

**BURNET  
COUNTY  
REPUBLICAN  
WOMEN**

*Newsletter*

**We would like to honor our veterans by treating them to a complimentary lunch at our November 14th meeting.**

**Please make your reservation with Carolyn at [rcalexander@gmail.com](mailto:rcalexander@gmail.com) and let know you are a veteran.**

[Click to RSVP with Carolyn](#)



11th of November

# Thank you, veterans!

We appreciate your valiant  
service to the country.



## \* NFRW "Diamond" Award Club \*

Burnet County Republican Women

Region: XI • Senate District: 24

November 2024



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Women, Carolyn Richmond,  
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Street, Meadowlakes, TX 78654,  
a non-profit organization under  
Section 527 of the IRS Code.*

Howdy!

We're almost to the finish line! **THANK YOU** to our members who worked early voting and will work on election day! Let's all pray for an unsurmountable victory (TOO BIG TO RIG) for Donald J. Trump, JD Vance, Ted Cruz, and all of our Republican candidates on the ballot.

**Tammy Hullum**, Burnet County Republican Party Chair, has organized and is inviting you to attend the Burnet County Election Watch Party on Tuesday night (election night) at the Reed Building starting at 6:00 p.m.

Our speaker, Colonel Curtis, for the November meeting, is having health issues and cannot be with us. **State Representative Ellen Troxclair** graciously accepted our last-minute invitation to speak at our meeting. She will give us a post-election analysis and looks forward to visiting with everyone.

Our primary members will be electing the 2025-26 BCRW officers. Sue Boss Lee with Wreaths Across America will also be sharing how to support this effort.

Our TFRW Tribute to Women event in Georgetown was wonderful honoring Gloria and Vicinta.

*If you are a Veteran, we want to honor you by treating you to lunch. Please contact Carolyn and let her know you are a Veteran and will be attending the November meeting.*

**See you on Thursday, November 14th**

***KEEP TEXAS RED!***

***MJA***

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**Reservations Requested by November 11th!**



## BURNET COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN

Thursday, November 14, 2024  
Reed Building / 402 E. Jackson / Burnet  
11:15 AM / \$20.00

*A reservation is requested:*  
Email Carolyn Alexander:  
rcalexander73@gmail.com

OR

Pay in Advance with Eventbrite

*Speaker:*  
**State Representative  
Ellen Troxclair**

Membership Vote on Slate of Officers  
Wreaths Across America  
Donation to Marble Falls VFW



This is the updated meeting announcement  
and eventbrite link to purchase your ticket.

Click to Reserve Your Seat with  
Carolyn

Click to Reserve with  
eventbrite

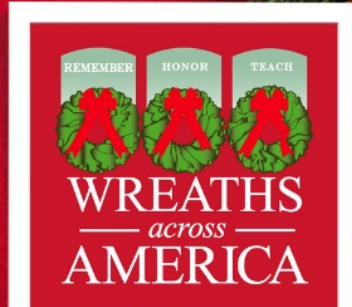
**Our Caring for America Projects for November  
are purchasing Wreaths Across America and  
donating to the Marble Falls VFW**

# *Caring for America*

## *Wreaths Across America*

ASKS FOR YOUR HELP TO REMEMBER THE OVER 5000  
VETERANS LAID TO REST AT **COOK-WALDEN CAPITAL PARKS**  
& **MEMORIAL HILL. HONOR** THEIR SURVIVING FAMILIES,  
AND **TEACH** THE VALUE OF FREEDOM.

