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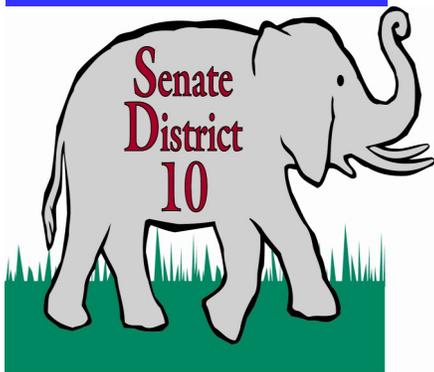
State Republican Executive Committeewoman

for Senate District 10,

Leslie Recine

1st Quarter 2010

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Senate District 10

June 8, 2010

Dear Republican Friend,

Now that the Republican Primary is behind us, it's time to work together and support our Republican nominees in November.

I encourage you to select a Republican nominee who has a Democrat challenger and volunteer on her/his campaign. The election in November is extremely important because the winners in the Legislature in 2011 will decide redistricting. Redistricting could yield four to five new Republican congressional seats in

Texas! Thank you for doing your part to help keep our local and state governments conservative.

Very Truly Yours,

A handwritten signature in red ink that reads "Leslie Recine".

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Grassroots Focus on Kaye Moreno



Kaye Moreno

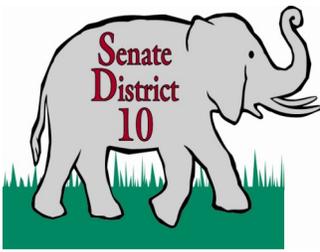
Where I grew up in small-town south Alabama, community was everything. Neighbors helping neighbors with everything from harvesting crops to stitching a quilt made from a leftover hodgepodge of fabric.

That sense of community is one of the reasons I am politically active today—I love working side by side with like-minded neighbors to preserve a brighter future for my children and someday their children.

In fact, it was a neighbor, the late Katty Aladro, who invited me to become a member of Fort Worth Republican Women in 2000. Though I was still very involved in raising my family, I have since served as a voter registrar and hospitality chair with FWRW and precinct chair and election judge in my Fort Worth neighborhood. I have even managed to work in various political campaigns and volunteer periodically at TCGOP headquarters.

At this point in my life, with just one little 17-year-old baby chick left in the nest, I am enjoying every minute of working with the most amazing group of Republican women. Their dedication, energy and enthusiasm for getting Republican candidates elected

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and lending influence to conservative issues is truly a force to be reckoned with! I am humbled by their confidence in me as president of Fort Worth Republican Women, and so very grateful for their friendship and guidance.

As a mom, I have always taught my children not to count on the many improbabilities that existed in my own life's journey. I think most people would consider it improbable that a girl born the seventh child of yellow-dog Democrat farmers in that small community in Alabama would ever end up a Republican activist in one of the most conservative counties in the state of Texas. It's a really good thing that I believe more in the power of destiny than I do in probability.

Remember the commercial phrase, "It's not your father's Oldsmobile"? Well, today's Democrat Party is certainly not my father's Party. My parents, Clarence and Julia McCord—who already had two grandchildren by the time I was born—though Democrats, were patriotic, independent Americans who would be shocked at the current state of the Party they once called their own.

Being raised with their work ethic, their Christian faith, their involvement in community, I had no problem thinking for myself and voting for the most conservative person in the race. Gerald Ford was my candidate of choice in the first presidential race in which I was old enough to vote.

Having aced all my English and literature tests as a student at Cottonwood High School, I was hired in the early 70s—with no college education—to work for a newspaper in Dothan, Alabama. My job was part-time receptionist, part-time obituary and wedding notice composer. I guess you could say I blossomed while chronicling the joys of Alencon lace and the sorrows of surviving relatives, eventually becoming a reporter, then features editor of the newspaper.

