



2009 PATRON PARTY

On October 6 our Patrons gathered at Bill and Cheryl Freed's stunning home in Olmos Park for our annual Patron Party. Patrons are individuals whose gifts meet or exceed the \$1000 level on an annual basis. There are currently over 120 Patrons of The Planned Parenthood Trust of San Antonio and South Central Texas and last year they contributed \$677,934 to underpin our life changing, life saving, work.

Senator Jeff Wentworth and Representatives Mike Villarreal and Joaquin Castro were among the party's guests. In his remarks, President & CEO Jeffrey Hons thanked them (and Senator Leticia Van de Putte and House Speaker Joe Straus, in absentia) for their tireless efforts on behalf of Texas women and children during the last legislative session.

Mindi Alterman, whose tenure as Board Chair ends in December, was also honored. Jeffrey praised her incomparable commitment and energy, "For everything you have done, Mindi, my gratitude knows no bound."

Mindi commented on the remarkable strides that Planned Parenthood has made recently in the areas of cervical cancer prevention, STD testing and treatment and permanent birth control. She attributed these accomplishments to the steadfast support of the Patrons and thanked them on behalf of the many vulnerable, uninsured and low-income women, men and teenagers who are the real beneficiaries of their philanthropy. Additionally, Mindi acknowledged the integrity and immense compassion of Board Chair-elect, Rev. Jon Lowry, and expressed her confidence that under his leadership Planned Parenthood would continue to move from strength to strength.

If you are interested in becoming a Patron of Planned Parenthood, please contact Angela Koester, Director of Annual Campaign, at 210-736-2244, ext. 317 or at angela.koester@pptrust.org



Mrs. Anna Lowry, Board Chair-Elect Rev. Jon Lowry, Mrs. Ike Kampmann, Jr., and Jeffrey Hons



Yvonne Gutierrez, State Sen. Jeff Wentworth, Rabbi Barry H.D. Block



Mr. and Mrs. Graham B. Knight



Diana Winship Eyestone and Rev. Jon Lowry



Dr. Glenn Half, Deborah Miller, Board Member Cheryl Freed, and Board Chair Mindi Alterman