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John: Hi. My name is John Mckiernan-Gonzalez. I work at the Center for the Study of

Southwest and today I'm interviewing ...

Rebecca: Rebecca.

John: Rebecca?

Rebecca: Clear.

John: Rebecca Klieer at Northeast Metro Park Pflugerville Soccer Field. Rebecca, when

did you first become aware of soccer?

Rebecca: 1995.

John: Why?

Rebecca: My brother started playing and I don't like to run much, but I like to kick after a

soccer ball.

John: So your brother was older or younger?

Rebecca: Older brothers. Two older brothers started playing on a team.

John: Was it because of the World Cup?

Rebecca: I don't really remember. I really wasn't aware of the World Cup at that point.

John: And when did you first start playing organized soccer?

Rebecca: It was '95.

John: With your brothers?

Rebecca: With my brothers. Yes.

John: And where was it?

Rebecca: Austin. At the co-ed soccer team.

John: Co-ed soccer team. And how old were you at the time?

Rebecca: 23?

John: And what keeps you playing soccer?

Rebecca: Just the exercise and it's fun to come out and play, and we have a good team.

John: You organize? What do you mean a good team?

Rebecca: Just friends that we've been playing with for a long time.

John: And what keeps you playing? Oh yeah, I already just asked that. And what

position do you play normally?

Rebecca: Defense.

John: And so, do your kids play?

Rebecca: Yes.

John: Do they like it?

Rebecca: Yes.

John: [inaudible 00:01:28].

Rebecca: Yeah.

John: Thank you.

Rebecca: Sure. No problem.

John: What's your ...