**EACH TAX-DEDUCTIBLE WREATH  
SPONSORSHIP IS \$17 (OR 3 FOR \$34)**



**Give by 11/14**  
**Ceremony & Laying Wreaths**  
11:00 am / Saturday, December 14, 2024



**MAKE CHECK PAYABLE: WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA**  
*Thank You For Your Support!*

**BURNET COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN**



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**2025-2026 BOARD • NOMINATED SLATE**

# Thank You TEAM TEXAS & TEXTING VOLUNTEERS

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TEXAS FEDERATION  
of  
*Republican Women*

10/27/2024

## TEXAS FEDERATION OF REPUBLICAN WOMEN ANNOUNCES SUCCESSFUL CAMPAIGN INITIATIVES

**Austin, TX** — This past weekend, the board of directors of the Texas Federation of Republican Women (TFRW) gathered in Georgetown for their quarterly meeting and heard from the leaders of various campaign initiatives on their success to date.

"This was an incredible year for our member volunteers," said President Zenia Warren. "We anticipate the success of our efforts will bear significant fruit as election results come in. Our members registered Republican voters not just in Texas, but in key battleground states, in addition to our boots-on-the-ground efforts in several contested legislative and congressional races here at home."

Warren continued, "TFRW adopted a variety of campaign initiatives this year giving our members options, offering something for everyone. Many of our initiatives were a first for TFRW and all programs were extremely successful."

Among the reported numbers:

- 1. VEP "Voter Engagement Program" Over 600 Volunteers**  
Registered 178,639 new Republican voters in Texas as of September 30<sup>th</sup> and anticipate this number will be 185,000 total after election is canvassed. Registered 164,424 new Republican voters in battleground states of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Maryland, Montana, Nevada, and Wisconsin, with an additional 321,007 committed to register. Total calls made: 921,093. Total confirmed registration of new Republican voters: 343,063.
- 2. Team Texas Victory**  
TFRW worked with Americans for Prosperity, targeting two state House races (HD 52 – Caroline Harris Davila and HD 112 – Angie Chen Button) and one Congressional race (CD 15, Monica De La Cruz), knocking on over 4500 doors across these districts from August-October.
- 3. Adopt-a-Candidate**  
TFRW adopted eleven Texas candidates and encouraged clubs to donate and volunteer for those campaigns. Lubbock Area Republican Women alone raised \$120,000 for candidates.
- 4. Coalition for Texas**  
Targeted Hispanic rural communities to vote via texting. This initiative saw an 85% increase for first time voters during the primary texting 3,500 households. Over 100 volunteers sent 200,000 texts for the general election during early voting to Hispanic voters.
- 5. Active participation in both Women for Cruz Coalition and Trump Force 47 Campaigns**  
Over 1,800 members have volunteered for Senator Cruz and over 1,000 members have committed to Trump Force 47
- 6. Election Workers and Voter Deputy Registrars**  
Over 35% of all club members are Voter Deputy Registrars and have been actively working in their communities to register voters. In addition, at least 30% of every Club member (164 Clubs) will be working the polls as a clerk, election judge, or poll watcher.

Campaign hours reported to the National Federation of Republican Women for the period July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024, total 2,122,831. We anticipate this number to increase by another 1,000,000 after the election.

The Texas Federation of Republican will celebrate 70 years of service to the state of Texas as a part of the National Federation of Republican Women in 2025. With over 10,000 members statewide, TFRW continues to be the most powerful political organization for women in Texas. For more information, please see <http://www.tfrw.org>.

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*Thank  
you!*

*Go. Team!*  
**TEAM TEXAS CHAMPIONS**

**TFRW TEAM TEXAS RICHARDSON**







## October Meeting with Lucy Trainor





**Caring for America**  
Thank you for all of your donations for  
The Helping Center



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**BECKE FRETAS**  
**STATEWIDE TRFW VEP #5 CALLER**  
**Carolyn Alexander - 5,182**



**TEXAS REPUBLICAN  
VOTER ENGAGEMENT**



- Renewal of ADVANTAGE credentials
  - ZOOM training or (live recorded)
- TX Voter Engagement will follow up with prospective voters to get them registered
- Results of call activity will be reported back to our TFRW teams to meet our goals

*Keep Texas Red!*



Contact Mary at [mpheffernan837@yahoo.com](mailto:mpheffernan837@yahoo.com)  
(use QR code too) to submit a request for training, or to engage your club/community to sign up to help us meet the goal of one million calls or more to register prospective voters!

