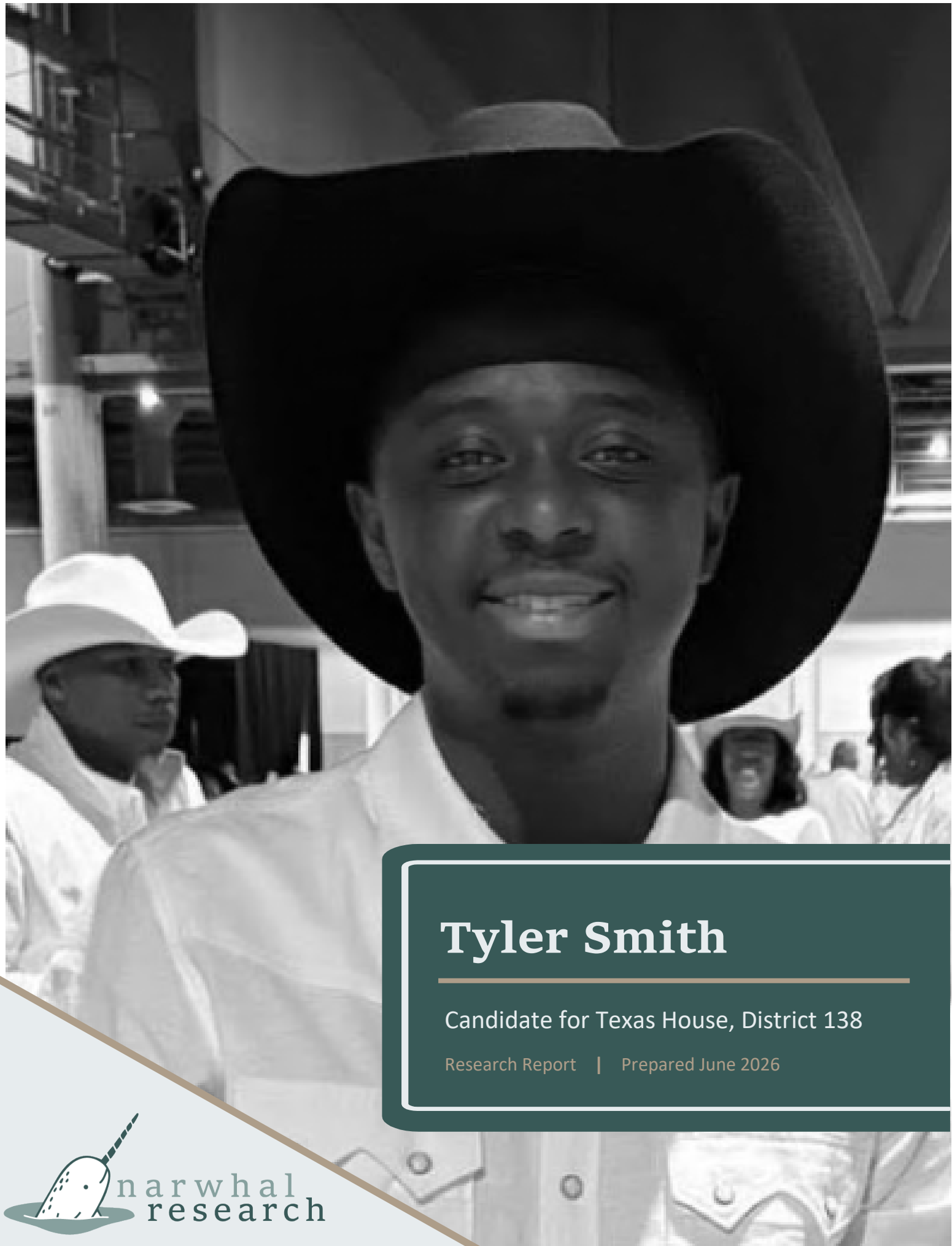




Tyler Smith

Candidate for Texas House, District 138

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In 2019 and 2020, Smith claimed to work at a firm he started with his now campaign treasurer, Kernard Jones, called Smith & Jones Consulting. From their business page on Facebook, the firm worked on local political campaigns, like Carvana Cloud’s DA race, and Edward Pollard and Abbie Kamin’s Houston City council races. The business pivoted to helping restaurants and small business get COVID government money. However, Smith does not list the job on his extensive LinkedIn resume. There are no records of Smith & Jones Consulting being an official business entity. 227

Smith’s candidate for Harris County District Attorney in 2020, Carvana Cloud, was running against the Democratic incumbent because she felt she betrayed progressive initiatives like “bail reform”: “The opposition of misdemeanor bail reform to me was so offensive as a mother of a young black boy, and a daughter, and married to a black man who’s been racially profiled, stopped for driving while black [] I just could not understand why a progressive DA would say no...” 232

Smith described his political consulting firm as helping candidates with “millennial voter turnout” and “minority voter turnout.” 234

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Smith had a short-lived startup called “Chefstant” that “will connect everyday chefs with everyday people.” The Secretary of State found there were grounds for forfeiture of Smith’s LLC’s certificate in 2024. 239

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Background

Identifying Information

Full Name	Tyler Jordan Smith
Date of Birth	October 26, 1999
Place of Birth	California
Residence	10902 Katy Fwy Apt 1406 Houston TX 77043
Spouse	N/A
Children	None identified.
Professional History	Associate Regional Director, Everytown for Gun Safety, April 2023 – Present Director of State and Local Government Relations, Chamber of Progress, March 2022 – November 2022 Executive Assistant, Office of U.S. Senator Jon Ossoff, June 2021 – March 2022 Clerk, BGR Group, September 2020 – June 2021 Presidential Fellow and National Co-Chair Back students for Biden, Biden for President, October 2020 – November 2020, Legislative/ General intern, U.S. Senator Kamala D. Harris, May 2020 – August 2020 Assistant to Vice Chair, Texas Democratic Party, August 2018 – January 2020 Judicial Intern, Harris County, January 2019 – April 2019 Campus Lead, Beto for Texas, September 2018 – November 2018 Intern, Los Angeles Mayor's Office of Public Engagement, April 2018 – August 2018
Military Service	None claimed or identified.

Education	B.S. in Political Science and Government, Texas Southern University (2021) Gardena High School; Los Angeles, California
Political History	Democratic Nominee, Texas House of Representatives District 138 (2026)

Public Biographies

The biographies that follow should not be taken as a representation of fact. They reflect how the subject presents himself. Where omissions, inconsistencies, exaggerations, embellishments, or outright falsehoods have been identified through the course of research, those are included in the findings section of this report.

CAMPAIGN WEBSITE

About Tyler Smith

If you want to get to know the real Tyler Smith, just ask him about baseball. Tyler played baseball from the age of five, until he was 16 years old. His stepdad is a Little League coach. He has a cousin who plays in the big leagues. Tyler coached as a volunteer at Major League Baseball's Urban Youth Academy.

"My stepdad has been my coach—both on and off the field—since I was five years old," says Tyler.

"He taught me to play hard, but always with honor and dignity. He taught me the fight isn't over until the last out. And he showed me how to turn individuals into a team that looks out for one another instead of themselves.

"In short, my stepdad taught me the philosophy that guides me every single day in politics."

Tyler spent his early years in Houston, moved with this family to Los Angeles, and then came back to Houston to attend Texas Southern University (TSU), where he graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Political Science and Government.

Tyler was a Presidential Fellow under President Joe Biden and worked in DC as an Executive Assistant for U.S. Senator Jon Ossoff.

Today, Tyler Smith serves as the deputy regional director for Everytown for Gun Safety, where he builds coalitions of survivors and legislators across the South to increase government engagement, supports volunteers in their advocacy efforts, and collaborates with activists across the ideological spectrum to find common ground. His work is informed by his personal experiences losing loved ones to gun violence.

Tyler recently completed the Obama Foundation's Leaders Program, for leaders working in the public sector, civil society, and the private sector who have demonstrated a commitment to advancing the common good.

<https://tylerfortx.com>

SMITH & JONES CONSULTING (FACEBOOK)



Smith&Jones Consulting
 November 26, 2019 · 🌐

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Meet Tyler Smith. Tyler was born and raised in the City of Los Angeles, California, where he first learned about making a difference in the community.

As a senior in high school, Tyler received an award for his civil awareness from the California State assembly. Since then Tyler has received awards and highlights from people such as the former US ambassador Andrew Young to the former President of Liberia.

Tyler attended Texas Southern University where he majored in Political science and minored in pre law. As a student at Texas Southern Tyler became a state board member of Young Invincibles, the Student Government association Senate Chair, the president of the Texas Southern College Democrats, and the National College Democrat's HBCU outreach director.

Tyler Has worked on many campaigns such as the Beto for Texas U.S. Senate campaign, and many City Council campaigns. Tyler has also gained experience working in the City of Los Angeles Mayor's Office of Public Engagement, and the Harris County Courthouse.

In Tyler's free time he enjoys working with young Democrats of America, Texas Coalition of Black Democrats, the Democratic National Committee, kappa alpha Psi, congressional black caucus, and collegiate 100. Tyler also enjoys traveling, trying new foods, reading books and helping great candidates get elected to office. Tyler currently works for the Texas Democratic Party where he works diligently to make sure that young voters turnout in numbers and their voices are heard.

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Research Findings

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- ◆ Informational: All candidates for State House in Texas must be Texas residents for the two years prior to the date of the general election.

Public Office Sought	U.S. Citizen	Texas Resident	District Resident	Registered to Vote in Area of Office Sought	Minimum Age	Practicing Lawyer or Judge	Source Law	Term of Office
State Senator	Yes	5 yrs. ^b	12 mo. ^b	not req'd ^d	26 ^b	-	TX Const. Art. III, § 6	4 yrs.
State Representative	Yes	2 yrs. ^b	12 mo. ^b	not req'd ^d	21 ^b	-	TX Const. Art. III, § 7	2 yrs.

b. Before date of general election.

Texas Secretary of State, Qualifications for All Public Offices

- ♦ Smith was previously registered in D.C. but never voted according to records.

Smith, Tyler J (Activity)

[REDACTED] Smith, Tyler J		1901 C St SE 546, Washington, 20003					
Last Voter Activity Date		Aug/14/2021		System ID		[REDACTED]	
Date Last Voted				Date Last Voter Card Printed		Aug/14/2021	
Date of Last Status Change		Aug/14/2021		Number of Times Voted			
Record Creation Date		Aug/14/2021		2025	0	2024	0
Registration Date		Aug/14/2021		2022	0	2023	0
Last Transaction							
Date		Operator					
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- ◆ Despite not voting in Texas in 2024, Smith updated his voter registration address on October 7, 2024, which appears to have been processed by Oct. 14:

10/7/24, 12:11 PM Texas Voter Registration Application

Texas Voter Registration Application For Official Use Only
VR17.11E13

Please mail this application to:

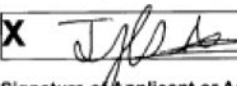
REGISTRAR OF VOTERS
P.O. BOX 3527
HOUSTON, TX 77253-3527

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Application Type: Change

• Are you a United States Citizen? Yes
• Will you be 18 years of age on or before election day? Yes
If you checked 'no' in response to either of the above, do not complete this form.
• Are you interested in serving as an election worker? [REDACTED]

Continue below to complete application.

2 Last Name: Include Suffix if any (Jr, Sr, III) Smith	First Name Tyler	Middle Name (if Any) -	Former Name (if Any) Smith	
3 Residence Address: Street Address and Apartment Number. If none, describe where you live. (Do not include P.O. Box, Rural Rt. or Business Address) 3272 Las Palmas St	City Houston	County HARRIS	State TX	Zip Code 77027
4 Mailing Address: Street Address and Apartment Number (If mail cannot be delivered to your residence address.) 3272 Las Palmas St	City Houston	State tx	Zip Code 77027	
5 City and County of Former Residence in Texas Harris				
6 Date of Birth: (mm/dd/yyyy) [REDACTED] 1999	7 Gender: (Optional) [REDACTED]	8 Telephone Number, include Area Code: (Optional) [REDACTED]		
9 Texas Driver's License No. or Texas Personal I.D. No. (Issued by the Department of Public Safety)		If no Texas Driver's License or Personal Identification, give last 4 digits of your Social Security Number 2457		
☐ I have not been issued a TX Driver's License/Personal Identification Number or Social Security Number.				
10 I understand that giving false information to procure a voter registration is perjury, and a crime under state and federal law. Conviction of this crime may result in imprisonment up to one year in jail, a fine up to \$4,000, or both. Please read all three statements to affirm before signing.				
• I am a resident of this county and a U.S. Citizen; • I have not been finally convicted of a felony, or if a felon, I have completed all of my punishment including any term of incarceration, parole, supervision, period of probation, or I have been pardoned; and • I have not been determined by a final judgment of a court exercising probate jurisdiction to be totally mentally incapacitated or partially mentally incapacitated without the right to vote.				
X 		10.07.2024 Date		
Signature of Applicant or Agent and Relationship to Applicant or Printed Name of Applicant if Signed by Witness and Date.				

<https://vregp.sos.state.tx.us/vr17-print.asp> 1/1

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Note: Voter registered through DPS. Our office does not have an original paper application on file.

Harris County Tax Assessor-Collector & Voter Registrar, Voter Inquiry Tyler Smith

- ◆ Smith reported his address as Los Angeles in 2024 and Washington, D.C. on contributions made to federal candidates in 2022-2023.

Recipient	Contributor	Address	City	State	Employer	Occupation	Memo	Date	Amount
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH ST	LOS ANGELES	CA	EVERYTOWN FOR GUN SAFETY	LOBBYIST	EARMARKED FOR HARRIS FOR PRESIDENT (C00703975)	8/25/24	25
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ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1901 C ST SE 546	WASHINGTON	DC	CHAMBER OF PROGRESS	GOVERNMENT RELATIONS	EARMARKED FOR THE COLLECTIVE PAC (C00617381)	7/21/22	10

Table sourced from Federal Election Commission, "[Individual Contributions Search](#)" accessed on 05/29/2026

- ♦ Even into 2025 and 2026, Smith made contributions in Texas reporting his address as both D.C. and Los Angeles.

REPNO	Filer Name	Contributor Name	Amount	Date	Employer	Occupation	City	State	Zip
101027787	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	11-14-2025	EVERYTOWN	REGIONAL DIRECTOR	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101027787	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	11-08-2025	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101009493	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	05-28-2025	EVERYTOWN	POLICY	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101009493	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	04-28-2025	EVERYTOWN	POLICY	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101001211	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	03-26-2025	EVERYTOWN	POLICY	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
100996326	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	25.00	03-19-2025	EVERYTOWN	GOV AFFAIRS	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101034427	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	01-18-2026	EVERYTOWN	REGIONAL DIRECTOR	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101009362	Smith ,Tyler	Smith, Tyler	30.00	06-30-2025			Los Angeles	CA	90044
101009362	Smith ,Tyler	Smith, Tyler	5.00	06-19-2025			Los Angeles	CA	90044
101010605	Spring Branch Democrats Club	Smith, Tyler	20.00	06-01-2025	Everytown	Policy	Los Angeles	CA	90044
101010605	Spring Branch Democrats Club	Smith, Tyler	20.00	05-04-2025	Everytown	Policy	Los Angeles	CA	90044
101010605	Spring Branch Democrats Club	Smith, Tyler	20.00	03-30-2025	Everytown	Policy	Los Angeles	CA	90044
101027787	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	26.00	12-29-2025	SELF EMPLOYED	CONSULTANT	WASHINGTON	DC	20003
101052282	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	10.00	05-16-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	WASHINGTON	DC	20003
101048578	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	10.00	04-12-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	WASHINGTON	DC	20003
101044488	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	10.00	03-12-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	WASHINGTON	DC	20003
101040513	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	50.00	02-12-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	WASHINGTON	DC	20003

REPNO	Filer Name	Contributor Name	Amount	Date	Employer	Occupation	City	State	Zip
101040513	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	50.00	02-03-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	WASHINGTON	DC	20003
101040978	Childs ,Staci D.	Smith, Tyler	50.00	02-12-2026	Every Town	Political Strategist	Washington DC	DC	20003

Table Sourced from Texas Ethics Commission (note: errors in original data)

- ◆ Smith lists his current job at Everytown for Gun Safety as a “hybrid” position based out of Washington D.C. / Baltimore.



Tyler Smith
 Government Affairs Professional



Experience



Associate Regional Director
 Everytown for Gun Safety · Full-time
 Apr 2023 - Present · 3 yrs 3 mos
 Washington DC-Baltimore Area · Hybrid



Interim study looks at tax incentives for gun safes
 Press release on testimony from Oklahoma Senate.

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/tyler-smith-30655914a/details/experience/>

- ◆ When Smith registered to vote in Harris County in October 2024, the address he provided was his business partner's house.
- ◆ Smith's October 7, 2024 voter registration application had his reported residence as 3272 Las Palmas St, Houston.

10/7/24, 12:11 PM Texas Voter Registration Application

Texas Voter Registration Application For Official Use Only
VR17.11E13

Please mail this application to:

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS
P.O. BOX 3527
HOUSTON, TX 77253-3527

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Application Type: Change

• Are you a United States Citizen? Yes
• Will you be 18 years of age on or before election day? Yes
If you checked 'no' in response to either of the above, do not complete this form.
• Are you interested in serving as an election worker? 

Continue below to complete application.

2 Last Name: Include Suffix if any (Jr, Sr, III) Smith	First Name Tyler	Middle Name (if Any) -	Former Name (if Any) Smith	
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3 Residence Address: Street Address and Apartment Number. If none, describe where you live. (Do not include P.O. Box, Rural Rt. or Business Address) 3272 Las Palmas St	City Houston	County HARRIS	State TX	Zip Code 77027
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4 Mailing Address: Street Address and Apartment Number (If mail cannot be delivered to your residence address.) 3272 Las Palmas St	City Houston	State tx	Zip Code 77027
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5 **City and County of Former Residence in Texas**
Harris

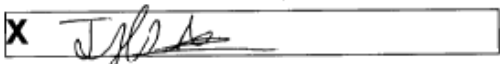
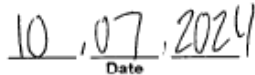
6 Date of Birth: (mm/dd/yyyy)  1999	7 Gender (Optional) 	8 Telephone Number, include Area Code (Optional) 
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9 **Texas Driver's License No. or Texas Personal I.D. No.** (Issued by the Department of Public Safety)
If no Texas Driver's License or Personal Identification, give last 4 digits of your Social Security Number
2457

☐ I have not been issued a TX Driver's License/Personal Identification Number or Social Security Number.

