

Gloria Moncrief Holmsten Treasurer Montex Drilling Company Fort Worth, TX

Gloria Moncrief Holmsten was born and raised in Fort Worth, Texas until moving to Austin to attend the University of Texas where she graduated with a BBA in Finance in 2004. Immediately upon graduation, she moved to Washington DC where she worked on President George W. Bush's re-election campaign and Inaugural Committee. Upon re-election, she spent almost 5 years as a political appointee at the US Department of State in the Office of the Chief of Protocol. Upon leaving DC Gloria moved

to New York City where she would spend one year working for a small investment firm before returning home to her roots in Fort Worth, in 2009. There she married her husband, Erich Holmsten and in 2010 she became a graduate of the Colorado School of Mines Petroleum SuperSchool.

Since returning home Gloria has worked full time and is a partner at Moncrief Oil as well as holding the position of Treasurer at their family owned and operated oil and gas business, Montex Drilling Company. She spends her days with her father - Charlie Moncrief, cousin - Wesley Moncrief, and still has weekly meetings with her 98 year old grandfather - "Tex" Moncrief, who is still a very active member of the business. The family's primary areas of focus are the Wind River Basin of Wyoming, the Powder River Basin of Wyoming, the Permian Basin, the Barnett Shale, and an on-shore in the Gulf of Mexico.

Gloria is a member of the Longhorn Foundation Advisory Council, the University of Texas Development Board Executive Committee, a board member of the Fort Worth Zoo, and she is a founding member of UNICEF's Next Generation Committee, as well as a founding member of The 43 Club of the George W. Bush Presidential Center. Gloria is the Founder of the Saving Hope Foundation, an organization dedicated to helping animals in need in Dallas/Fort Worth and the surrounding areas.

Gloria and Erich have 3 daughters – Monty, Kit and Gunni, and 5 rescue dogs – Link, Lollipop, Reeses, Rufus and Rolly.