Television host and minister James Robison found me there in 1977 and moved me to Fort Worth to write for his magazine, the first few years as a co-worker to Mike Huckabee. It was during the 11 years that I was employed by the ministry that I was involved in the planning and staffing of the Dallas-hosted National Affairs Briefing where then-presidential candidate Ronald Reagan was the keynote speaker. That was the beginning of my real passion for political involvement.

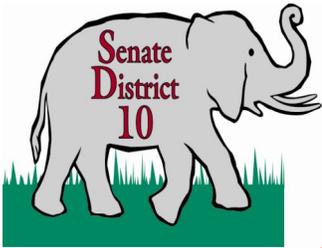
I have had the privilege of working with and interviewing many interesting people, from singer Little Richard to Dallas Cowboys coach Tom Landry, to even spending a few nights in the Alabama governor's mansion writing an article about former Governor Fob James and his wife, Bobbie.

So how did a Scotch-Irish girl from Dixie end up with a Hispanic surname? In short, I married my pharmacist, Rey Moreno, a seventh-generation Texan whose ancestors were original Texas land-grant owners in Bexar County. He has the patience of a saint, putting up with his opinionated, often blunt, and now seriously middle-aged Republican woman.

We have four children and one much-loved son-in-law: Melissa is a Navy veteran and a Dallas police officer; Abby is a pharmacy technician and sometimes actress, and her husband Jackie, is a landscape business owner. Rachel is finishing up her sophomore year at TCU where she is majoring in professional writing; and Stephen is a junior at Bethesda Christian School.

One thing we enjoy together is hanging out at the ballpark, watching the Rangers play. We're liking this year's PR slogan for our favorite team: "It's time." We're hoping it's not only time for the Rangers to make the playoffs again—it's time for Republicans to take back Congress in November 2010 and the White House in 2012!

I'm hoping once again that destiny trumps probability.



Southwest Republican Club by President Ruben Gonzalez

The Southwest Republican Club recently held a candidate forum for the Fort Worth Independent School Board election. At another Club meeting, Mr. Adrian Murray and Mr. John Basham's announced their intention to seek a position on the Tarrant Regional Water District (TRWD) Board of Directors.

In each of the appearances, the candidates received questions from attendees and provided information and details about themselves and their respective opinions and political positions.

The Club meets the first Thursday of each month at 6:45 p.m. at the Bobby Cox Building, 4055 International Plaza, Fort Worth, TX, all are invited. The Southwest Republican Club does have a Facebook account that provides up to date information and contact information for other members. The officers of the Southwest Republican Club are: Judge Ruben Gonzalez, President; Chris Garcia, Vice President, Programs; Otis Lemley, Treasurer and Leslie Recine, Secretary.



Southwest Republican Club Officers

1st Quarter 2010 State Republican Executive Committee Meeting

March 26 & 27th in Austin



Tarrant County SREC members with Governor Perry (L to R, Tom Quinones, SD 12, Leslie Recine, SD 10, Jane Burch, SD 9, Tim Hoy, SD 9 & Jean McIver, SD 12



Leslie Recine with Texas Attorney General Greg Abbott who spoke to the SREC



Leslie Recine, SREC SD 10, & Jean McIver, SREC SD 12, with Texas Federation of Republican Women President, Rebecca Bradford

Reception with State Senator Dan Patrick at Leslie & Dean Recine's Home

March 31st in Pantego



Mary Holley, Senator Patrick & State Representative Diane Patrick

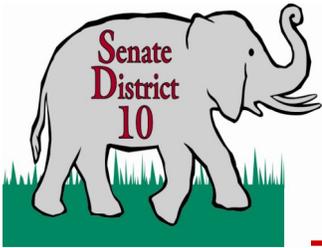


Chelsea, Leslie, Chloe and Dean Recine with Senator Patrick



Leslie Recine, Senator Patrick & Texans for Life Coalition President, Kyleen Wright

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Republican Women of Arlington