10 I understand that giving false information to procure a voter registration is perjury, and a crime under state and federal law. Conviction of this crime may result in imprisonment up to one year in jail, a fine up to \$4,000, or both. Please read all three statements to affirm before signing.

- I am a resident of this county and a U.S. Citizen;
- I have not been finally convicted of a felony, or if a felon, I have completed all of my punishment including any term of incarceration, parole, supervision, period of probation, or I have been pardoned; and
- I have not been determined by a final judgment of a court exercising probate jurisdiction to be totally mentally incapacitated or partially mentally incapacitated without the right to vote.

☒  
Date

Signature of Applicant or Agent and Relationship to Applicant or Printed Name of Applicant if Signed by Witness and Date.

<https://vcap.sos.state.tx.us/vr17-print.asp>

Harris County Voter Registration

- ◆ Kernard Jones is currently registered to vote at that address.

HARRIS COUNTY VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS

Annette Ramirez
Harris County Tax Assessor-Collector & Voter Registrar
713-274-8200
P.O. Box 3527
Houston, TX 77253-3527

This record shows the newly changed 2026 districts and is for informational purposes only.
[Click here to find polling locations and your sample ballot](#)

VUID	Sex	Valid from	U.S. REP.	STATE SEN.	STATE REP.	COMM. PREC.	JUSTICE PREC.
2119734332	M	1/1/2026	007	015	134	4	01
Certificate Number	Prec. No.	thru					
75481390	0177	12/31/2027					

Name and Permanent Residence Address
KERNARD D JONES
3272 LAS PALMAS ST
HOUSTON TX 77027

<https://www.hctax.net/Voter/CertificateFL?Cert=75481390>

- ◆ The property is a 3-bedroom townhome which Jones and his wife occupied with their children at the time Smith swore it was his residence in 2024.

Off market



\$479,976

3272 Las Palmas St, Houston, TX 77027

3 beds

3 baths

2,417 sqft

https://www.zillow.com/homedetails/3272-Las-Palmas-St-Houston-TX-77027/121103763_zpid/



Kernard Jones

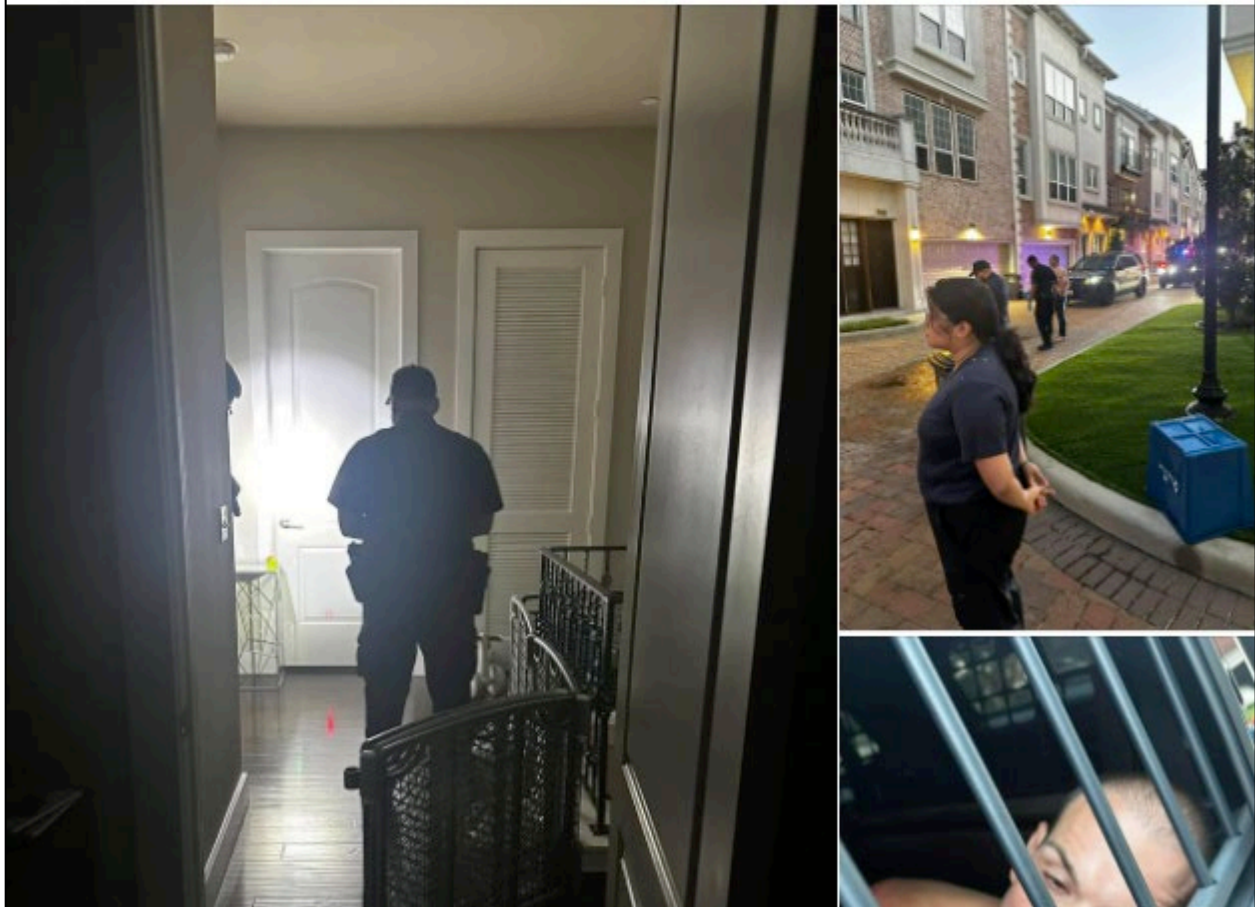
June 22, 2024 · 🌐

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Early this morning around 4:30 am Kaelah and I were awakened by someone who had broke into our home and barricaded himself in our son's room (thank God he was at his grandma's). I would like to thank HPD for their quick response and arrest of the suspect. God truly watched over our family today.

On a side note: Our city leaders need to do more to combat the crime problem in this city. We live in what many would consider a safe community in Houston. Crime can happen anywhere and we all need to remain vigilant as we tackle this crime issue in our great city.

This guys name is Michael Philip Shallis

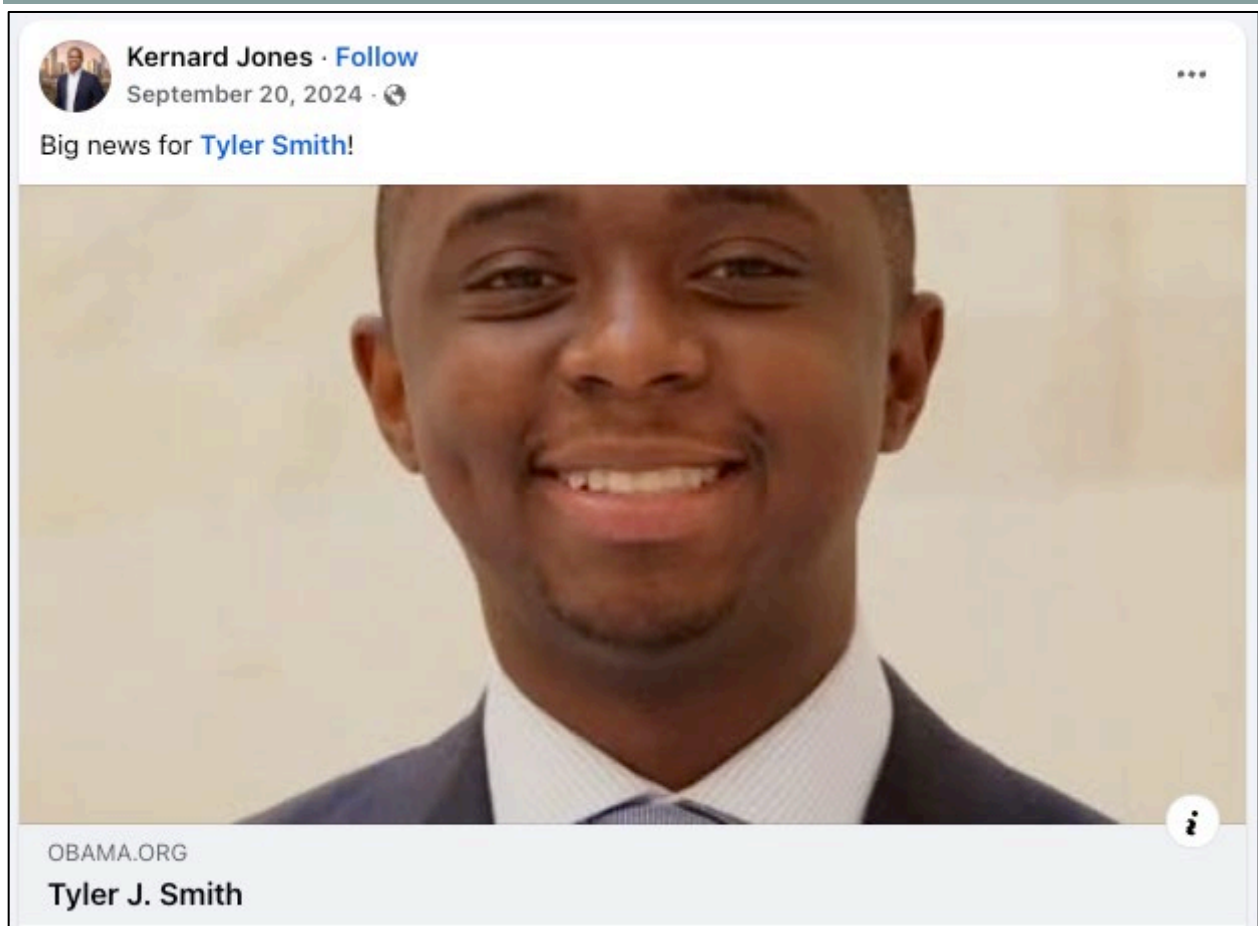


Facebook, 06/22/2024

- ♦ Oddly, no post from Jones about his best friend/business partner/Godfather to his firstborn moving back to Texas and moving in with him, his wife, and his children was identified.



Facebook, 06/28/2022



Facebook, 09/20/2024



Facebook, 10/25/2024



Kernard Jones · [Follow](#)

September 4, 2025 · 🌐

There's no one I trust more to be in the State House fighting for all of us than [Tyler Smith](#). He's a best friend turned brother, my sons God father and business partner. He has what it takes to fight for Texans and the good people of HD 138. I stand with and support Tyler fully for State Representative. [See less](#)



Tyler Smith for Texas · [Follow](#)

September 4, 2025 · 🌐

It's official—I'm running for Texas House District 138.... [See more](#)

Facebook, [09/04/2025](#)



Kernard Jones · Follow

October 3, 2025 · 🌐

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There are few things more meaningful than watching someone you love walk in their purpose. Tyler is my best friend and one of the most grounded and genuine people I know. I have seen his heart for people and his commitment to doing the work. I am proud to stand with him as he runs to represent Texas House District 138.

It is an honor to host this fundraiser for him. Join us on Wednesday, October 22 from 5:30 to 7:00 pm at Five Central Houston. If you cannot make it, please consider donating to help Tyler cross the finish line. Every gift matters.

RSVP or donate here: <https://secure.actblue.com/donate/ts-oct22> See less

PLEASE JOIN

Tyler Smith

Democratic Candidate for TX HD 138

CAMPAIGN FUNDRAISING RECEPTION



WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2025

5:30pm – 7:00pm

FIVE CENTRAL HOUSTON

2736 Virginia St, Houston, TX 77098

CONTRIBUTION LEVELS

\$5,000 • \$2,500 • \$1,000 • \$500 • \$250 • \$100

RSVP / MORE INFO:

<https://secure.actblue.com/donate/ts-oct22>



HOSTS:

Kernard Jones
Ronald C. Green
Greg Norwood

Pol. adv. Tyler Smith Campaign

Facebook, 10/03/2025

Smith in 2018: “If you don’t vote unfollow me now!!”.

Smith in July 2024: “Texas is a blue State where Democrats don’t vote!!”...*Smith did not vote in Texas in November 2024.*



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



If you don’t vote unfollow me now!!

3:54 PM · Jul 26, 2018

<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1022585865258684416>



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Say what you want but as @RodneyEllis always says! Texas is a blue State where Democrats don’t vote!!



Polling USA @USA_Polling · Jul 31, 2024

Harris said "Put Texas on the board"



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Tyler Smith shared a memory.

October 20, 2024 · 🌐



Happy birthday MVP excited to deliver my birthday gift at the voting booth!



3 years ago
See your memories



Oct 20



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Facebook, [10/20/2024](#)



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Texas is a battleground state and The blue wall starts in HARRIS county !



Jeremy Wallace  @JeremySWallace · Oct 22, 2024

BREAKING: @KamalaHarris is returning to Texas on Friday for a rally in Houston.

It's been 30 years since we've had a presidential nominee campaigning in Texas so close to Election Day....

11:11 AM · Oct 22, 2024 · **168** Views

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Facebook, [10/29/2024](#)

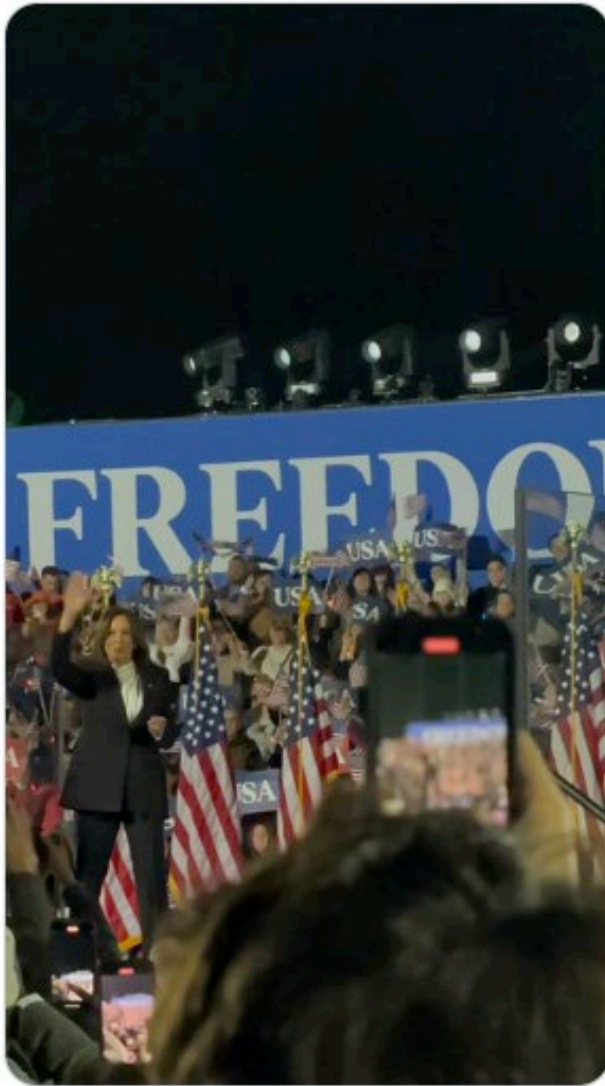


Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Let's finish the job!

[iwillvote.com](https://www.iwillvote.com)



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Texan when it's convenient, Californian at heart. A Lone Star Left profile on Smith's candidacy states he "grew up in Houston" but Smith's own consulting firm bio in 2019 states "Tyler was born and raised in the City of Los Angeles, California."

- ◆ A Lone Star Left profile on Smith states he "grew up in Houston."

Who is Tyler Smith?

Tyler Smith is a Houston-area Democrat. He grew up in Houston, and he says that he learned everything he needed to know about politics on a baseball diamond. His stepdad was a Little League coach and drilled into him to play hard, play with honor, and not to quit until the last out. Smith later volunteered as a coach at MLB's Urban Youth Academy, and also as a cousin in the big leagues.

Lone Star Left, "[Meet The Candidates: Tyler Smith For Texas State House District 138](#)" 4/26/2026

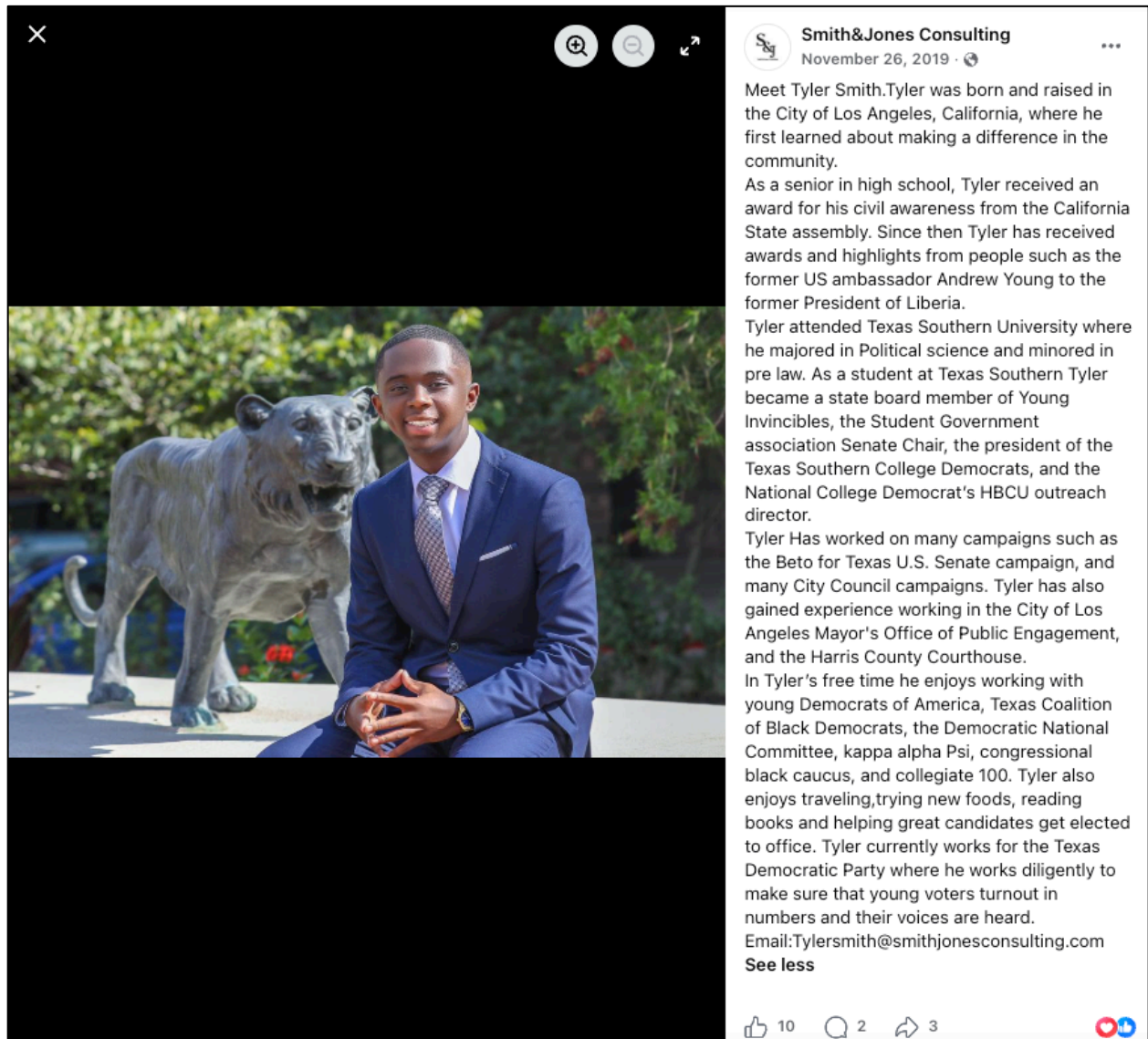
- ◆ Smith's campaign website: "Tyler spent his early years in Houston, moved with this family to Los Angeles, and then came back to Houston to attend Texas Southern University"

Tyler spent his early years in Houston, moved with this family to Los Angeles, and then came back to Houston to attend Texas Southern University (TSU), where he graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Political Science and Government.



