

DVD PROJECT

ONE FOR ALL UNA PARA TODAS

The DVD was completed in time for its first showing on opening night at the Alliance Convention in San Antonio in October, 2016. It was well received and many copies were sold at the convention. One comment from Alliance members was that it lacked Spanish subtitles. The Committee decided not to add them at that time since the DVD was produced and paid for by Texas PART members. If the State Board decides to include subtitles they can be added at any time for the additional charge

We were so fortunate to have Dina Berger on board to direct us to a media company which was much more suitable to our needs than the original choice. Alpheus Media poured their hearts and souls into our project and were wonderful partners for us. With the money raised they were able to travel to several places around the State to film various important PART events, including the ceremony of placing the refurbished plaque on the Laredo International Bridge in April 2016.

Dina Berger flew in from Chicago and Helena Richards from San Jose, California, in order to be interviewed for the DVD. In addition many members from around the State took the time and came to Austin to be interviewed. All of this helped with the cost and its success.

Sylvia Williams, Peggy Clark and Isabel Vezzetti were present for most interviews helped to insure that the content was accurate. It was a wonderful group effort.

With the positive reception of the DVD, my goal is to promote it and at some point expand it by securing a grant or benefactor. Our hope is that by promoting the DVD around the State and showing it to new and potential PART members and other groups of interest our mission will continue to grow.

The DVD was mailed to the Library of Congress on March 9, 2017 in order to receive a copyright. There are other details that might need addressing if the DVD goes on any website. I am still checking to make sure all bases are covered

Janet Roberts
Chair, PARTT Historical Ad Hoc Committee