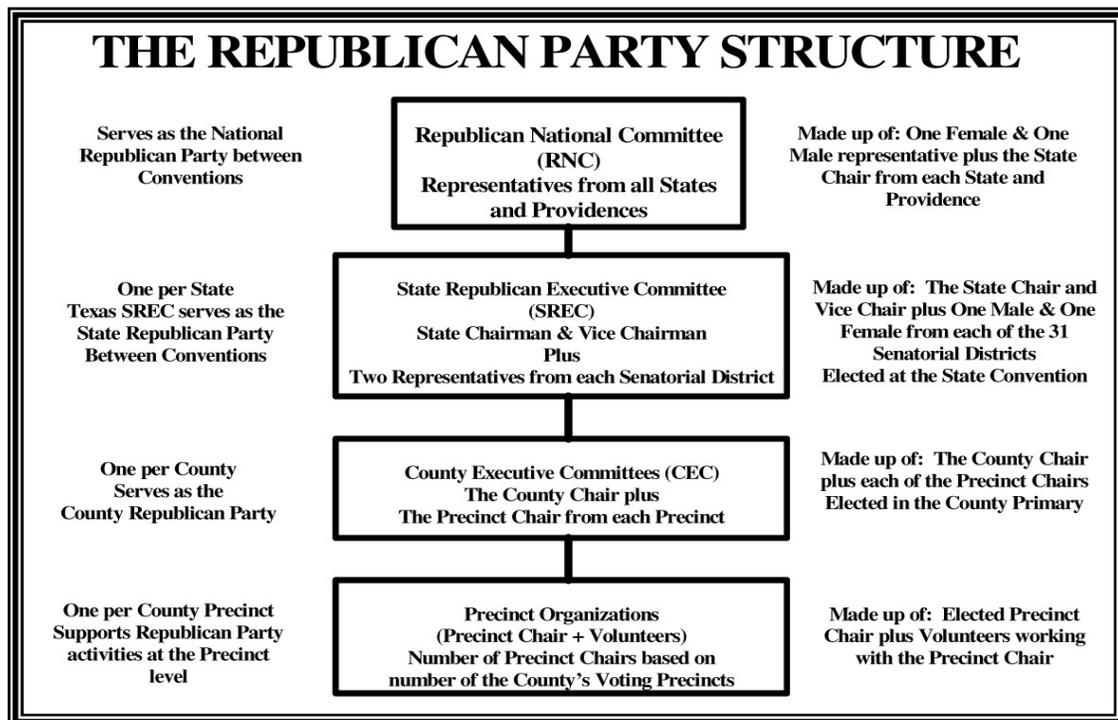
In 2008 when the Republican Women of Arlington celebrated their 50th Anniversary, the accolades for long-serving, hard-working, steadfast Republican women were profound. This has been the history of the RWA where conservative women inspire and grow the ideals of the Republican Party. Promoting the education and exchange of ideas, while serving the community with worthwhile projects such as “Caring for America” and the RWA Annual Scholarship Program, provides a learning and networking opportunity for women concerned with effective and efficient government. Arlington women have learned how to influence local, state and federal programs at the grassroots level while helping to elect strong, conservative leaders to public office. Members log thousands of hours yearly in volunteer work for numerous programs and candidates. RWA is affiliated with the TFRW (Texas Federation of Republican Women) and the NFRW (National Federation of Republican Women).

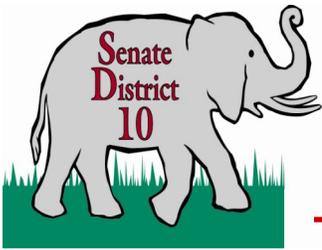


Republican Women of Arlington Board Members

Officers of Republican Women of Arlington are: Barbara Nash, President; Keely Appleton, 1st Vice President, Programs; Kim Catalano, 2nd Vice President, Membership; Delores Hammond, 3rd Vice President, Scholarship; Priscilla Mathis, 4th Vice President, Awards; Dawn Horton, 5th Vice President, Newsletter; Nancy Tice, PAC Treasurer; and Leslie Recine, Secretary.