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**Thank you Door Knockers & Drivers for getting out the vote in Burnet County. Thank you Linda Stewart & Garrett Wood for organizing teams.**



## October Meeting Minutes

**Burnet County Republican Women  
Minutes of General Meeting – October 10, 2024  
Sylvester H. Reed Memorial Building – Burnet, Texas**

### **Welcome, Call to Order, and Opening Ceremonies:**

President Mary Jane Avery welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order at 11:34 a.m., and a lunch was served. Ginger Chuter gave the invocation followed by the pledges to the American and Texas flags led by Janet Parker. Mary Jane noted there are only 25 days until the 2024 Presidential Election.

Introductions: Mary Jane asked all elected officials and candidates to stand to be recognized. Precinct Chairs were recognized and asked to describe the location of their precincts. Election workers were recognized, and guests were introduced.

**Approval of Minutes:** The September minutes were prepared by Darlene Hargett. They were published in the newsletter. There were no corrections or additions. The minutes stand approved as published.

**Treasurer's Report:** Carolyn Richmond reported a balance of \$45,377.23 (including the Scholarship Fund) as of September 30, 2024. Proceeds from the GOP Picnic were \$4,635.00.

**Membership:** Janice Estill reported 8 membership renewals and 1 new member for today's meeting.

The 2025/26 Nominations Committee included Libby Edwards (chair), Becky Freitas, Judy Salvaggio, and Carolyn Richmond (alternate). Becke Freitas presented the 2025/26 Slate of Officers as follows:

President: Becke Freitas

VP of Hospitality: Janet Parker

VP of Programs: Libby Edwards

Secretary: C.J. Phau

Treasurer: Dottie Stueckroth

PAC Treasurer: Carolyn Richmond

The slate will be voted on at the November meeting and nominations from the floor will be taken. The installation will be held at the December meeting.

**Campaign Activities:** Linda Stewart detailed plans for block walking on October 12th and 19th. Mary Jane invited members to a Pizza/Texting party at her home on October 19th following block walking. VEP volunteers were recognized. Block walking for Angie Chen Button on October 19th in Richardson was announced. The Tribute to Women luncheon honoring Gloria Pollard and Vicenta Stafford will be on October 12th. Julie Partridge announced that Trump signs will be available in the foyer after the meeting.

**Caring for America:** Mary Jane recognized all who donated food for The Helping Center. In November, cash donations for the Marble Falls VFW will be collected.

**Program:** Gail Teegarden recognized early members of BCRW including Janice Estill, Julie Partridge, Gloria Pollard, Londa Chandler and Gail Teegarden. Next,

Gail introduced our guest speaker, Lucy Trainor, State Republican Executive Committee member from Senate District 25. Lucy discussed the importance of voter registration, getting out the vote and election integrity. Lucy made a call-to-action for our local organizations to keep in touch with our voters and encouraged us to text our contact list with information on voting locations and dates.

**Closing:** Mary Jane led a drawing for door prizes. Gail reminded members that donations for flood relief can be made through the TFRW website. The meeting

was adjourned at 12:52 with the singing of "God Bless America" led by Carolyn Richmond.

Respectfully submitted,

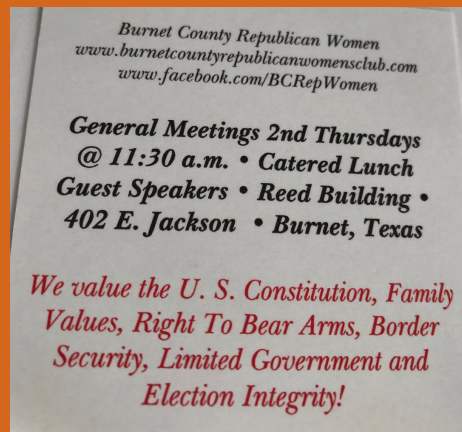
Kay Stripling

(For Darlene Hargett, BCRW Secretary)

It's great to have some of these when you're out and about!

