



Austin Landline Report October 2019

Senator Lois Kolkhorst credits grassroots support for passing eminent domain reform legislation in the Senate and making progress in the House.

At our recent annual meeting, State Senator Lois Kolkhorst thanked STPRA for our efforts in supporting eminent domain reform legislation and underscored the importance of participation of landowners in the process. She emphasized the magnitude of industry resources, but said that an outpouring from groups and individuals could counteract it.

In related news, consensus is that Speaker Bonnen will weather his storm, but some sort of reckoning may still occur later in the party caucus. Legislators' fundraising is shifting into high gear. Upcoming events in South Texas include ones for Representatives Longoria and Lucio. STPRA members are encouraged to attend events of their choice, especially for incumbents! Please contact their campaign offices for details.