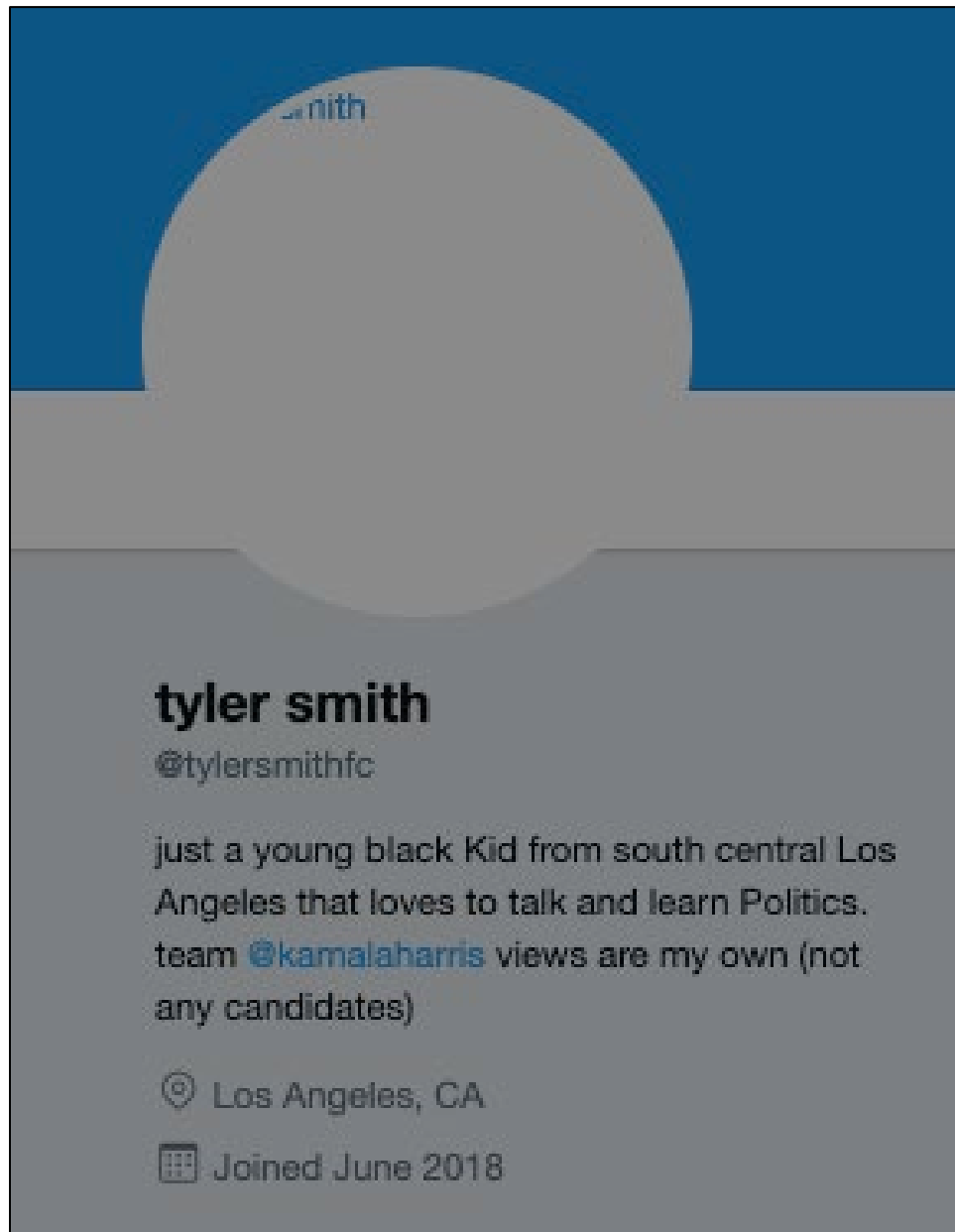
<https://tylerfortx.com/>

- ◆ In a Smith & Jones Consulting Facebook post from 2019, Smith is described as “born and raised in the City of Los Angeles, California, where he first learned about making a difference in the community. As a senior in high school, Tyler received an award for his civil awareness from the California State assembly.”



Facebook 11/26/2019

- ♦ Smith's Twitter bio previously read: "just a young black Kid from south central Los Angeles"



[Internet Archive](#)

- ◆ “Couldn’t be more excited to see another Proud Angeleno defend the dream and make history in the US senate!”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Couldn’t be more excited to see another Proud Angeleno defend the dream and make history in the US senate!



Alex Padilla ✓ @AlexPadilla4CA · Dec 22, 2020

I am humbled and honored to serve as California’s next United States Senator. Thank you, @GavinNewsom, for entrusting me with the role of defending the dream for the people of California. [x.com/GavinNewsom/st...](https://x.com/GavinNewsom/status/1341510432398274560)

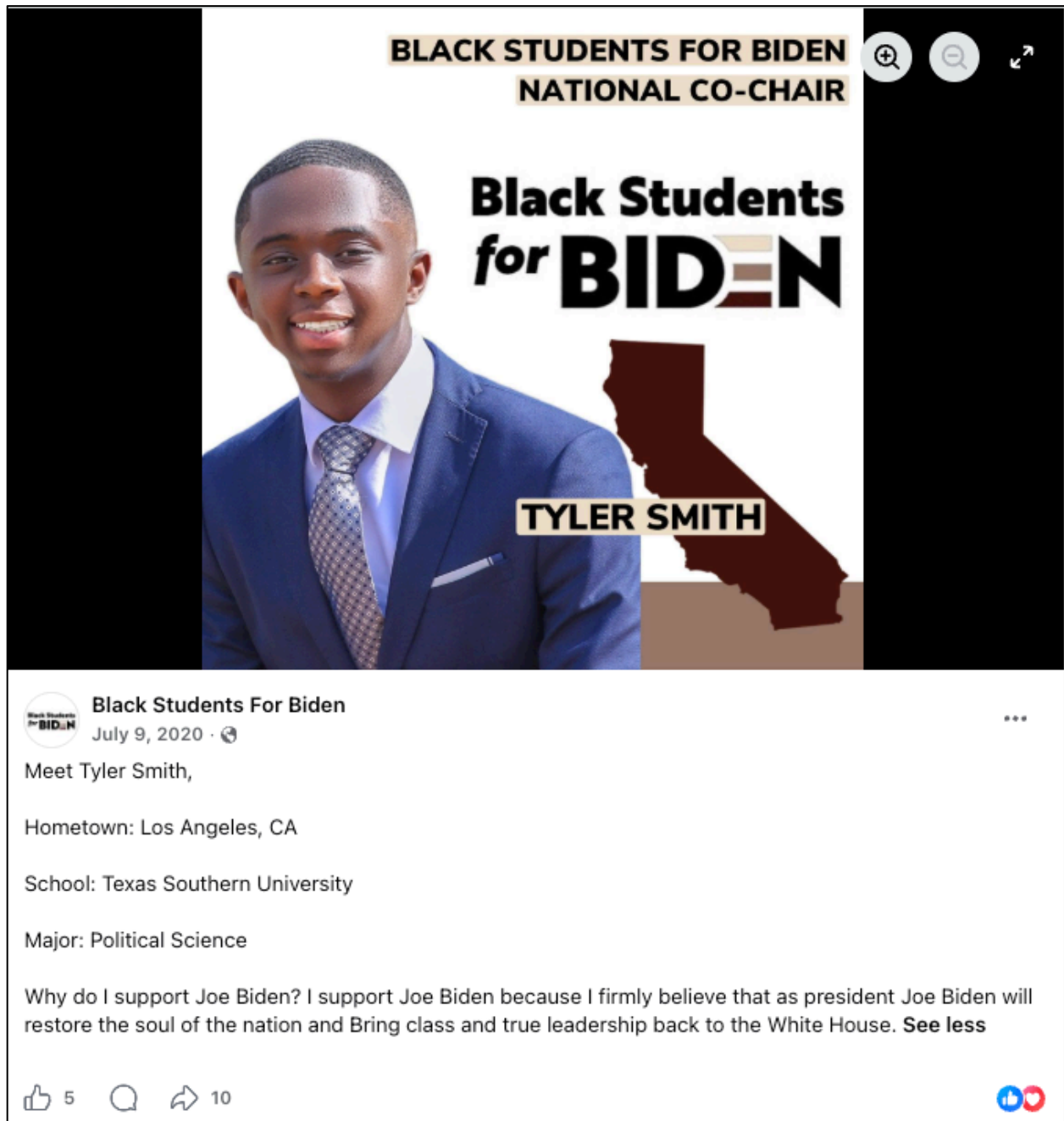
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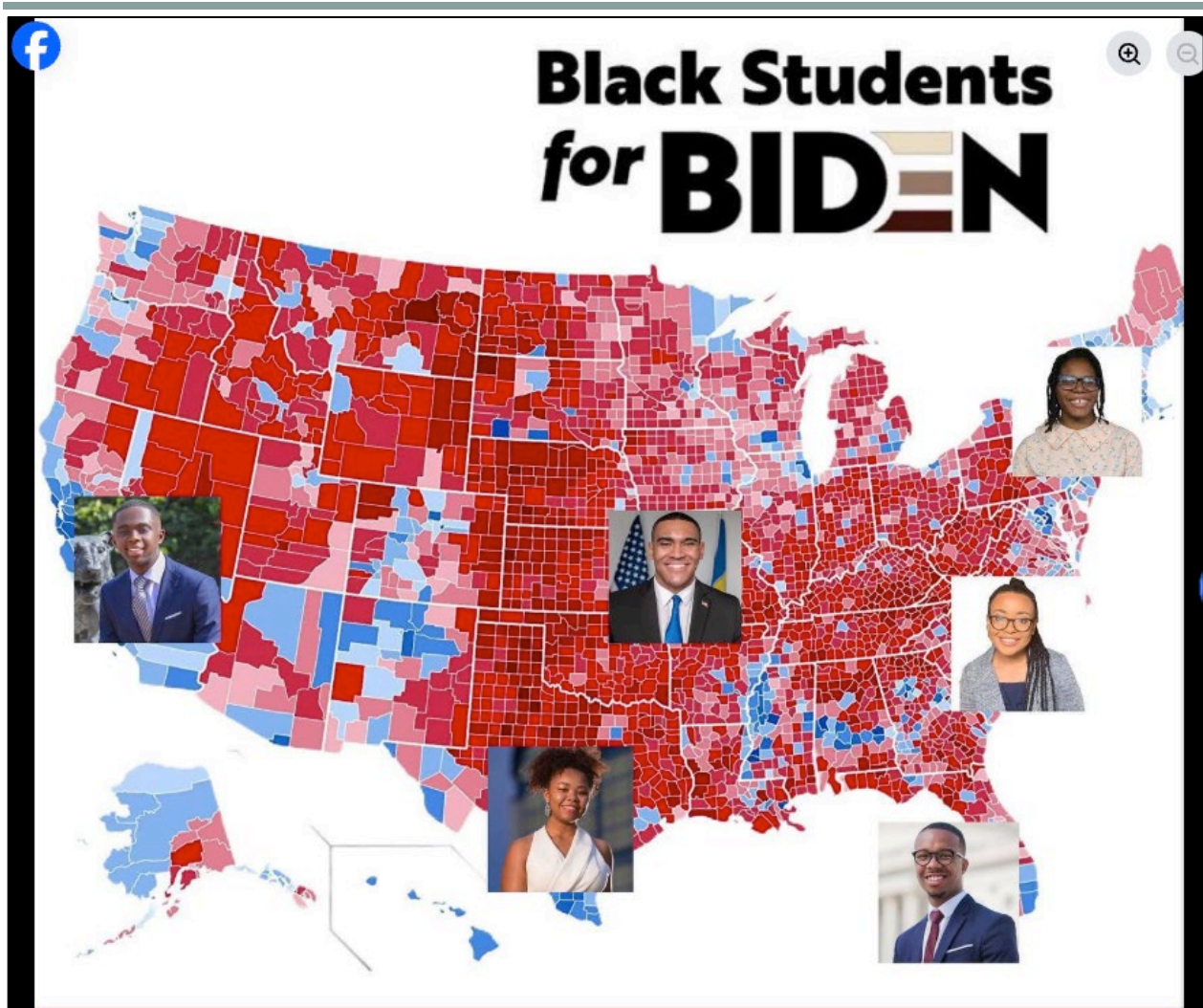
4:26 PM · Dec 22, 2020

<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1341510432398274560>

- ◆ The Biden campaign announced Tyler Smith as a national co-chair of Black Students for Biden in July 2020: “Hometown: Los Angeles, CA”

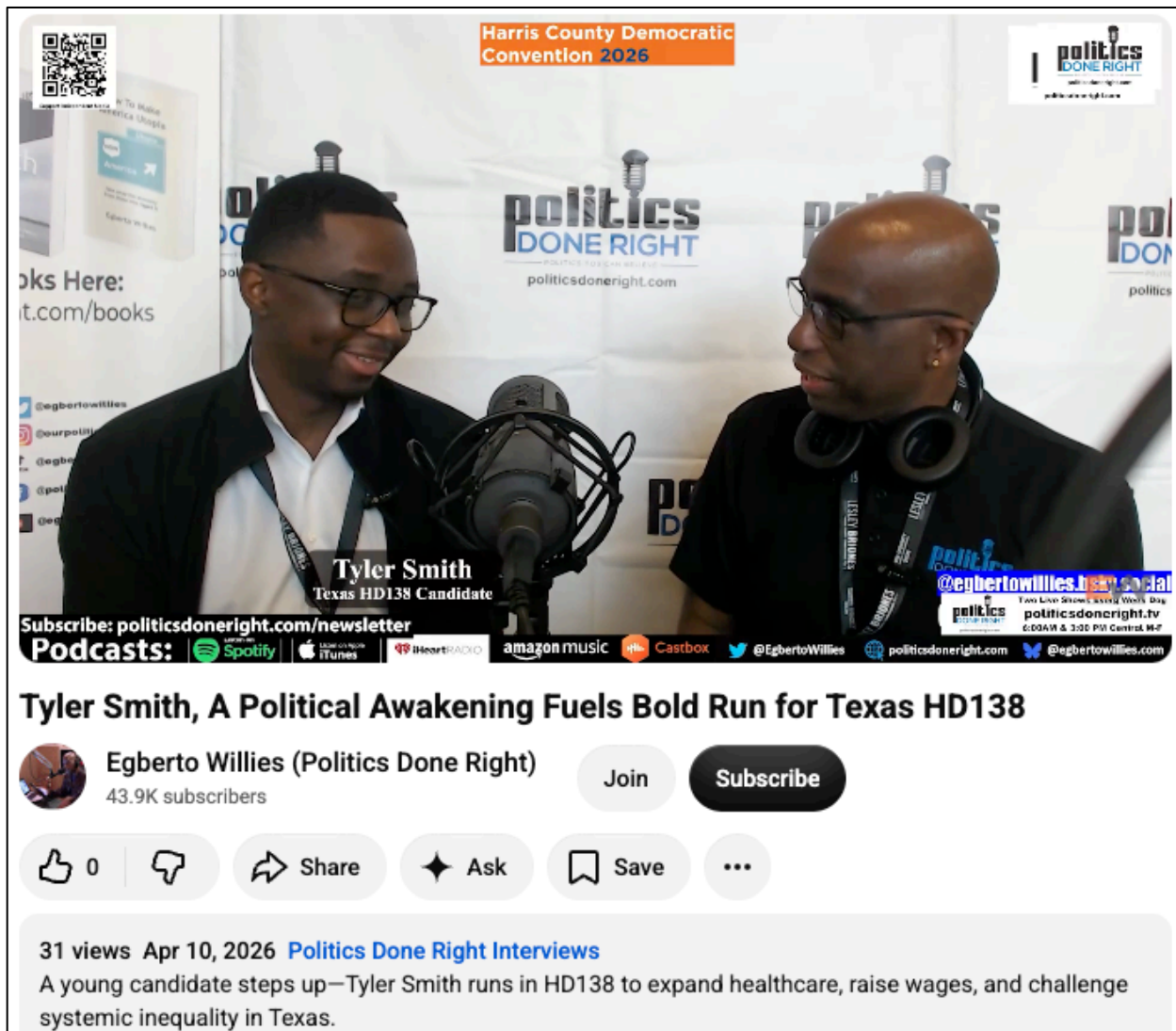


Facebook, [07/09/2020](#)



Facebook, 07/08/2020

- ◆ In an April 2026 interview, the host said to Smith (segment begins 0:28): “First of all, we had a little talk beforehand. You're, you're born in LA, you, your family moved to Texas, you became a Texan, you had the nerve to go back to LA, and he said, "I can't take LA anymore. I gotta go back to the heat to Texas.”
- ◆ Smith: “I couldn't miss out on 100 degree weather in the summers and all the barbecue, so I decided to come back to Houston.”



