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Ken Paxton Announces Release of Web Endorsement Video from Kelly Shackelford

(McKinney, Texas) - Senator Ken Paxton, Republican candidate for Attorney General today announced the release of a web endorsement video from Kelly Shackelford, Chairman of the Ted Cruz for Senate Statewide Leadership Team and Liberty Institute* President. A nationally recognized attorney, Shackelford was named to the *Texas Lawyer* list of "Top 25 Greatest Texas Attorneys for Past 25 Years."

In his previous endorsement, Shackelford stated, "I've known Ken Paxton for more than 25 years as a friend, classmate, and fellow attorney. With his impeccable credentials and sharp legal mind, Ken is the ideal person to serve as Attorney General. We know from experience that he will never turn his back on our conservative principles. We know where Ken stands because he has proven himself as reliable and trustworthy for more than a decade. He is proven. I look forward to working with him as our next Attorney General."

The video can be viewed at www.kenpaxton.com/news.

Paxton has previously been endorsed by prominent Texas and national conservatives including **Penny Nance**, President and CEO, Concerned Women for America*; **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; **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.

Senator Paxton has also been endorsed by Senator Rick Santorum, Young Conservatives of Texas, Texans for Fiscal Responsibility, Texas Right to Life PAC, Texas Home School Coalition Association, Senator Brian Birdwell and 24 Texas House members, and over 100 Tea Party leaders and activists across Texas. Additionally, Senator Paxton won the first six straw polls conducted in the campaign.

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