



**Meeting Announcement
T10 Technical Committee (and friends)**

Nov 7-11, 2005

HOSTED BY: Dell, Inc.

LOCATION: The Driskill Hotel
604 Brazos Street
Austin, TX 78701
Phone: 512-474-5911 or 1-800-252-9367
Fax: 512-391-7222

ROOM RATE: \$160 + tax
Overnight Parking \$17
Daily Event Parking \$12

GROUP NAME: **T10 Dell**

CUT-OFF DATE: **October 7, 2005**

HOST CONTACT:

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DIRECTIONS:

From Bergstrom Airport: Exit the terminal and follow highway 71 West to IH35. Follow IH 35 North to the 6th-12th Streets exit. Exit and turn left on 6th Street. Travel five blocks to Brazos Street and turn right. The Driskill valet is immediately on your left.

From Dallas: Follow IH 35 South to the 8th-3rd Street exit, turn right on 6th Street. Follow 6th Street five blocks to Brazos Street. Turn right on Brazos. The Driskill valet is immediately on your left.

From San Antonio: Follow IH 35 North to 6th-12th Street exit, turn left on 6th Street. Follow 6th Street five blocks to Brazos Street. Turn right on Brazos. The Driskill valet is immediately on your left.

From Houston via highway 290: Follow Highway 290 West to IH 35. Follow IH 35 South to the 8th-3rd Street exit, and then turn right on 6th Street. Travel five blocks to Brazos Street. Turn right on Brazos. The Driskill valet is immediately on your left.

DESCRIPTION:

The Driskill is a world unto itself, a world, which transcends time and place. Located in the heart of Texas, this was once the proud show place of a cattle baron. Lovingly and luxuriously transformed into something far more enticing, the Driskill has become a private haven of opulence and comfort. It now stands apart as a landmark of refined hospitality with a rich appreciation of the past and an elegant vision for the future.

Many movies including the most recent remake of the Alamo were shot at the hotel given the Driskill's look and historical significance. This grand hotel has been in existence, at this location since 1886, and looks a lot like it did in the late 1800's.

ATTRACTIONS:

Located in the heart of central Texas, Austin stands as the gateway to the scenic Hill Country and the Highland Lakes. Located just a few hours from Dallas and Houston, the city of Austin is known as the live music capital of the country, and offers a culturally rich environment, with myriad galleries, restaurants, museums and theater. The largest concentration of music venues is found downtown in the Warehouse District and along Sixth Street, a six-block stretch of bars and restaurants.

Austin is equally popular with outdoor enthusiasts and offers an abundance of parks, trails and lakes coupled with a temperate year-round climate. Austinites can anticipate 300 days of sunshine and a diverse mix of parks, trails, a vast variety of cuisines and a world-class education.

Visitors should take time to enjoy Austin's beautiful weather at one of the many outdoor venues. Numerous golf courses, parks, gardens and landmarks provide recreational activities while enhancing the beauty of the city. After exploring Austin, it will be clear why this city is known as an arts and culture center. You may learn more by going to the Austin chamber of commerce web site: <http://www.austin-chamber.org>

Other URLs: Driskill Hotel: <http://www.driskillhotel.com>

Map: http://www.driskillhotel.com/about_contact.html

Convention & Visitors Bureau: <http://www.austintexas.org/index.php>