Tyler Smith
Texas HD138 Candidate

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Tyler Smith, A Political Awakening Fuels Bold Run for Texas HD138

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A young candidate steps up—Tyler Smith runs in HD138 to expand healthcare, raise wages, and challenge systemic inequality in Texas.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Uq7buU3PlbA>; video archived [here](#)

- ◆ High School baseball profiles of Smith show him attending high school in California:



LATEST PG SHOWCASE REPORT

2016 SUNSHINE WEST SHOWCASE

Tyler Smith is a 2017 OF/LHP with a 5-8 135 lb. frame from Los Angeles, CA who attends Gardena HS. Smith has a slender frame with a lean build. Defensively he showed developing footwork to the baseball with short choppy steps attacking the baseball. Smith has a long arm action with developing arm strength up to 69 MPH. He throws uphill and he showed developing actions in the outfield. At the plate Smith starts with an open stance with a quiet approach. He uses a no load approach and has a rotational swing. He made contact on the ground to the pull side in BP with developing bat speed. There's more in there with improved rhythm and timing to his swing. He pitched from an over top arm slot with developing feel for his release point.

<https://www.perfectgame.org/Players/Playerprofile.aspx?ID=442691>



Tyler Smith
Gardena (CA)
Senior • 2017 | 5'9" • 135 lbs
V. Baseball #4 • OF

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Tyler Smith

 **Added to Roster**
Wednesday, Mar 8, 2017

 Tyler has been added to the Gardena 2017 baseball roster.

[Tyler's Roster](#) | [Schedule](#)



<https://www.maxpreps.com/ca/gardena/gardena-panthers/athletes/tyler-smith/?careerid=jfcfp9b2ej6ue>

Smith is an anti-Second Amendment lobbyist for the Bloomberg-backed organization Everytown for Gun Safety.

- ◆ Smith describes his employment for the anti-gun group “Everytown for Gun Safety” as a lobbyist, according to political contributions he made.

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Table sourced from Federal Election Commission, [“Individual Contributions Search”](#) accessed on 05/29/2026

- ♦ Smith disclosed the position on his Personal Financial Statement and currently works there according to his LinkedIn:

SOURCES OF OCCUPATIONAL INCOME		PART 1A
If the requested information is not applicable, indicate that on Page 2 of the Cover Sheet, and DO NOT include this page in the report.		
When reporting information about a dependent child's activity, indicate the child about whom you are reporting by providing the number under which the child is listed on the Cover Sheet.		
1 FILER INFORMATION	FILER NAME Smith, Tyler	FILER ID 00089653
2 INFORMATION RELATES TO	☒ FILER ☐ SPOUSE ☐ DEPENDENT CHILD ____	
3 EMPLOYMENT ☒ EMPLOYED BY ANOTHER	NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER / POSITION HELD ☐ (Check if Filer's Home Address) EMPLOYER Everytown for gun Safety ADDRESS / PO BOX; APT / SUITE #; CITY; STATE; ZIP CODE 909 3rd Avenue floor 15 New york, NY 10022 POSITION HELD Regional Director	
☐ SELF-EMPLOYED	NATURE OF OCCUPATION	

Texas Ethics Commission

 Tyler Smith Government Affairs Professional
 Experience  Associate Regional Director Everytown for Gun Safety · Full-time Apr 2023 - Present · 3 yrs 3 mos Washington DC-Baltimore Area · Hybrid

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/tyler-smith-30655914a/details/experience/>

- ◆ Everytown for Gun Safety is “largely funded by former New York Mayor Michael Bloomberg”

Everytown for Gun Safety Action Fund

Everytown for Gun Safety (better known by its short name, Everytown) is a New York-based lobbying group that advocates for gun control measures while opposing laws expanding firearms carry privileges.¹

[Read More](#) ▾

At-A-Glance

Type: [Non-profit, 501\(c\)\(4\)](#)

Tax ID: 20-8802884

Issue Areas: [Firearms Policy](#)

Most Recent Filing: [2024](#)

Website: everytown.org

Budget (2024): Assets: \$23,297,960

Location: New York, NY 📍

Revenue: \$57,116,526 Expenses: \$56,507,469



[Michael Bloomberg](#), the former New York City mayor and founder and owner of global financial services and media company Bloomberg LP, is the founder and the primary funder of Everytown. Bloomberg founded the anti-gun group in April 2014 as a rival to the influence of the pro-Second Amendment National Rifle Association.¹ Everytown's 2015 tax return shows the group reporting total revenue of about \$39.5 million.² Bloomberg had initially pledged about \$50 million to fund anti-gun campaigns through the lobbying group during the 2014 election cycle.¹

The group maintains an active presence on social media with Twitter and Facebook accounts where it advertises and promotes gun control campaigns. Everytown's website includes a section that enables activist to locate events that are closest to their neighborhoods. The group has donated tens of thousands, and in some instances, hundreds of thousands of dollars to state-level organizations that support gun control.¹

Everytown has a 501(c)(3) nonprofit affiliate, [Everytown for Gun Safety Support Fund](#).¹

Funding

Everytown is largely funded by former New York Mayor Michael Bloomberg, an advocate for gun control.¹

Everytown's lobbying expenditures on behalf of gun control totaled about \$1.3 million for 2017.¹⁵ These figures show all the funds spent against Republicans and for Democrats.

The *New York Times* reports that Everytown's hiring surged while its spending “exploded” in a little more than two years after it was founded.¹⁶ During that time, Everytown expanded from having just 12 employees to 130. The group spent \$37 million in 2014, according to tax records, which “included \$4.6 million on political campaign activities, \$3.5 million on advertising and promotion, \$2 million on travel, \$1.7 million on lobbying, and \$580,000 on polling.”¹⁶

<https://www.influencewatch.org/non-profit/everytown-for-gun-safety/>



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Solutions

Everytown recommends these evidence-based solutions. Our research shows that common-sense public safety policies can reduce gun violence and save lives.

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Congress Is Trying to Pass a Dangerous Federal Concealed Carry Mandate. Here's How We Can Stop It.

Key Takeaways Lawmakers in Congress are proposing a dangerous bill that would create a federal concealed carry mandate, also known as concealed carry reciprocity

(H.R. 38 and S. 65). Passing what it calls "concealed carry reciprocity" is one of the gun industry's top priorities. This legislation would: Force each state...[Continue](#)

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Require Prohibited People to Turn in Their Guns

Waiting Periods

<https://www.everytown.org/solutions/>



KEEP COMMUNITIES SAFE

Block a Federal Concealed Carry Mandate

Keep Guns Off Campus

Prohibit Guns in Sensitive Areas

Prohibit Open Carry

Repeal Shoot First Laws

Require Permits to Carry Concealed Guns in Public

Strong Standards for Carrying Concealed Guns in Public

Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) Assistance Funding

Violence Intervention Programs

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KEEP GUNS OUT OF SCHOOLS

Keep Guns Off Campus

Prohibit Guns in Sensitive Areas

Reconsider Active Shooter Drills

Stop Arming Teachers

Threat Identification and Assessment Programs
in Schools

BE A RESPONSIBLE GUN OWNER

Educate Gun Owners of Risks

Gun Owner Safety Training

Secure Gun Storage

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HOLD THE GUN INDUSTRY ACCOUNTABLE

[Gun Dealer Reform](#)

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[Repeal Gun Industry Immunity](#)

[Repeal Restrictions on Gun Trace Data](#)

[Report Lost and Stolen Guns](#)

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PROHIBIT ASSAULT WEAPONS & DANGEROUS HARDWARE

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◆ Smith's Oklahoma testimony on behalf of Everytown for Gun Safety:



**Testimony of Tyler Smith
Associate Regional Director of Government Affairs
Everytown For Gun Safety**

**Oklahoma State Senate
Senate Finance Committee**

Sales Tax Exemption on Gun Safes

Good Morning Chair and members of the committee,

My name is Tyler Smith and I am the Associate Regional Director for Everytown for Gun Safety. Everytown is the largest gun violence prevention organization in the country with nearly 10 million supporters including moms, mayors, survivors and everyday Americans who are fighting for public safety measures that respect the Second Amendment and help save lives. At the core of Everytown are Mayors Against Illegal Guns, Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America and the Everytown Survivor Network.

Everytown for Gun Safety strongly endorses this committee's interim study on Secure Storage Tax Exemptions. Extensive research underscores the critical importance of secure storage practices in mitigating the risk of gun violence. The secure storage of firearms serves as a protective measure for both children and adults, helping to prevent unintentional shootings, suicides involving firearms, and instances of gun theft.

Every year, over 350 kids unintentionally shoot themselves or someone else.¹ Already this year, there have been 115 deaths from these types of incidents. They often result in life-changing consequences for the victims and their families. Recently, in Choctaw, Oklahoma, a heart-wrenching incident unfolded when a 14-year-old boy accidentally shot his 8-year-old brother in the chest with a firearm that had not been securely stored.² This devastating event underscores the urgent need for legislation that encourages the community to invest in secure firearm storage solutions, taking a significant step towards preventing further unintentional shootings and suicides within the state.

¹ <https://everytownresearch.org/report/notanaccident/>

² <https://www.koco.com/article/oklahoma-choctaw-shooting-walmart/44433658>

Oklahoma Senate

Three quarters of school shooters gained access to firearms from a parent or relative.³

The United States Secret Service's research has underscored this troubling fact, revealing that approximately three-quarters of school shooters obtained their weapons from within their own families.

These unfortunate events emphasize the critical need for Oklahoma to take proactive steps towards ensuring the safety of its residents, especially during school events and public gatherings like football games. To address this pressing issue, it is imperative that Oklahoma lawmakers consider the creation of legislation that not only incentivizes responsible firearm storage but also provides protection for children and families in these public settings.

4.6 Million kids live in a home with at least one loaded and unlocked firearm.⁴ This alarming statistic underscores the urgent need for responsible gun ownership and secure storage measures to protect our young ones from preventable accidents and tragedies. Ensuring that firearms are stored in a secure manner, such as using gun safes or locks, is essential to reducing the risk of unauthorized access, unintentional discharges, and potential harm to children. Promoting education and awareness about secure firearm storage practices within communities is also crucial in addressing this pressing issue and safeguarding our children's well-being.

The introduction of such legislation represents a crucial first step in safeguarding the lives of Oklahoma residents, particularly its youngest members. Tennessee just enacted a law providing tax incentives for purchasing secure storage devices during its recent special session in response to the shooting at the Covenant School in Nashville. Research highlights that nearly one in every three unintentional shooters is a preschooler⁵, highlighting the gravity of the problem and the necessity for preventive measures. By implementing laws that incentivize secure storage, we can work towards reducing the tragic toll of preventable incidents and fostering a safer environment for all Oklahomans.

Oklahoma has the 6th Highest rate of gun suicide in the nation.⁶ The high prevalence of gun suicides underscores the importance of disrupting easy access to firearms during a time of crisis. Providing a sales tax exemption for secure firearm storage devices would be a laudable step to increase secure storage in the state. By incentivizing responsible firearm storage practices, this policy would not only contribute to reducing the risk of suicide but would also underscore the state's commitment to safeguarding the well-being of its residents.

³ https://www.secretservice.gov/sites/default/files/2020-04/Protecting_Americas_Schools.pdf

⁴ <https://jamanetwork.com/journals/jamanetworkopen/fullarticle/2789269>

⁵ <https://everytownresearch.org/report/notanaccident/>

⁶ <https://everystat.org/#Oklahoma>

Twenty six states have passed a form of Secure storage laws across the U.S.⁷ These measures have been met with widespread support from both sides of the political spectrum, as states recognize the critical role they play in fostering safer communities.

These secure storage laws, which incentives people with children in the home or all gun owners in the state to store their firearms securely when not in use, are a practical and effective means of reducing the risk of accidents, unauthorized access, and firearm theft. The bipartisan support they've garnered highlights the shared commitment to promoting responsible gun ownership and enhancing public safety.

Creating financial incentives to purchase secure storage devices has the potential to create a ripple effect of positive change within the community. It encourages open conversations about firearm safety. It fosters a sense of community responsibility and underscores the idea that we are all in this together, working towards a safer, more compassionate society.

In summary, creating a tax exemption for secure gun storage devices represents a commendable initiative that aligns with the values of responsible gun ownership. They signify Oklahoma's commitment to safeguarding its citizens, reducing the risk of suicides and unintentional shootings, and fostering a culture of responsible firearm ownership. This policy is not just a great start but a pivotal milestone in the journey towards a safer state.

Sincerely,

Tyler Smith
Associate Regional Director of Government Affairs
Everytown For Gun Safety

⁷ <https://www.everytown.org/solutions/responsible-gun-storage/>

Oklahoma Senate

Smith spent a year working for the lobbying firm, BGR Group.

- ◆ Smith also worked as a clerk for the big lobbying firm, **BGR Group**.



Tyler Smith

Government Affairs Professional



Clerk

BGR Group

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Smith was named a “top lobbyist” by a national lobbying institute, The National Institute for Lobbying & Ethics (NILE), in 2023.

- ◆ Smith was honored as a 2023 Top Lobbyist in the Association Category by NILE:

NILE Announces 2023 Top Lobbyist Recipients



Fairfax, VA, The National Institute for Lobbying & Ethics (NILE) is thrilled to announce the recipients of its 2023 Top Lobbyist award. In 2020 NILE embarked on a mission to create an annual list that recognizes excellence in lobbying while ensuring the selection process is purely merit-based. Our dedicated panel of judges blindly evaluated each nominee to guarantee that the honor of being a Top Lobbyist is earned solely through outstanding performance and dedication to their profession in the given year.

“This award celebrates the top in our profession this year,” stated Jocelyn Hong, NILE President. “This award recognizes those who have made significant contributions to those they represent, as well as those who have made a commitment to giving back through pro-bono work. Given the number of local, state, and federal lobbyists, grassroots, and PAC professionals, to be singled out by your peers for this award has real meaning,” added Hong.

Sasha Pudelski, The School Superintendents Association

Jill Sims, Hospitality Minnesota

Tyler Smith, Everytown for Gun Safety

Michele Stanley, National Stone, Sand & Gravel Association

Mary Lee Watts, American Society for Microbiology

Nathaniel Wienecke, American Property Casualty Insurance Association

<https://www.lobbyinginstitute.com/post/nile-announces-the-2023-top-lobbyist-recipients>

- ◆ The organization also released a PDF to go along with the 2023 announcement, which displays a photo of Smith:



Smith was with Kernard Jones, his campaign treasurer and former consulting partner, when Jones posted: “Fun night a Churchill Downs in Louisville, Kentucky. This is one of those cool lobbyist moments.”



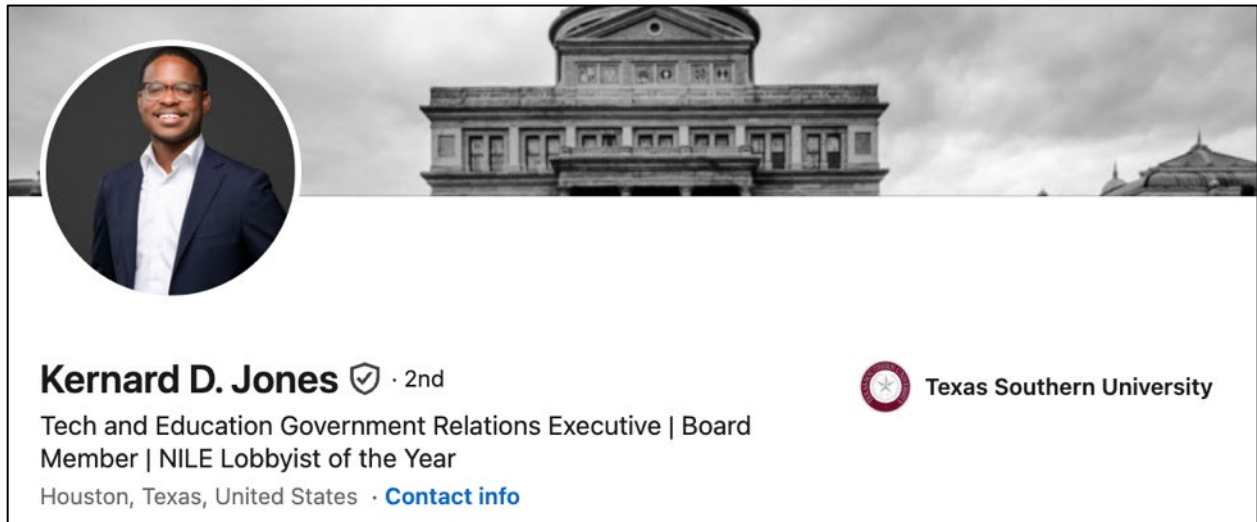
Facebook, 08/07/2024

- ◆ Lobbyists stick together. Smith's campaign treasurer, Kernard Jones, is also a NILE Lobbyist of the Year.
- ◆ Kernard Jones is Smith's treasurer.

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Form CTA received 04/21/2025, Treasurer, Kernard Jones

- ◆ Jones boasts of being a NILE Lobbyist of the Year on LinkedIn:



<https://www.linkedin.com/in/kernard-d-jones-5035a1123/>

Smith: “Strict gun laws doesn’t mean taking guns away from law abiding citizens.” Also Smith: “No one needs an AR-15.”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



we need stricter gun legislation in America... Strict gun laws doesn't mean taking guns away from law abiding citizens; it means creating measures to keep guns out of kids and people who don't need them hands. It's always sad to hear and see stories like [#covenantshooting](#)

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Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Texas is Ranked 42nd in health care. Let's say we feed into your narrative that he was mentally ill, Texas hasn't done anything to solve the mental health crisis.

