

CAMPAIGN ACTIVITIES

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Dear fellow Republicans, as we prepare for the season of giving and holiday parties, I hope we all can remember to be thankful for the blessing that we live in the greatest and most generous country on earth, and that we must never let down our guard.

President Reagan said that freedom and democracy are always just one generation away from extinction, and we must not let it die on our watch. We just attended another biennial convention of the TFRW, and it was inspiring, as always. One of the good things we heard was that several democrats in Texas have switched to the party of freedom, the Republican party. I'm so proud of our Texas clubs, you proved that we're the BEST, with your grassroots work and your reports.

When I began the work of VP of Campaign Activities, one of my goals was for Texas to be the Million Hours State, and you did it! All those hours represent the work we do for candidates, and we're more important than ever, as we face the toughest challenge our country has ever known, the Obama/Pelosi/Reid machine.

So keep working, and please send your hours for the last 2 quarters of 2009 to me at the end of December. I will then transfer all the records to Jeanette Sterner, who will take over as VP of Campaign Activities in January 2010. From that point on, your reports will go directly to her.

During the past 2 years we held four Get Out The Vote workshops and two Campaign Management Schools. I wanted to say a special THANK YOU to the presenters who traveled with us to various parts of the state:

Mary Mayo, Beryl Dowd, Vickie Hodges, Patti Schade, Gail Suttle, Terri Flow, Terry Reid, Ross Fischer, Ash Wright, Toni Anne Dashiell, Rebecca Williamson, Karen Harris, Borah Van Dormolen, Marian Stanko.

And to the clubs which hosted us:

Kaufman Co. RW, Wise RW, Bandera RW, Nueces Co. RW, Alamo City RW, Galveston RW

So Ladies, thank you for who you are, you are all GREAT AMERICANS!