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Kemp, R-N.Y., a rising star in the Republican Party, will deliver the keynote address at the Texas GOP Convention scheduled Sept. 21-22, state chairman George Strake ankas for centunounced Monday ore music and ns of our his-

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Jack Kemp to lead GOP convention in Corpus Christi and Rep. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, the Republican nominee to succeed the

Center Monday while others spend their time relaxing. The

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retiring Tower. Strake told a news conference Monday he also intends to invite President Ronald Reagan to come to Corpus Christi.

Among other speakers at the con-vention will be Sen. Robert Dole, R-Kan; Sen. John Tower, R-Texas; as it relates to Texas, the Hispanic Strake said he had instructed his staff to put the polls in their desks, lock them up and throw away the including 4,700 delegates.

vote, county fund raising and ballot key so as not to get a false sense of security.

Despite what polls are showing, Strake said he was warning Texas Republicans that the race between Reagan and Democratic nominee Walter Mondale would be a close one in November.

security.

"I really have seen these polls come out with wide margins in September and narrow to 1 or 2 percentage points in November, and I see that happening the same way again," he said.

Strake predictred 5,000 to 6,000 people would attend the convention,

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By ROBIN BLACK Senior Staff Writer

The proposed anti-nuclear missile defense system - or "star wars" weaponry as the Democrats have dubbed it - is the strongest possible defense measure that could ever be taken in making nuclear weapons obsolete, 6th Congressional District doesn't see it that way. candidate Joe Barton said Monday.

The Republican candidate was on another campaign sweep across the district Monday that began at 7:30 a.m. in Cleburg and ended around 6:30 p.m. in College Station at Easterwood Airport.

Barton was defending the proposed weapons system as the

Meyer, an expert in the field of defense, especially where the High-Frontier — or outer space weapons

is concerned. Meyer said that although the Democrats have attached the "star wars" name to the anti-missile system in a degoratory manner, he

"If there ever has to be a World War III, I would much rather fight in space than on the face of the earth," he said.

The defense system — which must still go through many phases of research and development before it would be operational — is a satellitebased system that would destroy nukeystone issue of his campaign - an clear weapons in space before they

over the Soviet Union for about five minutes. It would then enter space for about 25 minutes, the warhead would separate from the rocket and re-enter the earth's atmosphere. The missile would strike its target within one minute after re-entry. The ICBM cannot be recalled once launched.

If the new anti-missile system was made operational, it would destroy the nuclear warhead while in space, destroying it before it re-entered the atmosphere.

Barton said that if the system was put into production within the next year, some things could be done soon — dispatching more missiles and some things would take a little longer — the actual satellite-based part — because of the research that must still be done.

tween now and the year 2000 is around \$90 billion. That is equiva-lent to the projected costs of the B-1 bomber, the Trident submarine and the MX missile combined. Barton said the premise behind

his position is that mutually assured survival is a more effective deterrent than the antiquated mutually as-

sumed destruction. He said that if the Soviets realize the possibilities of such a system, that may be enough to get them to the bargaining table about the nucleaarms race

"I think this system is necessary to protect the lives of Americans and to ensure the safety of our children," he said



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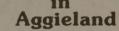
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Meyer said that if the Soviets were Campaigning with Barton was re-tired Army Maj. Gen. Stewart United States, it would be in the air

Estimated cost for the system be-

Barton said plans for a debate between him and Kubiak are still in the planning stages.



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