The argument that he was mentally ill is more of a reason why we need gun reform. No one needs an AR-15



Michael®  @Thunderclap · May 25, 2022

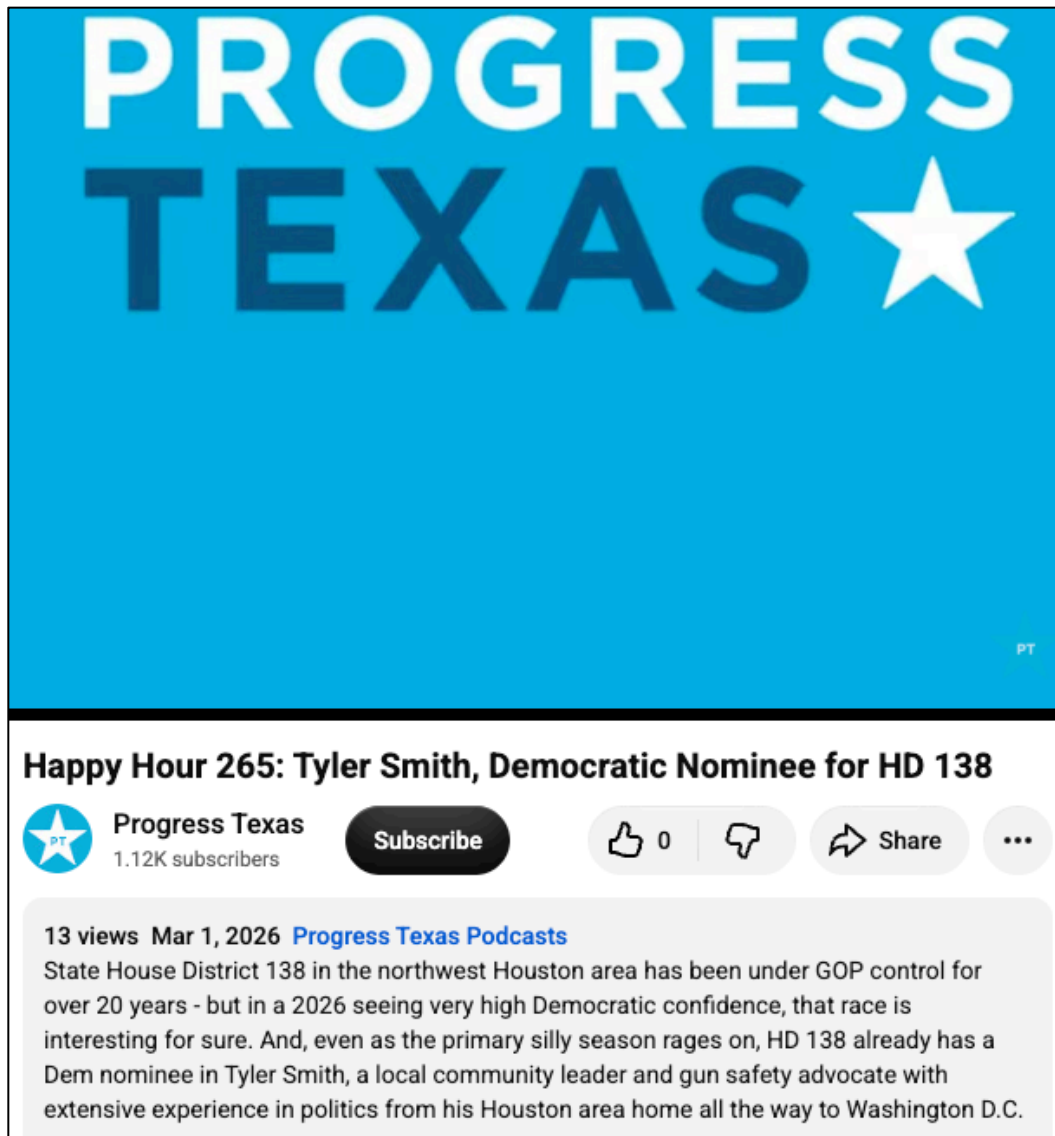
Replying to @tylersmithfc

A subtle dig at a mentally ill Hispanic kid with an illegal ar-15 doesn't become you. He broke nine laws, including border jumping. Texas is protecting our kids. The federal admin doesn't give a fuck

12:59 AM · May 25, 2022

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Smith: “One of the things that we can do is raise the age to purchase a weapon”



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3CJkhnLxESM&t=273s>; video archived [here](#)

◆ Smith (segment begins 08:45):

Yeah, I mean, I come from a family of gun owners, I come from a family that respects the Second Amendment, but I also come from a family that believes kids should not be dying in schools. One of the most tragic situations in the state of Texas was the Uvalde shooting. Since working at Everytown, I've tried to strip emotion away from the job, because it can be very emotional, but hearing the stories of the Uvalde families and all the pain that they went through is very emotional. It was actually the first time I ever cried working in Everytown. I think that there's a lot that we can do in the state of Texas in a bipartisan fashion to fix this issue. **One of the things that**

we can do is raise the age to purchase a weapon In 20 when the Uvalde shooting happened, the legislator came, and two Republicans voted to get the bill out of committee. If elected, that's something I want to work with the legislator to carry, because as we saw that we did it in a bipartisan fashion. Another thing that we did, just this legislative session, we are able to get funding for CBI, community violence and intervention funding. I think when we talk about gun violence in this country, the empty mind goes straight to mass shootings and school shootings, but what we also oftentimes forget is the everyday shootings that happen in our communities. We were able to secure over \$2 million in state funding to help groups in local communities. To fight back against local crime and local local gun violence, and that's something I want to expand on. That's something that we do at Everytown, and something I've worked on in my job. I've been able to work to secure \$50 million plus in the federal level, and I want to take that fight back to the state legislature in a bipartisan fashion, working with gun owners, non-gun owners, Republicans, Democrats to kind of saw this issue that plagues our community.

Smith cannot be trusted to protect the Second Amendment. Smith works for Everytown for Gun Safety and displays his Moms Demand Action endorsement prominently.

- ◆ Smith has the Moms Demand Action logo right next to Mental Health now logo on the first slide of his website.

A campaign slide for Tyler Smith, a candidate for State Representative, District 138. The slide has a dark blue background. On the left, the name "TYLER SMITH" is written in large, bold, orange capital letters. Below it, in smaller orange capital letters, is "FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 138". Further down, in white text, is a quote: "I'll take on Greg Abbott and Donald Trump any day to keep Texas safe and affordable for our families." Below the quote is a blue button with the word "DONATE" in white capital letters. At the bottom left, there are two circular logos: one for "MOMS DEMAND ACTION GUN SENSE CANDIDATE 2026" and another for "mental health now. MENTAL HEALTH CANDIDATE 2026". On the right side of the slide is a portrait of Tyler Smith, a Black man with short hair and a goatee, wearing a dark suit jacket over a light blue shirt, smiling slightly.

<https://tylerfortx.com/>

- ◆ Smith states on his campaign website that he will “Reduce gun violence by passing common sense gun safety reforms” but does not elaborate what the “common sense” reforms are.

Today, Tyler is running for State Representative in District 138 to make Texas safer and more affordable for all our families. Tyler will fight to:

- Lower the cost of prescription drugs, bring down medical debt and expand access to Medicaid and affordable childcare
- Stop Greg Abbott from cutting public education to fund his new private school voucher law
- Protect our communities from flooding and invest in affordable electricity and backup generators to keep the lights on
- Reduce gun violence by passing common sense gun safety reforms
- Repeal Texas’ unjust abortion bans and protect access to birth control
- Make housing affordable for families by cutting red tape to build new housing and stopping landlord abuse

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Smith opposes stand your ground laws because...*they're racist.*

 **Post** 

 **Tyler Smith** @tylersmithfc · Apr 17, 2023  ...

Stand your ground laws have taken the lives of so many innocent young kids with out any repercussions for their murderers.

The direct result of this is not guilty convictions and delayed justice like in the Travvon Martin and Ahmaud Arbery cases.3/5

 everytownresearch.org
No Shoot First Law
These laws allow people to shoot and kill in public even if they can safely walk away. See which states...

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 **Tyler Smith**
@tylersmithfc  ...

Even more so, stand your ground laws are clearly racially bias.

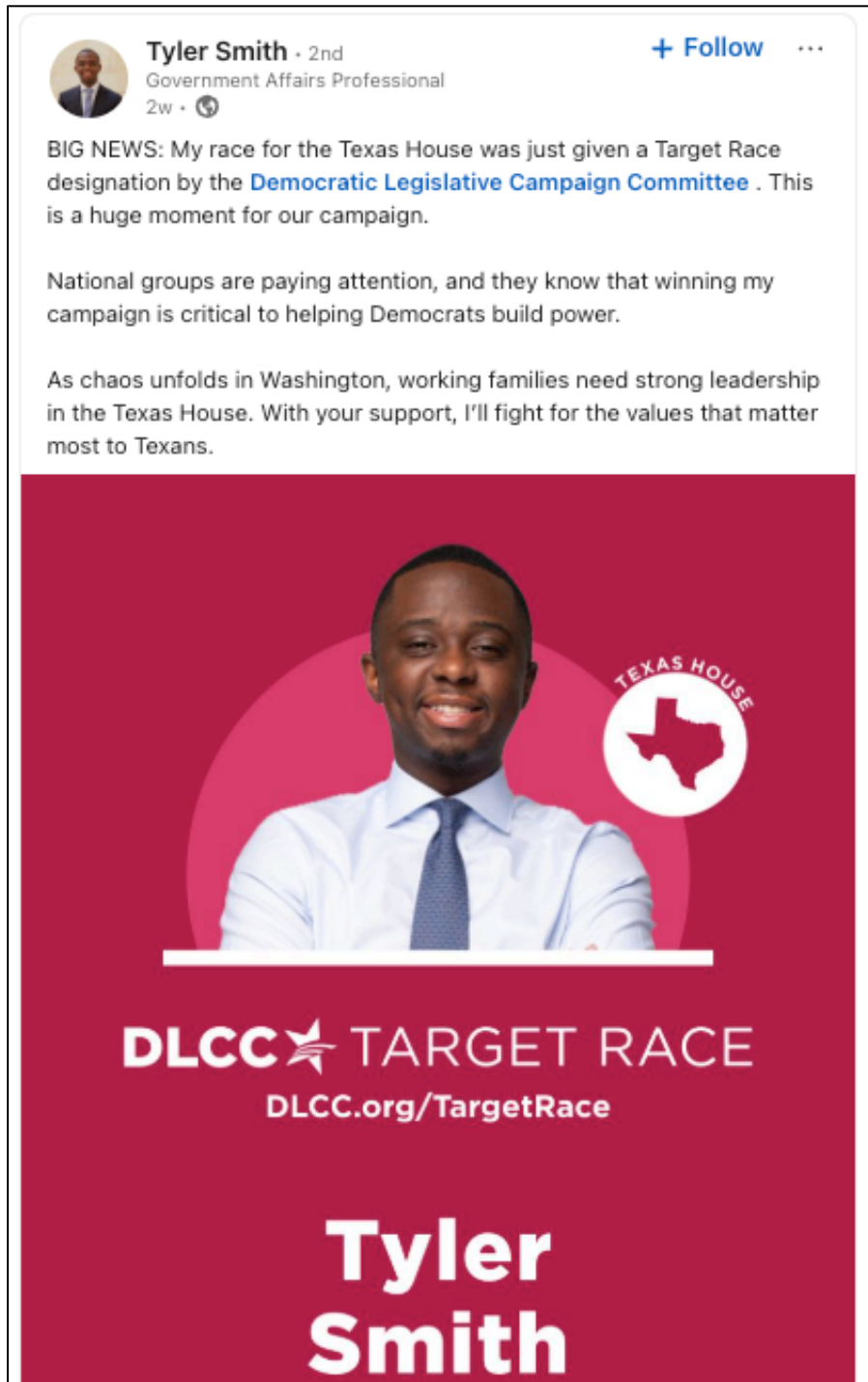
When there is a white victim, the conviction rate is nearly 37 percent, but when there is a black victim, the conviction rate drops sharply to just under 24 percent. 4/5

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Smith says, “National groups are paying attention, and they know that winning my campaign is critical to helping Democrats build power.”



Tyler Smith • 2nd
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BIG NEWS: My race for the Texas House was just given a Target Race designation by the [Democratic Legislative Campaign Committee](#). This is a huge moment for our campaign.

National groups are paying attention, and they know that winning my campaign is critical to helping Democrats build power.

As chaos unfolds in Washington, working families need strong leadership in the Texas House. With your support, I'll fight for the values that matter most to Texans.



TEXAS HOUSE

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DLCC.org/TargetRace

Tyler Smith

LinkedIn, 06/03/2026

Vintage wokeness...Smith has his pronouns in bio.



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Tyler Smith **he/him/his**

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Smith: “All confederate monuments should be torn down.”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Let's get somethings straight. Robert E.Lee is not an American hero; he's an American Traitor that committed high treason. Second, this post proved even more that the confederacy was filled with hate and bigotry. All confederate monuments should be torn down.

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Smith: “Can someone tell The republicans that Abraham Lincoln would more than likely be a Democrat in today’s political climate.”



Tyler Smith
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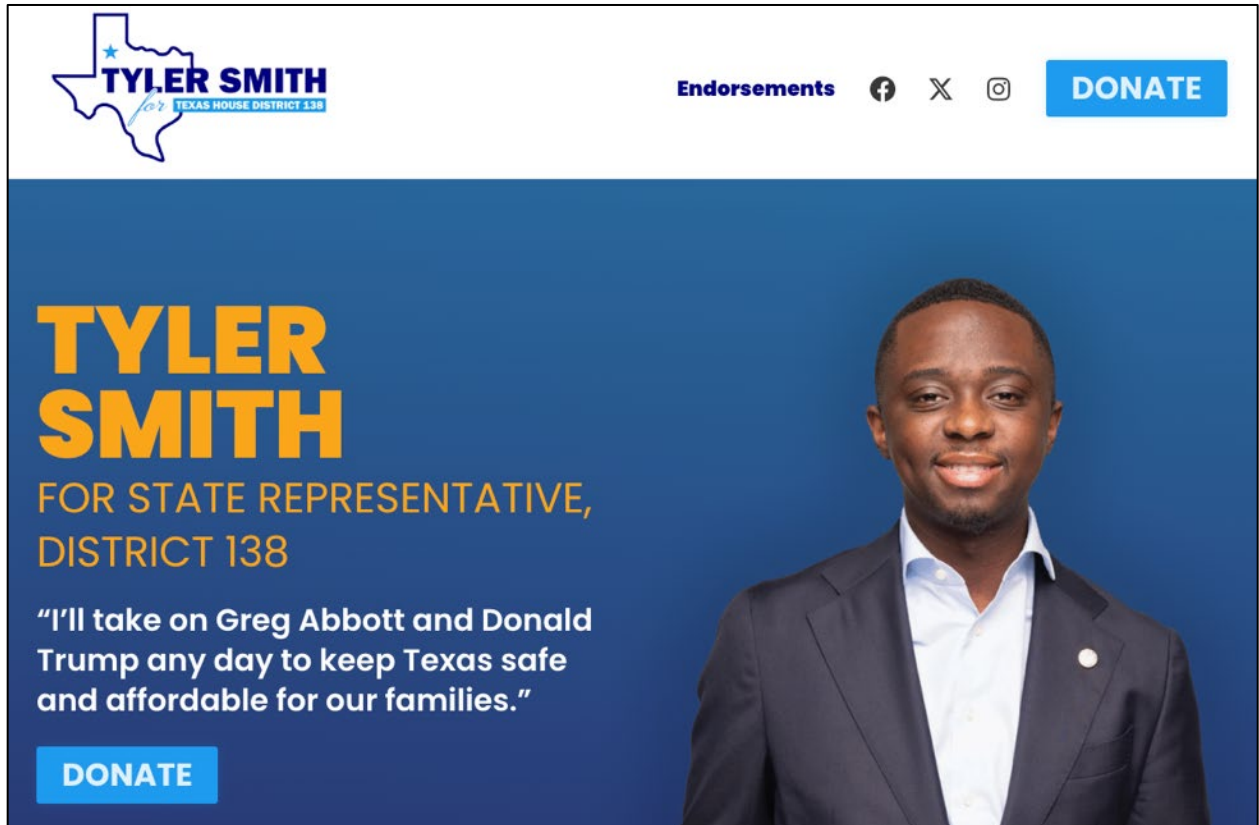
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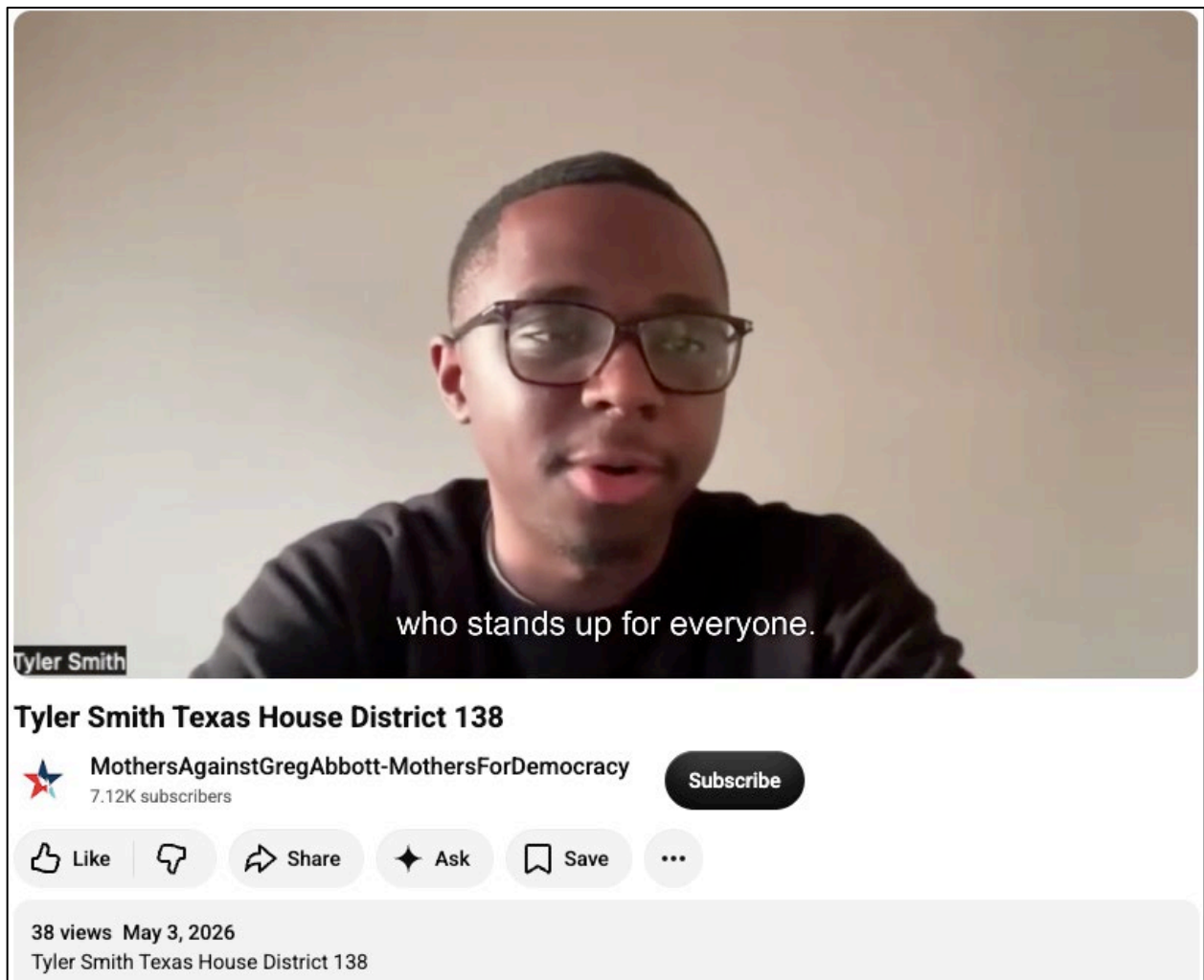
Smith: “I’ll take on Greg Abbott and Donald Trump any day to keep Texas safe and affordable for our families.”

