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Dear Chamber Members and Friends,

On my retirement, I humbly thank you all for my eighteen years. It has been my privilege and honor to serve you, our members. I have already packed the memories of fun, collaboration, consultation, and friendships in my heart to take with me. Those I am most grateful for. You have made me feel important and appreciated.

Although my retirement is now official, I struggle with mixed emotions. As I feared, I already miss you all terribly. What I do not miss is the bumper-to-bumper traffic, the long days that stretched into evening functions, being away from my family, and *rubber chicken luncheons*! What I will miss is the camaraderie that I shared with you, the thrill of hosting exceptional events, and the victory of gaining new members! How lucky am I to have something that makes saying goodbye so hard.

As I transition from work to play, I will keep each of you in my thoughts and prayers. I am so pleased to leave you with money in the bank and an entire team of exceptional professionals under the leadership of Kari Werner, president. I will not forget the friends that I have made at the Houston West Chamber and should you need me please feel free to reach out to me - jeanniebollinger@outlook.com.

With much love and respect!



Jeannie M. Bollinger, CEO



Kari Werner, President