

## **BIOGRAPHY – Shirley Foster Galveston Republican Women**

**I was born to long-time Republican parents in Reading, Penn. I graduated from Elizabethtown College, Penn. and became a registered Medical Technologist for the American Society of Clinical Psychologists. I have been employed at various hospitals and clinical laboratories and I have also been the owner of knitting and needlework shops. Married to Bill Foster, a retired College Basketball Coach and Administrator, we are the parents of four daughters and grandparents of 3, with a fourth due in September.**

**In addition to Penn. I have lived in New Jersey, Utah, North Carolina, South Carolina, Illinois and Texas. I have been active in local Republican clubs and worked as an election clerk in all states. Most of my efforts have been at the local level but I was active in the gubernatorial campaigns in North and South Carolina. In addition, I have served for 6 years on the board of Galveston Island State Park and after Hurricane Ike devastated our Island and the park, I became President. Together with many volunteers, we restored the park to its original condition and I am proud to say it is up and running and open to the public again.**

**Currently I am serving as Treasurer and PAC chair of the Galveston Republican Women. My husband and I contribute financially to various Party appeals , attend rallies and participate in functions and fundraisers.**