When Smith was interviewed by Mothers Against Greg Abbott, he answered questions concerning important issues facing Texas such as: What is your favorite word? What is your favorite song? What is your favorite hobby? What is your favorite animal?



The image is a screenshot of a campaign website for Tyler Smith, Texas House District 138. The header features a logo with a star and the text 'TYLER SMITH TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 138', a link for 'Endorsements', social media icons for Facebook, X, and Instagram, and a blue 'DONATE' button. The main content area has a dark blue background. On the left, the name 'TYLER SMITH' is written in large orange letters, followed by 'FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 138' in smaller orange text. Below this is a quote: '“I’ll take on Greg Abbott and Donald Trump any day to keep Texas safe and affordable for our families.”' and another blue 'DONATE' button. On the right is a portrait of Tyler Smith, a Black man with a short beard, wearing a dark suit and a light blue shirt.

<https://tylerfortx.com/>

A screenshot of a YouTube video player. The video frame shows a man with glasses and a mustache, identified as Tyler Smith, speaking. A subtitle at the bottom of the video frame reads "who stands up for everyone." Below the video frame, the channel name "Tyler Smith Texas House District 138" is displayed. Underneath the channel name is the channel icon (a star) and the channel name "MothersAgainstGregAbbott-MothersForDemocracy" with "7.12K subscribers" below it. To the right of the channel information is a "Subscribe" button. Below the channel information is a row of interaction buttons: "Like", "Dislike", "Share", "Ask", "Save", and a menu icon. At the bottom of the player, it shows "38 views May 3, 2026" and the video title "Tyler Smith Texas House District 138".

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Tyler Smith Texas House District 138

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h1jotOYTKes>; video archived [here](#)

Smith claims inflation was “corporate greed”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



So happy society is finally starting to realize that the high “inflation” was really just corporate greed.... I can’t wait till they start to realize Republicans voted against legislation that would’ve helped control corporate greed....



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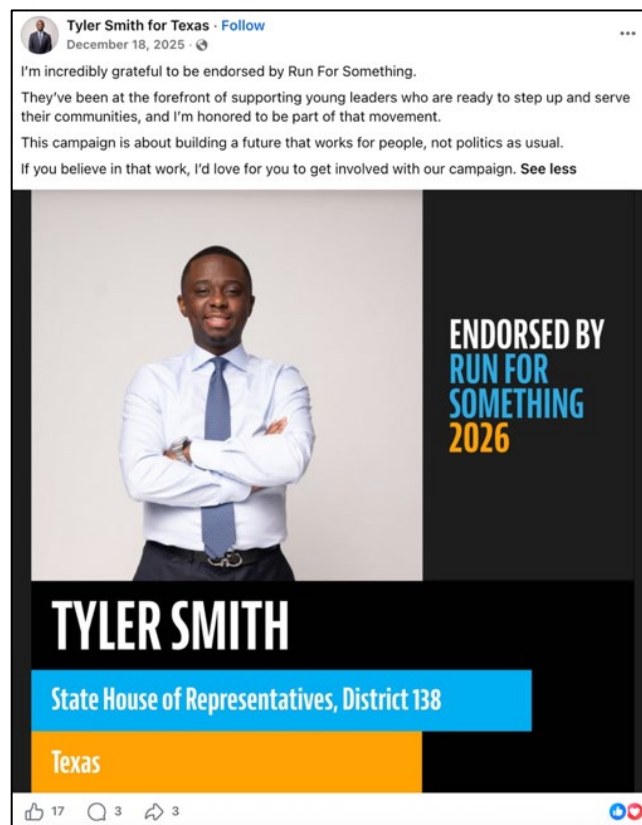
So..... they can afford to make them lower.... They couldve afforded to do that all this time..... x.com/Dexerto/status/1792721720346112115

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The Soros candidate, aligned with the radical left. Smith is “incredibly grateful to be endorsed by Run For Something.” Run for Something is a far-left nationwide organization run by a NYC liberal that aims at recruiting and supporting “progressive candidates” and has been favorably described as “building an army of Zohran Mamdanis.” Run for Something funnels George Soros’s money into local races, as Soros’s Open Society Foundation gave a whopping \$50 million to the group. Run for Something “alumni” include leftwing crazy woman, Nithya Raman, who is now running for Los Angeles mayor, and Texas’s very own James Talarico.

- ◆ Smith posted on Facebook saying he was incredibly grateful to be endorsed by Run For Something.”



Facebook 12/18/2025

◆ Run For Something is run by Amanda Litman of Brooklyn:

Amanda Litman is the co-founder and president of **Run for Something**, which recruits and supports young, diverse progressives running for down-ballot office. Since launching on Inauguration Day 2017, RFS has built the **largest progressive candidate pipeline in the country**, electing more than 1,650 leaders across nearly all 50 states — mostly women and people of color. She is also president of **RFS Civics**, a 501(c)(3) focused on ending the gerontocracy in American politics.

She is the author of two books: *When We're in Charge: The Next Generation's Guide to Leadership* (Zando/Crooked Media Reads, 2025), named a best business book by the *Financial Times* and endorsed by Adam Grant, Ilana Glazer, Jon Favreau, and Anne Helen Petersen; and *Run for Something: A Real-Talk Guide to Fixing the System Yourself* (Atria, 2017), with a foreword by Hillary Rodham Clinton.

Before launching Run for Something, Litman served as **National Email Director for Hillary Clinton's 2016 presidential campaign**, where she oversaw a digital fundraising operation that raised \$330 million from more than 3 million donors. She previously served as digital director for Charlie Crist's 2014 Florida gubernatorial campaign and deputy email director for Organizing for Action. She holds a B.A. in American Studies from Northwestern University.

Politico named her one of **50 ideas driving American politics** (2018). Bloomberg named her **one of the people to watch** (2019). Fortune included her on their **40 Under 40** list (2020). She was named to **Time's Next 100** in 2022, was a **2022 Dial Fellow** at the Emerson Collective, and is a **2025/2026 Obama Foundation USA Leader**.

She lives in Brooklyn with her husband, two daughters, and their rowdy rescue dog.



<https://www.amandalitman.com/#about>

- ♦ Litman is “building an army of Zohran Mamdanis” according to this favorable profile from Fast Company writer Talib Visram. The article cited her enthusiastic post-Mamdani win TikTok video:

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The Democratic activist building an army of Zohran Mamdanis

How Run for Something founder Amanda Litman is creating the largest candidate pipeline in party politics and matching them with the right races.

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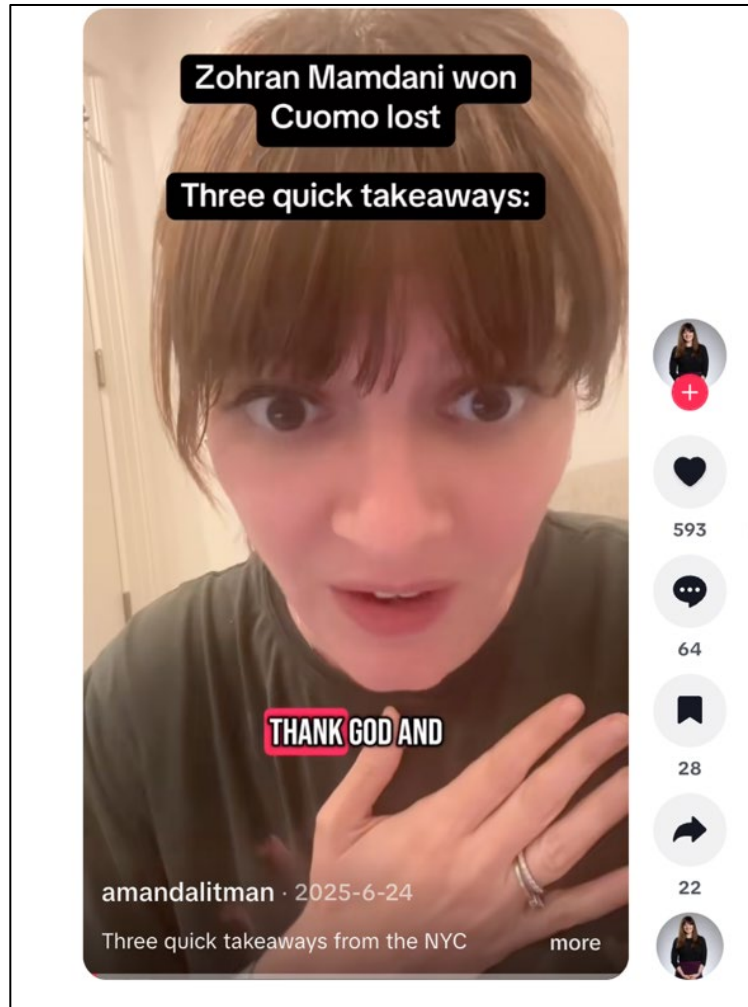


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Runners' World: Litman founded Run for Something on the day of Trump's first inauguration. Since then, nearly 250,000 prospective candidates have gotten in touch. [Photo: Naima Green]

BY TALIB VISRAM

Fast Company 10/02/2025



<https://www.tiktok.com/@amandalitman/video/7519718784022613278>

- ◆ Run for Something has received \$50 million in Soros money to push their radical agenda:

“Ensuring that all communities have the tools they need to maximize both individual and collective engagement in our society creates a more vibrant American democracy for everyone. This historic investment will help ensure that the voices of women and our young people are heard, valued, and included in this critical work,” said Leah Daughtry, a co-convenor of Power Rising, an organization that seeks to advance racial, gender, and social justice on a nonpartisan basis.

“Run for Something Action Fund is so grateful to Open Society Policy Center for its sustained investment in our nonpartisan work recruiting and supporting thousands of young diverse leaders running for state and local office,” said Amanda Litman, co-executive director of Run for Something. “The millennial and Gen Z leaders we recruit, who are a majority women and a majority people of color, are doing the hard work of engaging their communities and rebuilding our democracy from the ground up. Their leadership has never been more important as they fight to protect and

expand abortion access, stop book bans, and engage young voters in authentic ways. We'll have their back; we're so glad OSPC has ours."

"The Open Society Foundations' generous commitment of \$50 million ignites an unprecedented pathway for youth and women's activism. This is more than funding; it's a resounding vote of confidence in our young and women changemakers' untapped potential and visionary power," said Dakota Hall, the executive director of the Alliance for Youth Action. "As we embrace this transformative moment, we're not just part of history but actively forging it. This investment is a call to action, ushering in an era where silenced voices take the lead, and our collective organizing shapes a future with limitless possibilities."

<https://www.opensocietyfoundations.org/newsroom/open-society-foundations-to-invest-50-million-to-support-civic-engagement-of-women-and-youth>

- ◆ Run for Something helped Nithya Raman run and win in 2020.



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Los Angeles City Council, District
4, CA

2020 Endorsement

Nithya Raman is an urban planner, community leader, and mother of two running for Los Angeles City Council in District 4.

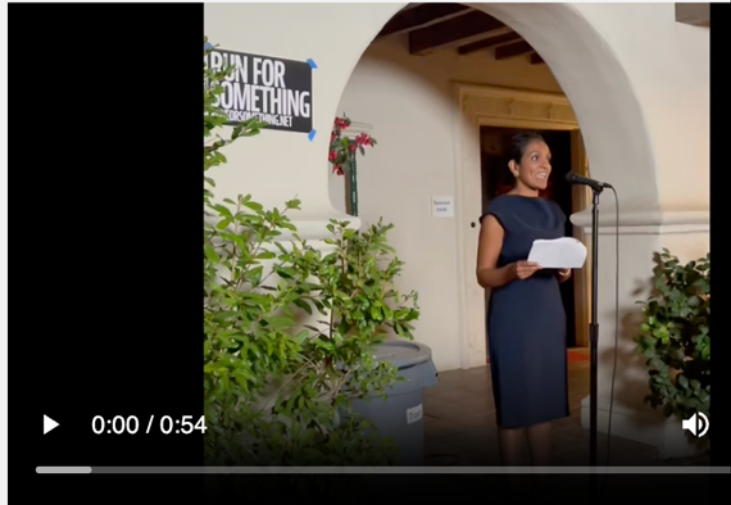
Nithya is running for this seat because she understands the immense powers the city council holds in LA, and wants to use those powers to help all residents, especially the most vulnerable, to thrive. Her platform focuses on increasing access to housing, ending homelessness, and addressing climate change.

<https://directory.runforsomething.net/candidate/w9453/raman-nithya/>

Nithya Raman, California

Member of the Los
Angeles City Council,
serving District 4

“[The Regional Director, Andrea] was on call for me whenever I needed, and who, when we had a very tough set of choices, like how do you do safe in-person campaigning at all during a pandemic... she sat there and answered all of those questions and told me what candidates in other states across America were doing...”



<https://runforsomething.net/how-we-help/>

◆ James Talarico is a Run for Something alum:

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Date: Monday, September 15, 2025

Contact: press@runforsomething.net

Run for Something Alumni Are Running for Higher Office

More than 20 Democrats under the age of 40 are running for Congress — and nearly half of them are RFS alumni

*“This is exactly what Run for Something was built to do—identify, recruit, and support young people to run for local office so they can become our next generation of leaders,” said **Amanda Litman, co-founder and President of Run for Something.** “Our alumni are proving that when you invest in emerging leaders early, they don’t just stay in office—they rise.”*

In the last two weeks alone, at least five candidates who have previously earned RFS’ endorsement announced runs. That includes: [Texas State Rep. James Talarico](#), who entered the Democratic primary to challenge GOP incumbent Sen. John Cornyn. Talarico, known for his thoughtful leadership and bipartisan work in the Texas House, has long been a rising star in Texas politics.

From city halls to state legislatures, these leaders have proven that local service is the most powerful training ground. What began as a direct response to the chaos of Trump’s first term has evolved into a full-blown pipeline of next-generation leadership. Today, Run for Something’s total pipeline includes [over 230,000](#) future leaders who are running to govern, to lead, and to win. And since Trump was elected in November, [over 67,000](#) people have raised their hands to explore a run—more people than signed up during all four years of Trump’s first term.

Run For Something, [Press Release 09/15/2023](#)

Smith: “Until the progressive wing of the party learns that you can’t accomplish anything without bringing everyone to the table, nothing “progressive” will get done.”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



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7:03 PM · Dec 18, 2020

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Smith claims he is a “moderate Texas Democrat”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



As a moderate Texas Democrat I think Schumer deserves the anger coming his way.



Rachael Bade  @rachaelmbade · Mar 13, 2025

Schumer will get pummeled by the left for this decision.

But make no mistake abt it -- he's trying to save the party from making a mistake. Hard to see a way out of the shutdown for Dems.

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8:48 PM · Mar 13, 2025 · 121 Views

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Smith: “We look at the state house, there are a number of problems and a number of things that have gone wrong in the state of Texas, and the one thing that all of those things have in common is 30 years of Republican control in the state” *Hmmmm...must be why everyone keeps moving to Texas.*

♦ Smith (segment begins 03:12):



Happy Hour 265: Tyler Smith, Democratic Nominee for HD 138

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State House District 138 in the northwest Houston area has been under GOP control for over 20 years - but in a 2026 seeing very high Democratic confidence, that race is interesting for sure. And, even as the primary silly season rages on, HD 138 already has a Dem nominee in Tyler Smith, a local community leader and gun safety advocate with extensive experience in politics from his Houston area home all the way to Washington D.C.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3CJkhnLxESM&t=273s>; video archived [here](#)

Smith reposted testimony defending DEI programs in Texas higher education.

PREMIUM



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Director @ Good Reason Houston | Vice Chair, Board of Di...
3yr • 

Watch my testimony defending [#dei](#) programs in Texas [#highereducation](#).

SB 17 is reckless and baseless.

This was my 13th hour in the Capitol. I was tired and hungry. My voice wasn't as strong as I would've liked. I stumbled over words. It wasn't perfect, but I was clear- dei programs are critically important to the progress of Texas [#students](#) as we prepare them for a diverse workforce.



SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE ON HIGHER EDUCATION
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<https://www.linkedin.com/in/tyler-smith-30655914a/recent-activity/all/>

Smith hosted a round table “discussing the importance of Social Media & Digital Tools in the Fight for Voting Rights and Social Justice.”



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Last week I had the opportunity to host a round table in Atlanta discussing the importance of Social Media & Digital Tools in the Fight for Voting Rights and Social Justice. Special thanks to representative Debra Bazemore, Senator @Tonya Anderson, NAACP's Jayden Williams, and Fair Fight Action's Daniel Jackman for leading our talk.



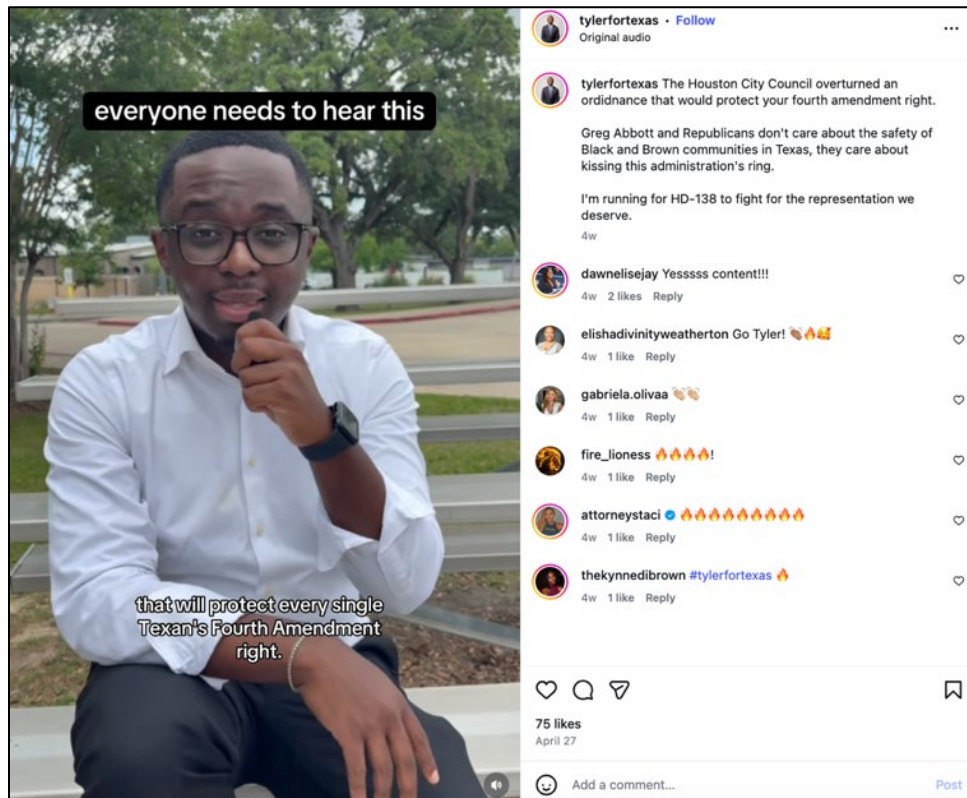
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LinkedIn, [10/27/2022](#)

Open Borders and anti-law enforcement. Smith would prefer Houston lose \$110m in funding then have police coordinate with ICE. Smith spoke out against Houston City amending its anti-ICE ordinance in April 2026 allowing police officers to detain illegal immigrants during traffic stops. Smith claimed it was a violation of the 4th Amendment, even though the ordinance pertains to coordinating with law enforcement when there is an ICE administrative warrant. The Council overwhelmingly supported amending the ordinance.

