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## The President's Pen by Lorraine Carroll

### Hello Fellow Republicans,

Welcome to Fall! CRW has many exciting guest speakers over the next few months and we look forward to seeing you at our meetings!

We start off our Fall meetings with the new **Dallas County Elections Administrator Michael Scarpello** on **September 9** (see details below). Michael started this position in December 2020 after the general election and has already been making an impact in updating our county voting procedures and election clerk training. Election security and integrity are key to our free Republic so I am sure you will want to hear what he has to share.

Next on October 7 we welcome the new Republican Party of Texas Chairman Matt Rinaldi along with our State Republican Executive Committee Representatives for Senate District 16, Susan Fountain and Matt Patrick. This will be an exciting meeting as we hear what plans are in place for the very important 2022 General Election. There are many ways both big and small that you can make a difference. We will be co-hosting this meeting with Coppell Republican Club. Watch for details in the next few weeks or check our website.

Also mark your calendar for October 21 - membership recruitment for 2022, November 4 - general meeting, and December 2 - annual Christmas party.

As we approach 2022 it is key that everyone be informed and involved in order to save our country from the socialist agenda.

#### Make a Difference!

# Congratulations to CRW Member Kit Whitehill!

Kit has been nominated to be the 2022-2023 President of Texas Federation of Republican Women (TFRW). Elections will be held in October at the 33rd Biennial TFRW Convention, at Kalahari Resort in Round Rock, Texas.



Kit has served for the past 2 years as the 1st Vice President of TFRW. She also

Motor Vehicle Crime Prevention Authority. Kit is a founding member of CRW and has held many positions within our organization. She is currently CRW's 1st Vice President.

CRW is excited and proud to support Kit and wishes her success in the upcoming TFRW election!



Annie Lucas, 2021 Scholarship Winner



Lynn Keefe presents Annie Lucas with CRW Scholarship

### CRW Scholarship Awarded for 2021

Congratulations to Annie Lucas, the winner of the 2021 Coppell Republican Women Scholarship. She is a graduate of Coppell High School (CHS) and is attending Auburn University this fall. Her career goal is to work in a family therapy business where she will focus on working with children with special needs and various types of disorders.

During high school Annie was a CHS Red Jacket Ambassador and played softball. She volunteered for many organizations including Best Buddies and National Charity League. She also was active in local politics serving as a Dallas County Election worker, campaigning in a local election, and participating in a voter registration drive.

Lynn Keefe, member of the CRW Scholarship Committee, presented Annie with this award at the Coppell High School Awards Ceremony on May 21.

CRW has awarded eleven (11) young women scholarships over the last eight (8) years to a young women from Coppell who promotes the values of the Republican Party. For more information on our scholarship program or to donate to the scholarship program visit our website www.coppellrepublicanwomen.com and go to News & Info.



# September Meeting

## **Coppell Republican Women**

Welcomes Guest Speaker

# Dallas County Elections Administrator

## **Michael Scarpello**

Mr. Scarpello has 20 years of experience in elections services and management, having previously served in Nebraska as the Chief Deputy Election Commissioner & Elections Manager from 2000 to 2007, in Colorado as the



Director of Elections from 2007 to 2011, in California as the Registrar of Voters from 2011 to 2018, and most recently in Arizona as the Vice President of Election Management Systems.

Mr. Scarpello holds a Juris Doctor from the University Of Nebraska College Of Law and bachelor's degree in Business Administration. Mr. Scarpello has been a member of the Nebraska State Bar Commission where he was Bar Certified and National Association of Election Officials certified as an Elections Administrator.

Thursday, October 7
6:30 p.m. Social Time 7:00 p.m. Meeting
AMN Healthcare Building
8840 Cypress Waters Blvd.
1st Floor - Suite 130
(enter on south side of building - look for meeting sign)

Click here to RSVP for the September meeting.

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