Super way to invite folks to join us!

**Pick some up at the next BCRW meeting-  
they're complimentary!**



**Now accepting Membership Renewals and  
New Memberships for 2025-2026**







## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

New \_\_\_\_\_ Renew \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: Last \_\_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_

SPOUSE'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

(Give name here, but please complete separate application for spouse if associate member.)

ADDRESS: Street / PO Box \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION/EMPLOYER

\_\_\_\_\_

(Required by Texas Ethics Commission)

PHONES:

Home: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Office: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS:

\_\_\_\_\_

Active Member - \$35.00

Associate Member - \$20.00

Make check payable to BCRW and mail with this form to:

BCRW PAC Treasurer  
P.O. Box 1055  
Marble Falls, Texas 78654

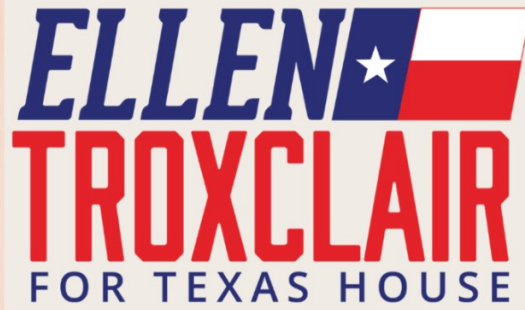
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**Saturday, October 26, 2024**  
**Tribute to Women**

TEXAS FEDERATION OF REPUBLICAN WOMEN

*Tribute To Women*

*Thank You to our Honoree Book Sponsor*



*Congratulations!*

**GLORIA  
POLLARD**

**BURNET COUNTY  
REPUBLICAN WOMEN**

*Tribute to Women*  
**HONOREE**



*Tribute to Women*





*Congratulations!*

**VICINTA  
STAFFORD**

**BURNET COUNTY  
REPUBLICAN WOMEN**

*Tribute to Women*  
**HONOREE**



*Tribute to Women*

## DECEMBER MEETING

### BURNET COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2024**

**Debbie Georgatos**  
Texas National Committeewoman and  
radio show host "America Can We Talk?"

**MORE INFORMATION:**

Reed Building / 402 E. Jackson  
Burnet / \$20.00  
Buffet opens @ 11:15 am  
Meeting begins @ 11:30 am

A reservation is requested:  
Email Carolyn Alexander:  
rcalexander73@gmail.com



**DONATE** ♥

*Caring for America*



Supporting the Burnet County Child Welfare Board



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**LITERACY/BCRW**



**November 5, 2024**

Burnet County Republican Party

Election Watch Party

402 E. Jackson, Burnet

6:00 p.m.

**November 14, 2024**

Burnet County Republican Women

402 E. Jackson, Burnet

Buffet opens at 11:15 am

Meeting begins at 11:30 am

\$20.00

*Primary Members vote on 2025-26 Slate of Officers*

**Guest Speaker: State Representative Ellen Troxclair**

Caring for America! Donations to Wreaths

Across America and Marble Falls VFW

Thank You.

