfrw.org)



**News from NFRW**

***Congratulations!***



**Jody Rushton**

has been elected NFRW President  
for 2018-19  
Jody lives in Plano, Texas, and  
is the Immediate Past President of TFRW

### **September is Literacy Month**

NFRW clubs are encouraged to promote literacy in their communities. Share your project and your club could earn an award.

Click [here](#) for more information on Literacy Month and the reporting form.

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### **The National Federation of Republican Women's redesigned website is now live at [www.nfrw.org](http://www.nfrw.org).**

We invite you to take a look around! The new website delivers subtle but impactful changes, providing improved accessibility, simplified navigation and enhanced viewing on mobile devices.

NFRW members will receive a website account activation email. If you did not receive the email, please contact NFRW for assistance at [www.nfrw.org/form-member-support](http://www.nfrw.org/form-member-support).

#### **New website features include:**

- **Integrated State and Club Directory** - Our Find a Club Near You interactive directory serves as a detailed resource for prospective members looking to find and contact state federations and local clubs.
- **Centralized News Center** - Find, read and share NFRW news releases and articles, candidate profiles, publications, videos and much more.
- **Quick Links to NFRW Programs and Events**, including the 2017 Convention - Access key information about the NFRW convention in Philadelphia and other events and programs from easy to use drop-down menus.
- **Enhanced Shopping Cart** - Quickly and conveniently purchase items through the NFRW Store, join or renew as a national at-large member or Regent, and contribute to donor programs.

- **Improved Member Center** - Locate member resources in one navigation menu that is organized by subcategory for easy identification and access.

We know you will find our redesigned website informative and helpful. Comments and feedback are welcome. Many thanks for your ongoing support.

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**FREE! Get The NFRW App FREE!**



Access major NFRW links, including the website, Instagram, FB, LinkedIn, YouTube and Twitter) - all from your cell phone or iPad.

Follow Rosie and her locations on the NFRW APP. The Rosie Blog button is right there, too! Click [here](#) for a link to the App.

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**Have You Seen the New Federation Video?**

***You Have a Place at Our Table***

We are getting rave reviews on the new NFRW video, *You Have a Place at Our Table*. If you haven't had a chance to watch, you need to check it out. Then share the video on social media and show it at your club meetings to help raise the profile of the Federation and demonstrate the strength and diversity of Republican women. Links are available on the NFRW website as well as a fact sheet. Click [here](#).

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The NFRW website has a great deal of information of national interest. See [www.nfrw.org](http://www.nfrw.org).



**News from Republican Party of Texas**

*from Amy Clark, RPT Vice Chairman*

***Join Team 2020 today!***

The Republican Party of Texas stands firmly behind conservative women across the state. I know—I serve as its Vice-Chairman. As such, I have had the amazing opportunity to meet countless like-minded women across

Texas who cherish the conservative principles that are the bedrock of the RPT.

Through training and outreach, the Republican Party of Texas seeks to promote conservative women and provide them the tools and the knowledge to participate fully in the political process. We don't believe that it empowers women when the Left encourages us to become involved in politics, only to be told that we are supposed to be Democrats.

There is much work to be done, and your RPT leadership are all volunteers! We need your help today! Will you join us in our effort? Here are two immediate ways you can join the team:

1) *Mentor a young woman in your community.* Offer the resources to help her grow in her political awareness and involvement. Help her network in the business community. Provide entrepreneurship advice and assist in developing the skill set needed for success in the workplace. Encourage her to expand her reading list, and help plug her into a group of peers to discuss solutions to the pressing issues in her community and beyond. The importance of mentorship cannot be overstated.

Let us look forward to the future for the daughters of Texas. What can we do TODAY to ensure that their opportunities will be greater than ours? What heritage are we leaving for them? We must encourage, educate, and inspire them to pay attention to—and even become involved in—politics.

2) Contribute to the RPT's 2020 Fund.  
See the RPT website at [www.texasgop.org](http://www.texasgop.org)

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The Grassroots Club is the sustaining membership

The Grassroots Club is the sustaining membership organization for the Republican Party of Texas.

For \$8.25/month, or \$99/year, you can support the RPT's mission to elect Republicans at all levels of Texas government, run a fair primary and a strong state convention.

Your participation gets you special perks, like:

- Removal from all RPT fundraising calls and mail
- Inclusion in quarterly TeleTown Halls with exciting guests
- Invitations to exclusive events at the Republican State Convention.

To join or for more information, click [here](#).

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**Virginia Prodan**, SREC Committeewoman from SD 16, has written a book, ***Saving My Assassin***, from Tyndale House Publishers.

Virginia comments, "I hope and pray my book will change minds, hearts and votes of many people - as they will discern the horror of the Communist system and the consequences of living in a society without freedom to worship God.

"America is still the greatest country! As we recognize God's leadership, blessings and prosperity on US!"



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