Women who share the vision of the RWA are encouraged to join and become a member of, what the elected officials of Texas refer as “a political machine,” the Republican Women of Arlington. The RWA meets at lunch on third Thursdays at The Courtyard Villa at 1801 West Division Street in Arlington. For more information or membership forms, please contact any officer or Chairperson of the RWA or Membership VP, Kim Catalano at 817-924-1853 or kimcatalano@charter.net. (Article by Barbara Thompson.)





**Resolutions Passed By The
State Republican Executive Committee March 27, 2010**

Resolution Commending Attorney General Greg Abbott

WHEREAS, Greg Abbott has served the citizens of Texas as our 50th Attorney General with great honor and distinction; and

WHEREAS, Attorney General Greg Abbott has a record of vigorously defending our constitutional rights, including his victorious defense of the State Capitol's Ten Commandments monument and his authoring of two amicus briefs to the U.S. Supreme Court on behalf of numerous state attorneys general to affirm law-abiding Americans' Second Amendment rights; and

WHEREAS, Attorney General Greg Abbott has now joined twelve other state attorneys general in filing suit to challenge the constitutionality of the recently enacted federal health care law, which infringes upon Americans' constitutionally protected individual liberties, encroaches upon the states' constitutionally guaranteed sovereignty, imposes an unconstitutional tax, and violates the Tenth Amendment of the United States Constitution; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Republican Party of Texas supports Attorney General Greg Abbott's lawsuit to challenge the constitutionality of the recently enacted federal health care law; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Republican Party of Texas commends Attorney General Greg Abbott for his tireless service to the State of Texas and his zealous defense of the constitutional rights of her citizens.

Adopted by the Republican Party of Texas this 27th day of March 2010.

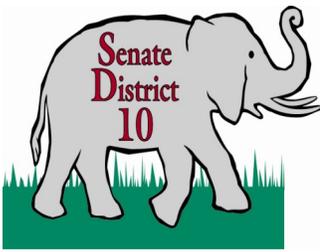


**Chief Justice
Terrie Livingston**

Congratulations Chief Justice Terrie Livingston!

Justice Terrie Livingston was appointed by Governor Rick Perry on April 14th to fill the unexpired portion of the term left vacant when former Chief Justice John Cayce retired. She was sworn in April 19th.

On May 22nd, the Republican county chairs within the 2nd Court of Appeals District nominated Justice Livingston to fill the position of Chief Justice on the November ballot.



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Resolution In Support Of The Texas Open Meetings Act

WHEREAS, The Texas Open Meetings Act was passed in the early 1970s to make government more open and accessible to the public it serves, and recently, several city officials have filed a lawsuit erroneously arguing that open government violates their First Amendment rights; and

WHEREAS, Several cities are using taxpayer dollars to pursue lawsuits, and the Texas Municipal League, a taxpayer-funded lobby group, has endorsed lawsuits to gut the Texas Open Meetings Act; and

WHEREAS, Many city officials are trying to weaken the Texas Open Meetings Act by removing its criminal penalties;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That the Republican Party of Texas supports the Texas Open Meetings Act as currently written and opposes the use of taxpayer dollars for filing lawsuits to weaken open government laws and similar examples of taxpayer-funded lawsuit abuse, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Republican Party of Texas commends Attorney General Greg Abbott for his commitment to open government and defense of this important legislation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Republican Party of Texas condemns the actions of the Texas Municipal League in attacking open government and calls on elected officials in cities involved to stop using taxpayer dollars for this purpose immediately; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Republican Party of Texas encourage Republican members of the Texas Legislature to take steps to investigate and curtail taxpayer-funded lawsuit abuse; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be sent to Attorney General Greg Abbott, the cities that are involved in this lawsuit, and all Republican members of the Texas Legislature.

Adopted by the Republican Party of Texas this 27th day of March, 2010