

A Native Texan with Job Creation Experience



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# DENISE SAENZ-BLANCHARD

Denise Blanchard's father was a WWII Veteran and Brownsville police officer. Her mother managed several restaurants and retail stores in Brownsville before becoming a homemaker.

Even though Denise lost both parents at a young age to cancer, Denise used the values they taught her to juggle the responsibilities of being a single mother with a full time job to attend and graduate the University of Texas at Brownsville. Armed with a degree in Political Science Denise tackled economic development issues at the Brownsville Economic Development Council and the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce. Denise went on to serve the 27th district for over 15 years as Congressman Ortiz's District Director before rising to become his Chief of Staff. Now Denise owns a small business that provides consulting services like economic development advice that is helping businesses survive the current downturn in the economy.

Now she wants to take her experience in economic development to create jobs and make sure someone is focusing on important issues in Washington again. Issues like balancing the budget like we did in the 90's so we can get back to securing Social Security & Medicare, preparing our kids with a 21st century education, honoring our commitment to our Veterans and giving Law enforcement and first responders the tools and funding they need to keep us safe.

In addition to electing someone with the positive vision we need to fuel economic development and job creation in south Texas, we have a chance to make history by electing the first woman to Congress in the 27th district, as well as the first Texas Latina elected to Congress.



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