

LIONS CLUBS INTERNATIONAL  
MD - TEXAS  
LIONS STATE CONVENTION



*at the*

*Historic Menger Hotel*

*San Antonio, Texas*

*May 18 - 21, 2017*



THE 2016 - 2017  
MD-2 TEXAS LIONS  
COUNCIL OF GOVERNORS  
WELCOME YOU TO OUR  
CENTENNIAL STATE CONVENTION



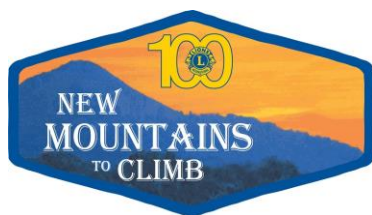
AND TO THE BEAUTIFUL AND  
HISTORIC ALAMO CITY  
ALSO KNOWN AS THE  
“CRADLE OF TEXAS LIBERTY”



**MD-2 TEXAS LIONS  
STATE CONVENTION**

*“Celebrating a Century of  
Service here in Texas -  
Where It All Began”*

**RIVER PARADE AND  
WELCOME SOCIAL**



**THURSDAY, MAY 18, 2017  
6:30 P.M.**

**INTERNATIONAL BANK OF  
COMMERCE  
RIVERWALK PLAZA**

THE LIONS OF DISTRICT 2-A2  
WELCOME THE LIONS OF TEXAS  
TO OUR DISTRICT  
AND TO  
“THE CRADLE OF TEXAS LIBERTY”  
OUR BEAUTIFUL AND HISTORIC  
WORLD HERITAGE SITE  
THE “ALAMO CITY”



WE ARE HONORED TO HAVE THE  
CORPORATE SUPPORT OF THE  
INTERNATIONAL BANK OF  
COMMERCE HOSTING THE LIONS  
OF TEXAS



*San Antonio River Barge Parade  
And arrival at the  
International Bank of Commerce  
Riverwalk Plaza*

*Commercial Partner of the Lions of Texas*

*Strolling Mariachi Serenade*

- Call To Order.....PDG Ernesto "T.J." Tijerina  
Council Chairman*
- Lions Sing..... PDG Rod Chisholm  
District Song Leader*
- Pledge of Allegiance.....DG John Lee, District 2-A2  
Host Governor*
- Welcome & Invocation..... Lion Irene Guzman  
Vice President, IBC Bank*
- Introduction of Guests.....PDG Ernesto "T.J." Tijerina  
Council Chairman*

*Buffet Dinner*

*Beef Empanadas and Chicken Flautas, Mexican Rice,  
Frijoles a la Charra, Guacamole, Queso,  
Chips, Salsa and Tortillas  
Aguas Fresca's, Sodas and Water  
Assortment of Mexican Cookies*

*Entertainment*

*"Ballet Folklorico"*

*From the Guadalupe Dance Company*

*Accompanied by*

*Mariachi Los Conquistadores*

*Golf Tournament Awards Presentation - Lion Les Barnes*

*Announcements and return to The Menger*

*via Trolley Busses*

## LIONS SING

### YOU'RE A GRAND OLD FLAG

**You're a grand old flag, You're a high flying flag  
And forever in peace may you wave.  
You're the emblem of The land I love.  
The home of the free and the brave.  
Ev'ry heart beats true 'neath the Red, White and  
Blue, Where there's never a boast or brag.  
Should auld acquaintance be forgot,  
Keep your eye on the grand old flag.**

### SAN ANTONIO CONVENTION SONG

**(TO THE TUNE OF SAN ANTONIO ROSE)  
COMPOSED BY LION HARRIET KIRCHHOFF**

**Deep within our state lies a place you'll love,  
A town they call San Antone.  
And we've gathered Here just to celebrate  
100 years - boy how we've grown!  
Barging down the river a taco in your hand,  
Mariachi music wafting o'er the land.  
Strolling in the sunshine, beside the Alamo  
When we're not in session we'll be on the go!  
Enjoy your stay with us, make a friend or two  
There's so much that you can do.  
We're so glad you're here in old San Antonio  
Here's to greeting each of you!  
Here's to meeting each of you!**

### HAIL, HAIL THE LIONS ARE HERE

**Hail, Hail, The Lions are here,  
Don't you hear them roaring?  
Don't you hear them roaring?  
Hail, Hail, The Lions are here,  
Don't you hear them roaring now?**

**WE HAVE BEEN HONORED TO HAVE  
HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE  
WITH THE 2016 - 2017  
COUNCIL OF GOVERNORS  
AND YOUR PARTNERS.  
YOU HAVE EACH SERVED AS GREAT  
LEADERS OF TEXAS LIONISM AND  
HAVE DONE WELL IN LEADING US  
INTO OUR SECOND CENTURY OF  
SERVICE.**



**COUNCIL CHAIRMAN  
ERNESTO "T.J." AND LION  
JUANITA TIJERINA**

