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JOLT ENDORSES ROCHELLE GARZA FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL

Jolt Action proudly announces its official endorsement of Rochelle Garza for Attorney General of Texas. From legal troubles that have cost Texans half a million dollars to strategic political attacks on vulnerable communities to throwing a wrench in the way votes are counted, the current Attorney General has had his hands full on everything but championing liberty and justice for Texans.

Jolt Action is confident that if elected as chief legal officer of Texas, Garza would lead with the integrity and humility that Texans desperately need from their top elected officials. A lifelong champion of border communities in the Rio Grande Valley, she believes that everyone deserves a fair shot to get ahead in life.

“As a proud fifth-generation Tejana from the Rio Grande Valley, I am committed to representing the interests of all Texans. Latino youth are a growing political powerhouse and their needs and values should be reflected in our government,” Garza said. “As the first Latina candidate for Attorney General, I’m proud to stand with Jolt Action. Juntos, we’ll build a Texas that makes future generations proud.”

She became a civil rights lawyer to champion children, immigrants and families. She worked to keep families together in the face of harsh immigration policies and has fought for reproductive rights for immigrant teens in detention. She stood up against Justice Brett Kavanaugh and Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton to give teens in immigration custody the “Garza Notice,” informing them of their right to access abortion free of obstruction and retaliation.

“Rochelle is a prime example of what happens when you empower Latinas,” said Jolt Action Political Specialist Jen Ramos. “Her advocacy on behalf of the ACLU of Texas for reproductive justice and skilled understanding of the law puts her leaps and bounds ahead of her opponent. Without a doubt, the race for Attorney General is winnable and it’s because we have a sharp and talented legal mind in Fronteriza Rochelle Garza.”

If elected Attorney General, Garza promises to champion voting protections, reproductive rights, accessible healthcare and the rights of workers and the LGBTQ+ community. Like Jolt, she

believes that healthcare is a human right. She is committed to restoring abortion access in Texas and defending the rights of women and pregnant people when those rights are threatened.

Also like Jolt, she believes the diversity of Texas is its strength, and immigrant communities are central to the state's growth. As an immigration attorney and border native, she has litigated against bad immigration policies like Remain in Mexico, which she says created a humanitarian crisis at the border. She promises to put a stop to Operation Lone Star and to treat migrants with compassion and respect.

Learn more or donate to Garza's campaign [here](#).

For media inquiries or to arrange an interview, contact our Communications Team at media@joltx.org

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Founded in 2016, Jolt Action is a progressive civic engagement organization focused on building the political power and influence of young Latinos in Texas.

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