- ◆ Smith posted a video on Instagram denouncing the City Council's **13-4 vote to amend the ordinance**. Smith particularly took aim at Gov. Greg Abbott, who stated the city could lose up to \$110m in funding for being out of compliance with public safety grants.



<https://www.instagram.com/p/DXp651rj5aR/>

Support for amnesty.



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



If the border bill is so bad ask yourself, why won't the house GOP at least vote on it? After reading the top lines, Senate Rs are right. There's no way we get anywhere near the deal made under a Trump admin. This a true compromise bill that works for both sides

9:22 AM · Feb 5, 2024 · 81 Views

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Rep. Mary Miller  
@RepMaryMiller



The Senate AMNESTY bill erases our borders. Every Senator took an oath to uphold our laws, including our border security & immigration laws. The Senators want to allow 5,000 illegal immigrants to walk across our border per day. NO! This is AMERICA LAST!

SUBTITLE A – BORDER EMERGENCY AUTHORITY

Sec. 3301. Border emergency authority.

- Creates Sec. 244B of the Immigration and Nationality Act which grants the Secretary of Homeland Security new emergency authority to respond to extraordinary migration circumstances. The "border emergency authority" *may* be exercised if the 7-day average number of cumulative encounters of inadmissible aliens is between 4,000 and 5,000 per day and *must* be exercised if the 7-day average is above 5,000 per day. Exercise of the authority

12/19

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**Smith: “Who would think America a country built by
immigrants would hate immigrants”**



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Who would think America a country built by immigrants would hate
immigrants

6:15 PM · Jul 7, 2020

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Smith & Jones Consulting encouraged people to vote for “our great candidates” like Abbie Kamin and Edward Pollard for Houston City Council in 2019. Campaign finance reports show no payments to Smith & Jones for “consulting” but Tyler Smith was paid personally \$1,500 for voter outreach and \$1,700 as a poll worker by Kamin. As members of the Houston City Council in 2026, Kamin and Pollard co-authored an ordinance limiting HPD’s cooperation with ICE.



Smith&Jones Consulting
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Houston it's Election Day! Make sure you get out and Vote for some of our great candidates today at any polling location in the city of Houston!!



7:08 AM · Dec 14, 2019

<https://x.com/Smithjonesfirm/status/1205837017709469696>

- ◆ “Last night we celebrated as two of our clients @pollardforhouston and @abbiekamin both won their city council elections in the city of Houston!!”



Facebook 12/15/2019

- ◆ Payments from Kamin’s campaign to Smith:

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4 Date 11/1/2019	5 Payee name Tyler Smith	
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◆ Payments from Pollard's campaign to Smith:

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Houston City Council passes policy related to HPD involvement with ICE

By Terrian Spurs | FOX 26 Houston | Houston | Updated April 8, 2026 11:21 AM CDT | Published April 8, 2026 9:55 AM CDT →

The Brief

- Houston City Council passed an ordinance related to HPD's involvement with ICE.
- Last month, Mayor Whitmire and Houston Police Chief Diaz announced a directive governing how police handle administrative warrants.
- Councilmembers Alejandra Salinas, Abbie Kamin, and Edward Pollard wrote the ordinance proposing changes to the city policy.

<https://www.fox26houston.com/news/houston-city-council-vote-immigration-ordinance>

City council members discuss ordinance

What they're saying: During a press conference in March, Salinas and Kamin discussed the city's immigration policy and the ordinance.

"We have filed an ordinance that will empower HPD to focus on keeping families safe and rebuild trust through transparency," said Salinas during a press conference on March 19.

"Police aren't held to standards beyond state law. That cannot be said about the city of Houston today," Salinas said. "That needs to change and this ordinance does exactly that."

Salinas said the ordinance does not prevent cooperation with federal immigration enforcement.

"When an officer makes a legal stop, warrant searches are required. This is standard and falls in line with public safety objectives," Kamin said in March. "But what has happened is a rogue federal agency has been taking advantage of this."

"ICE is using and abusing the role of local law enforcement in an attempt to co-op local officers as federal immigration and customs enforcement. That is not their job," said Kamin.

"The Trump Administration is dumping what are called I quote 'administrative warrants,' which have no nexus to public safety, into the systems that our local law enforcement departments traditionally use to identify dangerous individuals that have outstanding criminal or judicial warrants," said Kamin.

<https://www.fox26houston.com/news/houston-city-council-vote-immigration-ordinance>

- ◆ Smith does not include Smith & Jones Consulting on his LinkedIn experience.



Tyler Smith

Government Affairs Professional



Biden for President

Full-time · 7 mos



Presidential Fellow

Oct 2020 - Nov 2020 · 2 mos



National Co-Chair black students for Biden

May 2020 - Nov 2020 · 7 mos

Houston, Texas, United States



Legislative/General intern, U.S. Senator Kamala D. Harris

U.S Senator Kamala Harris

May 2020 - Aug 2020 · 4 mos

Washington D.C. Metro Area

📌 **Legislative Issues**



Assistant to Vice Chair

Texas Democratic Party

Aug 2018 - Jan 2020 · 1 yr 6 mos

📌 **Legislative Issues**



Judicial Intern

Harris County

Jan 2019 - Apr 2019 · 4 mos

Houston, TX, United States



Campus lead

Beto for Texas

Sep 2018 - Nov 2018 · 3 mos

Houston, Texas



Mayor's office of public engagement Intern

Los Angeles Mayor's Office of Public Engagement

Apr 2018 - Aug 2018 · 5 mos

Los Angeles Metropolitan Area

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/tyler-smith-30655914a/details/experience/>

Smith is endorsed by Leaders We Deserve, the PAC created by David Hogg, a prominent gun control activist. The PAC's focus is helping young Democrat candidates. Leaders We Deserve has Zohran Mamdani on its homepage as an example of the candidates they support.



https://www.instagram.com/p/DYiAD-zkXPf/?img_index=1

- ◆ Leaders We Deserve is a “grassroots” organization focused on electing young progressives.

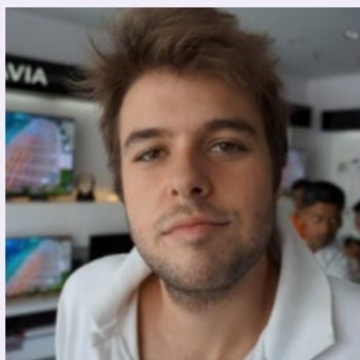
Young Progressive candidates face systemic barriers. At every level of government, the average politician is older than the average American. Our political system is stacked against young people – in favor of those who are older, wealthier and white. In 2020, Millennial and Gen-Z individuals only held 21% of State Legislative seats despite representing 45% of the electorate.

Leaders We Deserve is a grassroots organization dedicated to electing young progressives to Congress and State Legislatures across the country to help defeat the far-right agenda and advance a progressive vision for the future. Our mission is to identify and elect more trailblazers – youthful, audacious, and charismatic leaders who aren't afraid to challenge the status quo. We pledge to stand with them, equipping their campaigns with the tools to succeed: from fundraising and messaging to scheduling and budgeting. We'll raise the banner of their cause, rallying funds online and in person.

OUR FOUNDERS



David Hogg is a leader in the fight to end gun violence and Co-Founder of March for Our Lives, an organization that has helped lead one of the largest youth movements in our country.



Kevin Lata was 2022's Campaign Manager of the year and Campaign Manager for Maxwell Frost, the first Gen-Z member of Congress. He understands the unique challenges young candidates face and how to navigate them and win tough races.

BUILD THE EMILYS LIST FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

Leaders We Deserve invests in candidates who reflect our generation and its values matching them with the resources they need to run strong campaigns, win, and change the face of power. Think EMILYs List for young, progressive courageous candidates. Leaders We Deserve invests in young people, knocks down these barriers, and elects more young people to office. We're doing this by:

- Recruitment: Identifying candidates who will have the biggest impact on their states (that's real work).
- Providing Day-to-Day Support: We help campaigns build from the ground up and work with them directly on fundraising, messaging, coalition building, voter contact, and volunteer recruitment.
- Volunteer Network: Our grassroots volunteer army has person-to-person conversations with voters all across a candidates' district, advocating on their behalf.
- Running Paid Media Campaigns: We run a well-funded independent expenditure program.

ELECTING MORE YOUNG PEOPLE HELPS ADVANCE THE PROGRESSIVE AGENDA IN KEY WAYS

- Proximity to the Issues – As the mass shooting generation, we need people in office that understand the anxiety of not knowing if they'll survive math class.
- Representation: Giving young people a voice in politics that looks like them. Giving them more faith in democracy and government.
- Voter Turnout: It gives young people (and old people) hope encouraging them to show up and demand action. Think back to Rep Justin Jones after the Nashville shooting and thousands of young people showing up and many after who signed up to run for office.
- Builds a Bench: As of 2019, 45% of members of Congress started in state legislatures. Electing young people at the state level will build a pipeline of future leaders, which protects the progressive movement and builds a strong foundation.

<https://leaderswedeserve.com/about/>

- ◆ Leaders We Deserve touts Zohran Mamdani on its homepage



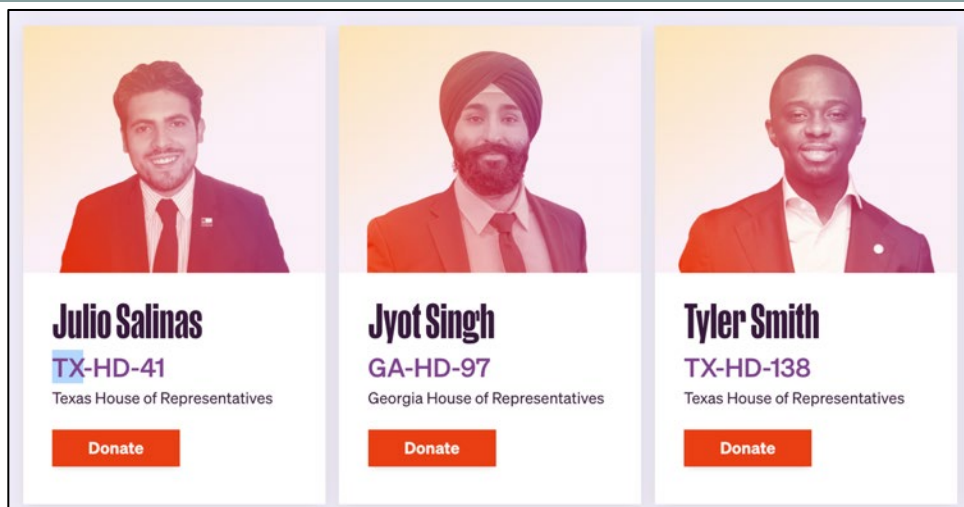
- ◆ In Texas the group is also supporting Kristian Carranza (HD 118) and Julio Salinas (HD 41).

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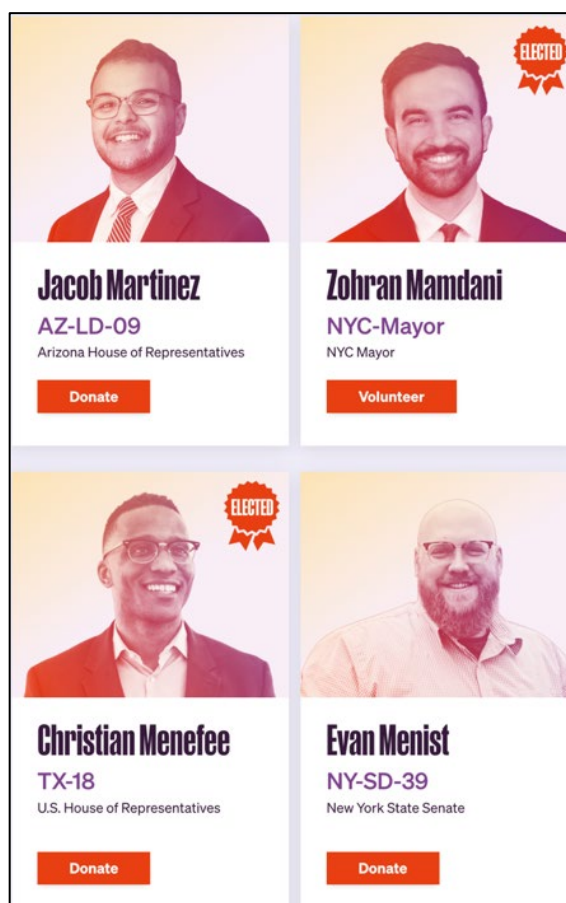
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 Nate Blouin UT-01 U.S. House of Representatives Donate	 Kristian Carranza TX-HD-118 Texas House of Representatives Donate	 Cat Clayton MO-HD-105 Missouri House of Representatives Donate	 Tim Hayes PA-HD-143 Pennsylvania House of Representatives Donate



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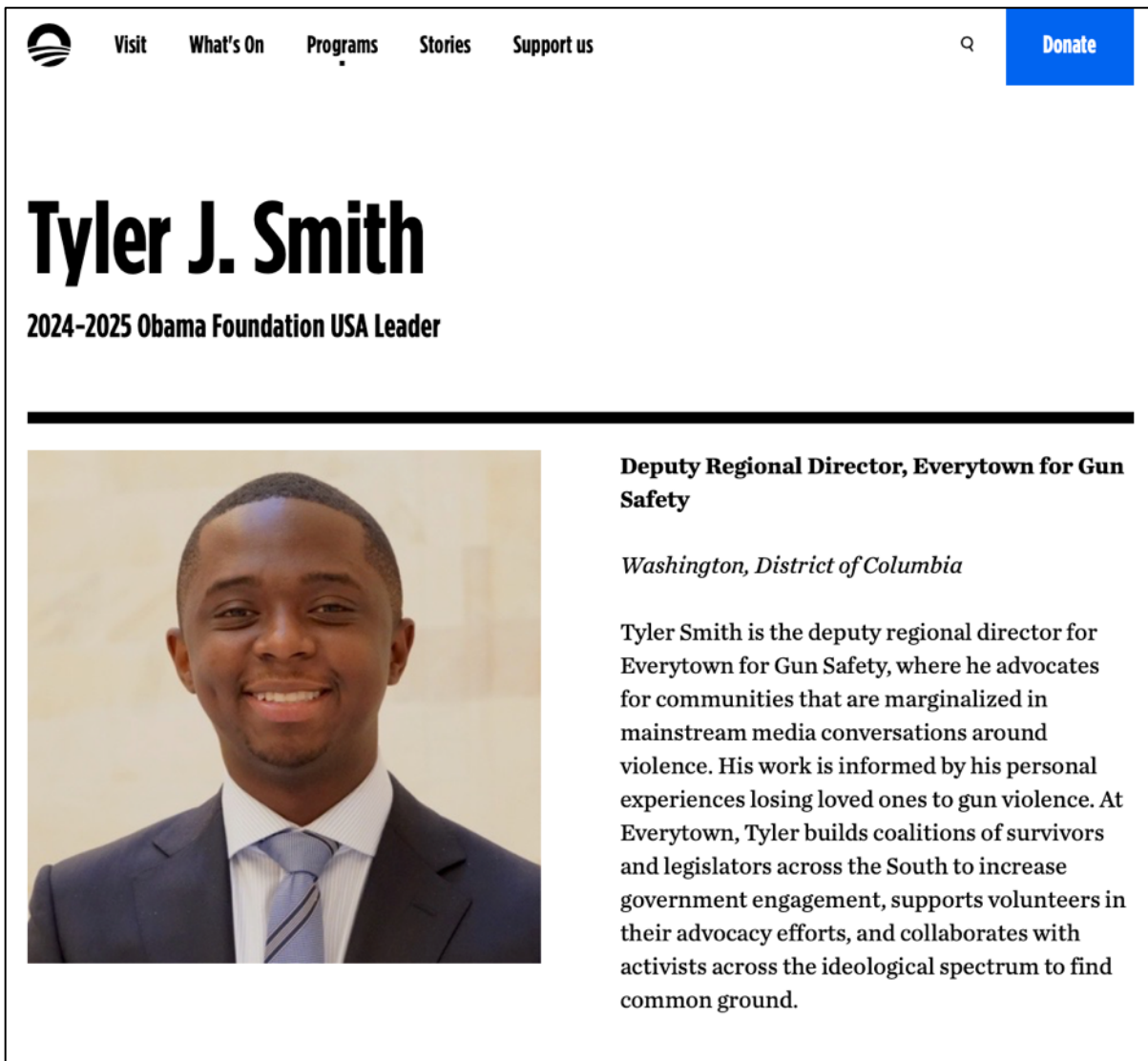
- ◆ Mamdani is listed as one of their 2026 candidates as well, with the “elected” ribbon. The same goes for Christian Menefee who was elected to Congress from Texas.



<https://leadersweddeserve.com/2026-candidates/>

Smith is not an organic candidate but a professional activist who has been trained and tailored by the Democratic machine. Smith went through the Obama Foundation’s “Leaders” program, was a staffer for U.S. Senators Ossoff and Kamala Harris, and a “Presidential Fellow” for Biden. He currently works for a leftwing anti-gun lobbying group and previously for the leftwing Chamber of Progress.

