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Texas House Democrat Candidates Funded by Non-Texans

Texas House Democrats are counting on non-Texans in an effort to buy their way into a majority

AUSTIN, TEXAS – October 12, 2020 – Democrat Texas House candidates are being funded by out-of-state liberals in an effort to take the majority out of the hands of Texans and place it into the hands of coastal elites.

The Texas House Democrat Campaign Committee's (HDCC), the Democratic organization committed to electing Texas State House Candidates, latest finance report shows *that 63% of their dollars raised are coming from out of state*. National Democrats have made Texas one of their top targets. They want to transform Texas and destroy the policies that have made Texas exceptional.

"The numbers don't lie: it's clear that out-of-state coastal elites are having to spend millions in an attempt to drag their Democrat candidates over the finish line because their masked progressive agenda isn't catching steam in the Lone Star State," said Aaron De Leon, ART Political Director. "Texans are going to see this for what it really is – coastal elites hand-picking candidates to destroy the policies that make Texas, Texas."

Texas House Democrat Candidates out-of-state contributions:

Democrat Challengers to Republican Incumbents

Sharon Hirsch HD-66

Total Contributors: 6,756

Texas Contributors: 1,602 (23.7%)

Lorenzo Sanchez HD-67

Total Contributors: 12,764

Texas Contributors: 1,727 (13.5%)

Joanna Cattanaach HD-108

Total Contributors: 11,970

Texas Contributors: 1,916 (16.0%)

Brandy Chambers HD-112

Total Contributors: 11,019

Texas Contributors: 1,665 (15.1%)

Celina Montoya HD-121

Total Contributors: 14,539

Texas Contributors: 1,782 (12.3%)

Ann Johnson HD-134

Total Contributors: 9,382

Texas Contributors: 1,980 (21.1%)

Likeithia Williams HD-54

Total Contributors: 13,618

Texas Contributors: 1,576 (11.6%)

Angela Brewer HD -64

Total Contributors: 8,299

Texas Contributors: 1,472 (17.7%)

Lydia Bean HD-93

Total Contributors: 1,091

Texas Contributors: 454 (41.6%)

Alisa Simmons HD-94

Total Contributors: 4,791

Texas Contributors: 618 (12.9%)

Elizabeth Beck HD-97

Total Contributors: 6,635

Texas Contributors: 858 (12.9%)

Natali Hurtado HD-126

Total Contributors: 6,869

Texas Contributors: 688 (10.0%)

Eliz Markowitz HD-28

Total Contributors: 1,136

Texas Contributors: 466 (41.0%)

Democrat Challenger in Republican Open Seats

Sarah DeMerchant HD-26

Total Contributors: 315

Texas Contributors: 100 (31.7%)

Joe Drago HD-96

Total Contributors: 2,804

Texas Contributors: 456 (16.3%)

Akilah Bacy HD-138

Total Contributors: 11,563

Texas Contributors: 1,617 (13.9%)

Jeff Whitfield HD-92

Total Contributors: 2,595

Texas Contributors: 597 (23.0%)