

# West Texas Chapter Report for HPS Society Year 2011-2012

## General Information

**Official Year:** July - June

**Mailing Address:**

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**Dues Information:**

Plenary: \$10.00  
Associate: n/a  
Student: \$5.00  
Emeritus: n/a  
Life: n/a  
Affiliate: \$150.00

**Charter Date:** June 27, 2010

**Science Teacher Workshop?** no

**Collaboration with other societies?** no

**Website:** <http://www.hpschapters.org/wtc/>

## Chapter Leadership & Officers

**President:** Jack Kraus

**President-elect:** Chris Shaw

**Secretary:** Pam Davis

**Treasurer:** Karl Klotz (non-HPS)

**Past President:** J. Scott Kirk

**Director Liaison:** Ed Bailey

## Chapter Incorporation & Exempt Status

**Applied for Incorporation?** yes

Incorporation granted: yes  
Incorporation state: Texas

**Applied for an Employer Identification Number?** yes  
Applied to IRS for Tax Exemption? no  
IRS tax exemption granted?

**Insurance?** no

**Willing to share IRS paperwork?** yes

## **Chapter Membership & Certifications**

**HPS Members:** 16  
**non-Members:** 37  
**Total:** 53

**ABHP Certified:** 5  
**NRRPT Certified:** 5

## **Meetings/Activities: Meetings/Activities (Aug-11 to Jul-12)**

**Sep '11 Meeting Topic:** Grassroots Preparedness, a Radiation Risk Scale, and Marketing of Health Physics  
Type: Other  
Speaker: Armin Ansari, PhD, CHP  
Attendance: 22

## **Comments**

<http://www.hpschapters.org/wtc/> A chapter meeting will be held in the month of February 2012. Items to be discussed include increasing affiliate memberships and applying for the Radiation Response Volunteers Corps grant through the CRCPD. A number of members of the WTC will be helping at the Dallas Midyear. As a question to the Board, if a typographical error in our Bylaws needs to be corrected, does the revision to the Bylaws still require a vote of the chapter, as stated in the Bylaws? We have an error that states acitivities of the Chapter will be reotated

geographically throughout Indiana. Obviously, since this is the West Texas Chapter, Indiana is not the right geographic location. A change has been made to the bylaws, pending the chapter approval or advice from the HPS Board.

This Chapter report was created on 26 January 2012 by Jack Kraus.