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Dear Friends,

Texas Wall Street Women (TXWSW) invites you to become a donor for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual “Boots & Blackjack” event to be held this November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at the Hyatt Regency in Austin benefiting the Young Women’s Preparatory Network ([www.youngwomensprep.org](http://www.youngwomensprep.org)).

TXWSW, a 501(c)(3) organization, proudly supports the Young Women’s Preparatory Network (YWPN), which was founded in 2002 to provide a college preparatory education for young girls in Texas from predominately economically disadvantaged families. With a unique public/private partnership model, YWPN has established 7 all-girls, college preparatory schools across the state of Texas. These schools offer underserved urban girls in Texas an opportunity for a brighter future with a path through middle and high school, and a college education. Each school is built upon core values of college readiness, responsible leadership, and wellness life skills. The goal of YWPN is to continue to graduate 100% of their enrolled students and continue with their 100% acceptance rates at universities across the country.

**Why Girls Education?** Studies have shown that investing in the education of girls reaps a double dividend - an educated young woman will become an adult who invests in her children’s education, who earns money and respect for her family and community, and who tips the balance from poverty to progress not only for herself, but for the future family she will have. We at TXWSW are volunteering our time, resources and passion for their future and the future of our state. We ask you to help us continue the work of changing outcomes for these underserved girls and their future families.

*You can make a positive difference in the lives of children and families!*

This November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015, the Austin Philanthropy & Networking Committees will host a dynamic and fun evening featuring a great food and lots of casino games. Our committee will be extending invitations to this coed event to TXWSW members and the Texas financial and business community as a whole. We anticipate attendance of 120+ professionals. In addition to the casino, we will host a wine pull featuring an assortment of wonderful wines. Our sponsors and their guests will also to win one of several great door prizes.

*How can you help YWPN students across the state achieve their college dreams?*

Participate in a tax-deductible donation of items or gift certificates with a minimum value of \$50 for the Casino Prizes, and donations of one or more bottles of wine with a minimum value of \$25 for the Wine Pull. Please review the enclosed materials and choose to become a donor for “Boots & Blackjack!” All Casino Prizes and Wine Pull Donors will be given promotional consideration on our website and in print materials. You can make a difference and an impact just by saying “YES!” Many thanks for your consideration and time!

Very kind regards,

Marianne Scott Dwight  
Chairperson  
Texas Treasury Safekeeping Trust Co

**Texas Wall Street Women** ([www.txsw.com](http://www.txsw.com)) is currently celebrating its 6<sup>th</sup> anniversary as a 501(c) with over 1,700 members. Over the past 6 years, the organization has held more than 221 educational and networking events and has raised over \$400,000 for the Young Women’s Preparatory Network. TXWSW is committed to mentoring and supporting women throughout their careers in finance, and making a difference in our communities by supporting college preparatory education for economically disadvantaged girls across the state.



## **Boots & Blackjack: A Casino Night for a Cause November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015 Austin, Texas**

### **Donation Opportunities to Support the Event**

#### **Wine Pull Donations**

The Austin Philanthropy Committee of Texas Wall Street Women are collecting donations of one or more bottles of wine for a wine pull the night of Boots & Blackjack. We are requesting that donated bottles have a minimum retail value of \$25 per bottle. Donations are eligible for IRS tax credits. Donors will be acknowledged in signage at the event and on TXWSW social media. Please fill out the attached form to accompany your donation(s).

#### **Door Prize Donations**

The Austin Philanthropy Committee of Texas Wall Street Women is collecting door prize donations for our Boots & Blackjack: A Casino Night for a Cause. We are requesting that donations have a minimum retail value of \$50 each. Donations are eligible for IRS tax credits. Donors will be acknowledged in signage at the event and on TXWSW social media. Please fill out the attached form to accompany your donation(s).

For Inquiries please contact: Heather Sauber, Director of Development  
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Please see enclosed donor form

Checks and forms can be mailed to: TXWSW Attn: Wanda Potts 98 San Jacinto Blvd. Suite 2010 Austin, TX 78701  
For Inquiries or Sponsorship information please contact: Heather Sauber, Director of Development  
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**Please send your donation with completed donation form to:**

Texas Wall Street Women  
Attn: Heather Sauber  
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**Thank you for your generosity and support.**

Texas Wall Street Women is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt nonprofit organization and therefore your donation is eligible for IRS tax credit. Our EIN number is 26-2010588.