

DARRELL K ROYAL – TEXAS MEMORIAL STADIUM

Capacity Expands from 83,000 to 91,000

New Suites and Club Seats Will be Added



Following the final home game against Texas A&M, November 24, 2006, demolition will begin immediately on the north end of The University of Texas Stadium, home of the National Champion Texas Longhorns and one of the most honored programs in all of college football.

The Board of Regents authorized the expenditure of \$140 million to make the stadium one of the premier college football venues in the United States. It is scheduled for completion at the same time as the UT lodging facility, August 2008. The all-new first-class addition will bring seats closer to the field and create a new level of seating and amenities second to none, to make the game-day experience one of the most enjoyable in the nation.

Members of The Santa Rita Society will receive a personal review of the expansion plans for DKR-Texas Memorial Stadium. This will include an opportunity to participate in the renovation and consider new seating amenities that will include:

- *44 new, well-appointed, stadium suites.*
- *2,000 specially designed club seats in an exclusive section, where beverage service will be available.*
- *A private club adjacent to the club seats where food and beverage service will be provided.*

UT Men's Athletics Director DeLoss Dodds says "these could be the best seats in the house." The biggest video board in college football, four times as large as the current replay and statistical scoreboard, will also be added to enhance the experience of watching the highly-rated, championship-caliber Longhorns year after year.

Additionally, *Santa Rita Society members will have a participation opportunity in the current upgrade and expansion of Disch-Falk Field, home of the National Champion baseball team and will have the opportunity to review seating amenities and priorities at other UT athletic venues, such as the Frank Erwin Center where the highly-rated Texas Longhorns basketball programs play their home games.*