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## Justices Rule For No. 1 Individual Campaign Donor; Perry Homes Decision Overturns Two Lower Courts

In *Perry Homes V. Robert Cull* Texas Supreme Court justices today overturned two lower courts to rule for their No. 1 Individual Donor: Perry Homes founder Bob Perry. Notably, no justices recused themselves from this case involving a major donor.

Perry Homes' law firm, Gardere Wynne Sewell, gave an additional \$27,500 to the justices. Kent Hance—who also represented Perry Homes when it first appealed to the high court in October 2005—contributed \$9,000 more to the justices. Hance became chancellor of Texas Tech University in November 2006.

### Bob Perry Donations To Nine Justices (2001 Through 2006)

Amount	Justice
\$20,000	Wallace Jefferson
\$15,000	Dale Wainwright
\$10,000	David Medina
\$5,000	Scott Brister
\$6,250	Paul Green
\$5,000	Nathan Hecht
\$5,000	Phil Johnson
\$5,000	Harriet O'Neill
\$5,000	Don Willett
<b>\$76,250</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>

## Top Contributors To Justices, 2001 through 2006

Amount	Contributor	Amount B. Perry Gave This PAC In Same Period	B. Perry's Share of All Money Raised By This PAC
\$241,000	Vinson & Elkins PAC		
\$132,762	Fulbright & Jaworski		
<b>\$130,464</b>	<b>Texans for Lawsuit Reform PAC</b>	<b>\$1,141,000</b>	<b>12%</b>
\$129,500	Locke Liddell & Sapp LLP		
\$101,214	Haynes & Boone PAC		
\$100,424	TX Medical Assoc. PAC		
<b>\$100,000</b>	<b>HillCo PAC</b>	<b>\$955,000</b>	<b>46%</b>
\$96,250	Andrews & Kurth TX PAC		
\$92,601	USAA Group PAC		
\$89,500	Jackson Walker L.L.P.		
\$81,699	Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld		
\$79,750	Baker Botts Amicus Fund		
<b>\$76,250</b>	<b>Bob &amp; Doylene Perry</b>		
\$76,000	Bracewell & Giuliani Committee		
\$75,000	Hughes & Luce L.L.P.		

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