

## Help de-fund Planned Parenthood!

### SUMMARY

The Texas Legislature is currently meeting in Austin through June 1.



Please ask your state elected officials to oppose funding for Planned Parenthood, which runs the largest chain of abortion facilities in Texas. The Texas Legislature appropriates \$10-20 million per year in tax dollars to Planned Parenthood. While they do not legally use tax dollars to pay for abortion (federal and state law prevents it), Planned Parenthood aggressively promotes abortion as a method of birth control. Women deserve better.

It is critical that you contact your state elected officials in the next week or so — the Governor, Lt. Governor, and especially your state senator and representative — by phone or email.

The House and Senate will soon give final consideration to the two-year state budget, SB 1, the General Appropriations Act. We need to de-fund Planned Parenthood from that budget.

### Sample phone message:

*Hello, my name is (your name). I live at (your address). Please ask \_\_\_\_\_ to vote to de-fund Planned Parenthood in SB 1. Thank you.*

### Sample written message:

*The Honorable \_\_\_\_\_*

*Dear \_\_\_\_\_,*

*Please vote to de-fund Planned Parenthood from SB 1, the General Appropriations Act. I do not want my tax dollars going to organizations that aggressively promote abortion as a method of birth control.*

*Your name  
your address*

### **My Texas State Elected Officials**

The enclosed card gives the contact information for your state senator and representative, plus the Governor, Lt. Governor, and Speaker.

## Planned Parenthood's abortion facilities in Texas

### Planned Parenthood Surgical Health Services of North Texas, Inc.

Two abortion facilities: Dallas & Fort Worth

### Planned Parenthood of Austin Surgical & Sexual Health, Inc.

One abortion facility: Austin

### Planned Parenthood of West Texas Abortion Services

Two abortion facilities: Midland & San Angelo

### Planned Parenthood Sexual Healthcare Services

Five abortion facilities in San Antonio

### Planned Parenthood of Waco Family Planning and Surgical Services, Inc.

One abortion facility: Waco

### Planned Parenthood of Southeast Texas Surgical & Comprehensive Health Services, Inc.

Two abortion facilities: Houston & Bryan