**December 12, 2024**

Burnet County Republican Women

402 E. Jackson, Burnet

Buffet opens at 11:15 am

Meeting begins at 11:30 am

\$20.00

*Installation of 2025-26 Slate of Officers*

**Guest Speaker: Debbie Georgatos, Texas National Committeewoman**

Caring for America - Donation to Burnet

County Child Welfare Board

**January 17-18, 2025**

TFRW Board Meeting

Sheraton Georgetown

**March 20-22, 2025**

Legislative Day / TFRW Board Meeting

AT&T Austin

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deductible as charitable contributions  
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**May 18-19, 2025**  
TFRW Board Meeting  
Embassy Suite Round Rock

**September 25-28, 2025**  
NFRW Convention  
Orlando, Florida

**October 23-25, 2025**  
TFRW Convention  
Grand Hyatt, San Antonio



**TFRW Regional & District Leadership**

SD24 District Director

**Gail**

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Regional Deputy President

**Shelly Flowers**

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**Inspire. Unite. Achieve.**

*TFRW provides the avenue for women to influence policy, develop candidates, and elect the leaders of Texas. We are a multi-generational, multicultural organization that provides the structure and support for political activists to learn, engage, and flourish.*

**Political Activity Hours**

Don't forget to keep track of your hours. Now we can count most political activities!  
Send to [mjavery@swbell.net](mailto:mjavery@swbell.net)

Board Meetings  
Meeting Preparation  
Wine Wednesdays  
Travel time to and time at Meetings  
Event Planning/ Execution/Attending  
Leadership Day  
TFRW Board Meetings  
Attending Monthly Meetings  
Phone Calls/Blockwalking/Texting  
Election Training/Working/Voluntering  
Conventions

## BCRW CAMPAIGN ACTIVITY HOURS

**Help our club win recognition and awards for time spent on activities that benefit our Republican Party, Candidates or Federations**

*Anything political counts, including preparation and travel time!  
Paid hours count IF not your primary job.*

**At the end of the month, estimate total hours (details not needed) report total to:**  
Mary Jane Avery - [mjavery@swbell.net](mailto:mjavery@swbell.net)

**Work/Time Spent can be at any location:**  
At home, campaign headquarters, driving, restaurants, hotels, etc.

HOURS	EVENT OR ACTIVITY
	EVENTS & EVENT PLANNING: In person, conference, or web-based activities. Includes time organizing, planning, preparing, and clean up
	MEETINGS: General monthly meetings, travel time to and from meeting, board / committee meetings, meeting prep and set up, ZOOMs, Summer Socials, Burnet County CEC Meetings
	CAMPAIGNING: Sign distribution, telephone, text, door knocking, attending or hosting campaign events
	POLLS: Poll greeting, Poll watching, election judge, election clerk, EVBB, precinct chairs, assisting precinct chairs,
	CONVENTIONS: Texas Federation of Republican Women Board Meetings, Precinct Conventions, County Conventions, State Conventions, National Conventions,
	BCRW and REPUBLICAN PARTY EVENTS: County Executive Meetings, SREC Meetings, attending BCRC Meetings, Bluebonnet Festival Booth
	COMMITTEE WORK: Local and State
	VOLUNTEERING: TFRW Headquarters, Local GOP Election Season Headquarters, Reed Building
	<b>TOTAL MONTHLY HOURS</b>

[Click here to email your hours to MJA](#)

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My email is frequently hacked. **Please do not respond to any personal emails requesting help, money, donations, gift cards, etc., it's a SCAM!** Thank you to those who take time to let me know. MJA

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Falling Into  
*Christmas*



**HEART OF TEXAS ORCHESTRA**  
**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2024 AT 4:00 P.M.**  
**THE CHURCH AT HORSESHOE BAY | 600 HI RIDGE**



# Care & Kindness Action

## Care & Kindness Action

2024 will bring an emphasis of developing relationships and caring for one another.

When you receive an email with the Care & Kindness Action logo -please consider taking some type of action - an email, phone call, card, or a meal to help a member depending on the specific need.

Please contact Mary Jane Avery  
mjavery@swbell.net to let her know about a care or kindness of a fellow member.



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MAKE AN INFORMED DECISION AND VOLUNTEER FOR THE CANDIDATE OF THEIR CHOICE.

FOLLOWING ELECTION DAY, WE ALL COME TOGETHER AND WORK FOR THE WINNER OF THE PRIMARY.



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