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Dear Texas Republican Women,

After traveling all over this great country of ours, I have seldom found more endearing and inspiring women than Texas Republican women. You are independent, confident, and know how to make an impact in your state- much like the women of Alaska.

Because of your work, Texas is the largest red state in the nation, and it has a strong, conservative governor.

While a bunch of politicians have gone to Washington, hat in hand, seeking a bailout, Governor Perry has said we should stimulate the economy with tax cuts and maintain spending discipline. Rick Perry is true to conservative principles even when others think the party needs to go a different direction. I like that about him: he doesn't care which way the wind blows, he acts on his beliefs.

That's why I am supporting Governor Rick Perry for re-election. He does what is right regardless of whether it is popular. He walks the walk of a true conservative. And he sticks to his guns - and you know how I feel about guns!

With our current economic crisis, and working families worried about their pensions, jobs, credit card debt and rising home foreclosures, we need strong conservative leadership in trend-setting states like Texas.

Rick Perry is a leader. While the nation lost half a million jobs in the last year, Texas gained 250,000 net new jobs. He improved the job climate in Texas by refusing to raise taxes in the face of the largest budget deficit in Texas history. He had the foresight to join legislators in saving for a rainy day. And he has consistently asked agency heads to cut their budgets even when surpluses were rolling in. My fellow Republicans, that's consistent leadership. That's Rick Perry.

Governor Perry has also advocated for greater domestic drilling for energy, and a diversified energy mix - including greater development of renewable sources - so America is not held hostage by Middle East ayatollahs and foreign dictators. But in order to overcome extremist opposition to responsible exploration, we need proven leaders in energy states like Texas who will not back down when it up comes to expanding the energy supply.

Let me say one more thing about my friend and your governor: he knows all human life is precious. Rick Perry believes in protecting the most vulnerable in society, and who is more vulnerable than an unborn child? Our value as human beings in the eyes of Our Creator is not diminished by any circumstance. Not every child is born into ideal circumstances, but every life is sacred. Rick Perry knows this - it is at the core of his being.

Will you join me in supporting a true conservative for governor - Rick Perry? We need Texas' diverse and strong economy to help pull us out of our economic troubles. That requires a proven CEO as the head of state government. Rick Perry is proven and principled. And we need that in the governor of our nation's second largest state and most prosperous economy.

Sincerely,

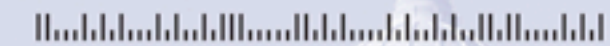
Sarah Palin

P.S. I have included a new bumper sticker for your vehicle. I hope you will put a lot of miles on it, and join me in supporting a true conservative for four more years as Texas governor - Rick Perry.



Governor of Alaska  
**SARAH PALIN**

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“I hope you will join me in supporting a true conservative for four more years as Texas governor.”

Alaska Governor Sarah Palin

**YES! I WANT TO HELP GOVERNOR PERRY WIN REELECTION!**

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