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Harris County District Attorney Candidates speak at Oct. WPG 2008 luncheon

Location: The Houston Club, Grill Room,
811 Rusk

Date: Thursday, Oct. 2, 2008

Time: 11:45-check-in begins and buffet opens
12 Noon-program begins

Fee: \$30 Members and first-time visitors
\$35 Non-members & members who fail
to rsvp by deadline.

(No shows will be billed)

Valet parking: \$8

RSVP to rsvp@wpghouston.org by 5 p.m.
Monday, September 29, 2008.

WPG Annual Dues: \$40

“Pat” Lykos, a graduate of the University of Houston and South Texas College of Law, has dedicated her professional career to the administration of justice, starting as a Houston police officer, working her way through college and law school, and then in her own private practice as a litigator. In 1980, the Harris County Commissioners’ Court appointed her to the newly-created bench of County Criminal Court No. 10, and she won election that year, becoming the first Republican elected to a Harris County criminal court bench. In 1981, Governor Bill Clements appointed her as Judge of the 180th State Criminal District Court, where she presided over more than 20,000 criminal cases during her 14 years on the court. For the past decade, Pat has served with dedication and commitment as a senior district judge as a special assignments judge, and since 2001, as Director of Special Projects for Harris County Judge Robert Eckels, and Director of Judicial and Legal Issues for Harris County Judge Ed Emmett. Pat was the former chief judge of the Harris County criminal district courts, served three terms as President of the Retired, Senior and Former Judges of Texas, and taught in programs for the Texas Center for the Judiciary, the American Bar Association, and the State Bar of Texas.



**“Pat” Lykos
Republican Candidate for
Harris County District Attorney**



**C.O. Bradford
Democratic Candidate for
Harris County District Attorney**

C. O. "Brad" Bradford has dedicated his career to criminal law, public safety and criminal justice. Bradford served 24 years with the Houston Police Department, seven years as Chief from 1996-2003 appointed by both Mayor Bob Lanier and Mayor Lee P. Brown. He provided leadership in the areas of public safety and crime prevention, security for two major airport facilities and a jail that processed over 100,000 prisoners each year. Chief Bradford managed over 7,000 employees and a \$500 million annual budget for a city of more than 600 square miles. Chief Bradford was part of the leadership team that developed and implemented community policing strategies in Houston. Today, more than 80% of police agencies in America utilize some form of community policing.

Bradford implemented many other significant programs and initiatives during his administration. During Bradford's tenure as Police Chief, citizens' fear of crime and public safety concerns went from a high of 59% in 1996 to 10% in 2003. Chief Bradford has been a licensed attorney for 15 years with a law degree from the University of Houston Law Center, criminal justice degree from Grambling State University and public affairs degree from Texas Southern University. He served as a partner in the law firm of Kelley & Bradford, LLP. Today, he works as a Senior Associate in the international consulting firm of Brown Group International offering services in the areas of Public Safety, Homeland Security, Litigation Support, Government Relations and Community Government.