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## **Ken Paxton Unveils First TV Ad of Attorney General Campaign** *Highlights Paxton Conservative Record, Recent Comments from Sen. Ted Cruz*

(McKinney, Texas) - On the heels of growing momentum in his campaign for Attorney General, Senator Ken Paxton has unveiled his first television commercial of the campaign. The commercial, airing on Fox News stations around the state, can be viewed at [www.KenPaxton.com](http://www.KenPaxton.com). The ad highlights Senator Paxton's proven conservative record built over an 11-year period in the Texas House and State Senate, and includes recent comments from U.S. Senator Ted Cruz.

On January 11, Senator Cruz stated, "Ken Paxton stands and fights whether it's against Obamacare, whether it's fighting for voter ID, or whether it's fighting to defend our religious liberty. And I'm proud to say Ken Paxton is my friend and fighting hard for the state of Texas."

The release of the television ad follows a steady stream of good news for the conservative leader. Over the past two weeks, Paxton won endorsements from the Tarrant Republican Club, D/FW Conservative Voters, and Sam Houston Tea Party. Paxton has now won 12 straw polls, including the February 1<sup>st</sup> Tarrant County Straw Poll which featured thousands of participants.

Since January, Paxton has also won the backing of the Texas Patriots PAC, Montgomery County Tea Party, Kingwood TEA Party, and Texas Conservative View PAC. Previously he won endorsements from Young Conservatives of Texas, Texans for Fiscal Responsibility, Texas Right to Life PAC, Texas Home School Coalition, Concerned Women for America Legislative Action Committee, Senator Brian Birdwell and 25 Texas House members, and over 100 Tea Party leaders and activists across Texas. Senator Paxton is the only candidate approved by the North Texas Tea Party.

Paxton also enjoys the support of prominent Texas and national conservatives including Kaye T. Goolsby, who serves as Senator Ted Cruz's campaign Statewide Grassroots Chair and currently holds a leadership position on the campaign as Paxton's Statewide Leadership Team Chairman; Kelly Shackelford, Chairman of the Ted Cruz for Senate Statewide Leadership Team and Liberty Institute\* President; Penny Nance, President and CEO, Concerned Women for America\*; Senator Rick Santorum; Cathie Adams, President, Texas Eagle Forum\* and Former Chairman, Republican Party of Texas; Tim Lambert, President, Texas Home School Coalition\* and Former Republican National Committeeman for Texas; David Barton, Founder of WallBuilders and former Republican Party of Texas Vice Chair; Ann Hettinger, Former State Director of Concerned Women for America of Texas\*; Rick Green, Former Texas State Representative and Host of WallBuilders\* Live; Carol Everett, Texas Pro-Life Leader; Founder and CEO of The Heidi Group\*; Michelle Smith, State Director of Concerned Women for America of Texas\*; Jonathan Saenz, President, Texas Values\*; and Hon. Paul Pressler, Former State Representative, Former District Court Judge, and Former Justice, 14th Court of Appeals.

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