◆ Obama Foundation Leader, 2024-2025



The screenshot shows the Obama Foundation website profile for Tyler J. Smith. At the top is a navigation bar with links: Visit, What's On, Programs, Stories, Support us, a search icon, and a blue Donate button. Below the navigation bar is the name "Tyler J. Smith" in large bold text, followed by "2024-2025 Obama Foundation USA Leader". A horizontal line separates this header from the main content. On the left is a portrait photo of Tyler J. Smith, a Black man in a suit and tie. To the right of the photo, the text reads: "Deputy Regional Director, Everytown for Gun Safety", "Washington, District of Columbia", and a paragraph describing his role and background. The paragraph states: "Tyler Smith is the deputy regional director for Everytown for Gun Safety, where he advocates for communities that are marginalized in mainstream media conversations around violence. His work is informed by his personal experiences losing loved ones to gun violence. At Everytown, Tyler builds coalitions of survivors and legislators across the South to increase government engagement, supports volunteers in their advocacy efforts, and collaborates with activists across the ideological spectrum to find common ground."

<https://www.obama.org/programs/leaders/usa/2024-2025/tyler-j-smith/>

- ◆ The Leaders program is designed to mentor and guide 24–25-year-olds in civic engagement and community leadership *a la* Obama’s leadership approach. It’s there to grow Obama’s “network” of global leaders.

The Obama Foundation’s Leaders program aims to inspire, empower, and connect regional cohorts of changemakers to accelerate positive and lasting change in their communities and throughout their region and across our world.

These 24-45-year-old emerging leaders from around the world forge societies and communities rooted in shared values, where all people belong, participate, and thrive.

The Leaders program launched in Africa in 2018 and expanded to Asia Pacific in 2019, Europe in 2020, and the United States in 2023. We recognize the power that lies in bringing together diverse cohorts of Leaders from many regions of the world, each with their own approach and focus and a commitment to **joining a global network of changemakers**.

Inspired by President Obama’s leadership approach, the Leaders program engages participants in the challenges, opportunities, and skills of making positive change. Supported by full group sessions, small group discussions, and individualized leadership coaching, participants define a values-based foundation for sustained leadership, cultivate relationships with others to catalyze more inclusive, lasting change, and prepare to engage with issues at the systems level.

Upon completion of the program, Leaders will have gained a deeper understanding of how values-based leadership advances their work. They will be inspired to take further action, propelled by new ideas and skills. Most importantly, Leaders will continue to gain **a broader global perspective by joining the Obama Leadership Network**, a growing global alumni community of over 1,500 active changemakers.

<https://www.obama.org/programs/leaders/>

- ♦ Smith was a staffer for US Senator Ossoff, and a “Presidential Fellow” for Biden.



Tyler Smith
Government Affairs Professional



Executive Assistant
Office of U.S. Senator Jon Ossoff · Full-time
Jun 2021 – Mar 2022 · 10 mos
Washington DC-Baltimore Area



Tyler Smith
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Biden for President
Full-time · 7 mos

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Tyler Smith

Previously held position
Chamber of Progress (March 2022-Nov. 2022), Director, State and Local Government Relations

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Biographical

Full Name: Tyler Jordan Smith **Pronouns:** Masculine

Place of Birth: Los Angeles, Calif. **Hometown:** Los Angeles, Calif.

Social Networking:

 LinkedIn

Education

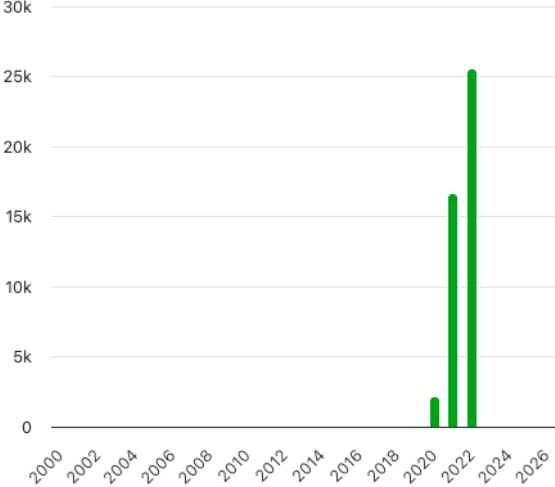
- Texas Southern University - BS, political science and government (2017-2020)

Employment History

- Chamber of Progress (March 2022-Nov. 2022)
Director, State and Local Government Relations
- Sen. Jon Ossoff (D-GA) (June 2021-March 2022)
Staff Assistant
- Sen. Kamala Harris (D-CA) (May 2020-Aug. 2020)
Legislative and General Intern
- Texas Democratic Party (Aug. 2018-Jan. 2020)
Assistant to the Vice Chair

Congressional Salary

By Fiscal Year By Calendar Year By Quarter



Employed by: Sen. Jon Ossoff (D-GA), Former Sen. Kamala Harris (D-CA)

https://www.legistorm.com/person/bio/387903/Tyler_Jordan_Smith.html

- ♦ Smith is still employed by Everytown for Gun Safety according to his [Personal Financial Statement](#) and his own LinkedIn:



Tyler Smith

Government Affairs Professional

← **Experience**



Associate Regional Director

Everytown for Gun Safety · Full-time

Apr 2023 - Present · 3 yrs 3 mos

Washington DC-Baltimore Area · Hybrid

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- ♦ Smith worked as a Director of State and Local Government relations for the **Chamber of Progress**.

**Tyler Smith**
Government Affairs Professional

**Director Of State and Local Government Relations**
Chamber of Progress · Full-time
Mar 2022 – Nov 2022 · 9 mos
United States

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- ♦ Smith also worked as a “clerk” for the big lobbying firm, **BGR Group**.

**Tyler Smith**
Government Affairs Professional

**Clerk**
BGR Group
Sep 2020 – Jun 2021 · 10 mos
Washington, District of Columbia, United States
🔒 Legislative Issues, Governmental Affairs and +1 skill

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Smith: “I’m excited to be a part of the Obama Presidential Leaders program and build on President Obama's legacy.”



LinkedIn, 05/17/2026

As of June 2026, covering through the end of 2025, two thirds of Jones' financial support has come from outside of Texas. Jones did not have an opponent in the 2026 primary and was not required to file reports outside of regularly scheduled reports.

- ◆ [Click here for a list of all contributions](#) to Smith's campaign (Sourced 05/29/2026 from Texas Ethics Commission).
- ◆ Smith has reported a total of \$46,828 raised.
- ◆ \$31,129 has come from donors with reported addresses outside of Texas.

In bed with Big Tech. Smith worked for Chamber of Progress, an advocacy group funded by Big Tech companies, described as “center-left” by its founder who said, “we care about progressive goals,” that works to push online censorship of conservative voices and “conspiracy theories.”

- ◆ Chamber of Progress’s corporate partners included: Google, Amazon, and many AI companies:

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Earnin	Everdriven	Flock Safety	Google
Grayscale	Grubhub	Hims & Hers	Instacart
Intuit	JPMorganChase	Kraken	Lyft
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Former Google executive launches **left-leaning tech coalition**

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A former Google executive is launching a new tech coalition that brings together some of the nation's top companies amid increased regulatory scrutiny in Washington.

Adam Kovacevich, Google's former public policy head who most recently held a similar position at electric scooter company Lime, said the industry group called Chamber of Progress includes tech giants like Amazon, Facebook, Google, Twitter, Uber, Grubhub, Lime, Doordash, Instacart, Waymo and Zillow.

"It's pretty clear that the tech industry's political honeymoon is over — and there are some big questions for policymakers about how do you make sure that all Americans benefit from high tech advancements and how do we make sure the tech industry operates fairly and responsibly," Kovacevich told The Hill. "Another way of putting that is, will tech's future be as progressive as its past? That's the big question that our organization will be focused on."

Kovacevich described the industry coalition as "center-left."

"What it means is that we care about progressive goals, and we're not reflexively anti-business," he said.

No partner companies have a seat on Chamber of Progress's board of directors and they cannot vote on its policies, the coalition said in Monday's announcement.

The group will advocate for public policies that fall under economic progress, social progress and consumer progress, Kovacevich said.

<https://thehill.com/policy/technology/545396-former-google-executive-launches-left-leaning-tech-coalition/?rl=1>

- ◆ Meta (Facebook) was also an instrumental partner, during Smith's time working there. However, Meta is no longer a partner because the Chamber of Progress opposed age verification bills Meta supported:

As the lobbying battle over age verification heats up, influential big tech groups are splintering and new ones emerging.

Meta last year left Chamber of Progress, a liberal-leaning tech group that counts Apple and Google as members. Since then, the chamber, which is led by a former Google lobbyist and brands itself as the Democratic-aligned voice for the tech industry, has grown more aggressive in its advocacy against all age verification bills.

“I understand the temptation within a company to try to redirect policymakers towards the company’s rivals, but ultimately most legislators don’t want to intervene in a squabble between big tech giants,” said Chamber of Progress CEO Adam Kovacevich.

Meta tried unsuccessfully to convince another major tech trade group, the Computer & Communications Industry Association, to stop working against bills Meta supports, two people familiar with the dynamics said. Meta, a CCIA member, acknowledged it doesn’t always agree with the association.

<https://techoversight.org/2025/07/29/bloomberg-meta-google-lobbyists-fight-to-pass-the-buck-on-kids-online-safety/>

- ◆ Chamber of Progress defends Big Tech platforms’ ability to censor content they deem dangerous or misinformation, like election denying, COVID skepticism or anything “far-right.” Essentially, The Chamber of Progress supports Big Tech’s “have my cake and eat it to mentality” of being free from liability for content and also able to censor content.

Online Speech

Americans want social media platforms that are free from hate speech and dangerous misinformation. We support Section 230 and platforms’ rights under the First Amendment to build safe online communities.

<https://progresschamber.org/issues/technology-policy/online-speech/>

- ◆ At the same time, they oppose any government legislation (e.g., in [Florida](#) or [Texas](#), as well as federal regulations) that would limit deplatforming or treat platforms more like common carriers. Also any age verification rules or regulations to protect children.



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Toxic By Design

The FTC and FCC's New Plans to Sabotage Content Moderation

Today, the Trump Administration is threatening platforms' ability to responsibly moderate content, by unlawfully weaponizing two independent agencies, the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and the Federal Trade Commission (FTC). Rather than protecting consumers or fostering competition, these agencies are now being weaponized in a calculated effort to sabotage content moderation and undermine online free speech. This report examines how the FCC and FTC's recent overreach threatens the legal and operational frameworks that support effective and safe content moderation online.

Despite bad-faith complaints about "censorship," the FCC and FTC are overstepping their authority in order to force platforms to carry pernicious speech and turn online communities into anything-goes cesspools.

Section 230 and content moderation are not just policy choices; they are safeguards against a flood of baneful speech and a commitment to the communities, businesses, and voices that rely on content moderation so that online spaces can thrive. Preserving Section 230 and content moderation is essential for the future of a usable, healthy, and open internet.

Anyone who cares about a healthy, functional internet should be working to protect Section 230 and platforms' ability to moderate toxic content promoted by the far right and promoted by the Trump Administration.

[Chamber of Progress](#), 05/18/2025



INSIGHTS

How the Kids Online Safety Act Would Hand A Win to Trump and Project 2025

This week, the Senate is set to vote on the Kids Online Safety Act (KOSA), intended to promote children’s safety online. The reality is that this legislation would cause tremendous harm to the most vulnerable young people and make the internet worse for users of all ages — which is why many progressive advocates, including civil society and LGBTQ+ groups have spoken out in opposition.

It would also empower a President Trump and Project 2025 — the governing plan written by Trump loyalists.

KOSA chills online speech — and hands a win to Trump

KOSA is well-intentioned. The internet should be a safe place for young people — especially considering how more and more kids rely on the internet every day. This is especially true for vulnerable teens, considering how LGBTQ+ young people often depend on the internet to connect with support they cannot find at home or in their offline communities. If enacted, KOSA could threaten this lifeline for minors.

KOSA would hand critical decisions about what is allowed online to politicians and political appointees — subjecting all internet users to the whims of our most regressive policymakers.

KOSA sponsor Sen. Marsha Blackburn even said the quiet part out loud, declaring that the bill would “protect minor children from the transgender in this culture.”

Chamber of Progress, 07/24/2024

While working for Chamber of Progress, Smith testified on behalf of his “center-left tech industry association” to state legislatures in Minnesota, Michigan, South Carolina, Texas and California.

- ◆ The Chamber of Progress YouTube page clipped uploaded Smith’s testimony:
 - California:



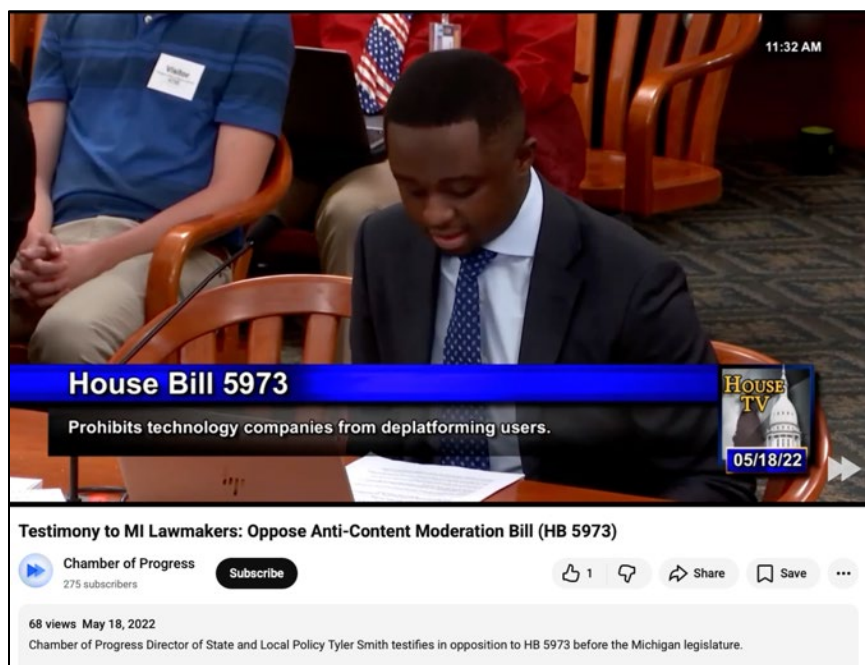
Chamber of Progress “[Testimony to California Assembly: Oppose Social Media Addiction Legislation \(AB 2408\)](#)”, 05/03/2022; video archived [here](#)

○ Minnesota:



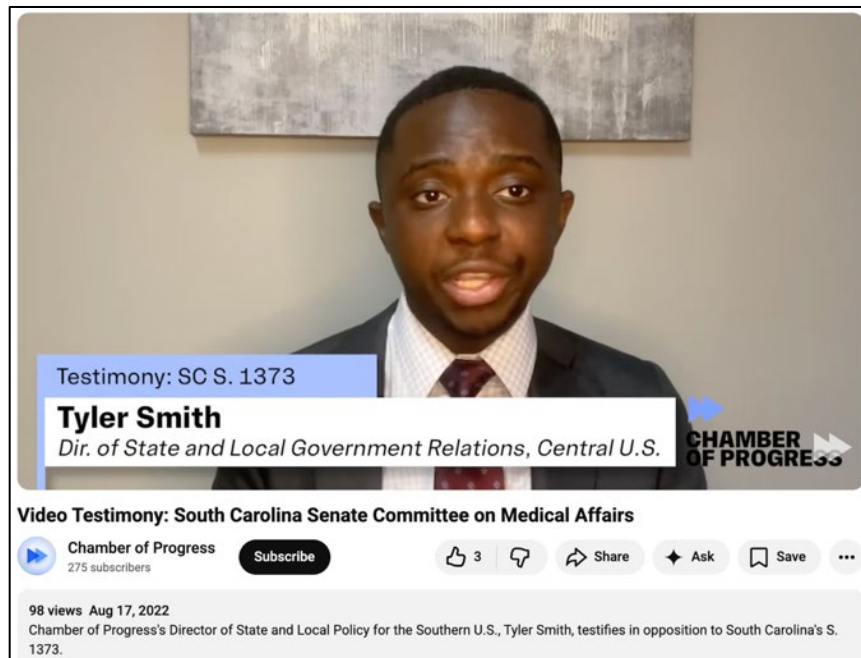
Chamber of Progress, "[Minnesota Testimony: Anti-Algorithms Bill](#)", 04/01/2022; video archived [here](#)

○ Michigan:



Chamber of Progress, "[Testimony to MI Lawmakers: Oppose Anti-Content Moderation Bill \(HB 5973\)](#)", 05/18/2022; video archived [here](#)

○ South Carolina:



Chamber of Progress, "[Video Testimony: South Carolina Senate Committee on Medical Affairs](#)"
08/17/2022; video archived [here](#)

○ Texas:



Chamber of Progress, "[Testimony to Texas Legislature: Online Marketplaces and Theft Hearing](#)",
06/08/2022; video archived [here](#)

- ◆ Smith introduces himself at the start of each video by calling Chamber of Progress a “center-left tech industry association” and admitting Big Tech pays them, but Smith also states Big Tech doesn’t set their positions, as if that makes them independent of Big Tech. This is what he said to Texas legislature in 2022:

My name is Tyler Smith. I'm the Director of State and Local Government Affairs for Chamber of Progress, Center Left Tech Industry Association focused on the progressive future of tech. Some of our partners include companies like Amazon, Meta, Google, and Twitter, yet none of them have a vote or veto on any of our positions.

Chamber of Progress, “[Testimony to Texas Legislature: Online Marketplaces and Theft Hearing](#)”, 06/08/2022 [timestamp 0:15]; video archived [here](#)

In 2022, Smith testified against a Michigan bill that would treat large social media companies like "common carriers" (similar to phone companies or railroads) and not allow them to censor or discriminate based on political viewpoints. Smith claimed it would make it harder for Big Tech to stop "hate speech." *Smith claims the bill is against the First Amendment right to free speech...for Big Tech. For Smith, big tech companies have free speech, but you don't.*

◆ Smith spoke against bill HB 5973 in Michigan, stating:

[timestamp 0:01] Good afternoon, Chairwoman and members of the committee. My name is Tyler Smith, and I'm here on behalf of Chamber of Progress, a center-left tech industry association that works to ensure that all Americans benefit from technological leaps. Some of our corporate partners include companies such as Meta, Google, and Twitter, yet none of them have a vote or veto on any of our positions. Chamber of Progress strongly supports healthy online communities, which is why we urge you to oppose HB 5973 which would tie online services' hands in the fight against conspiracy theories, hate speech, harassment, and disinformation. If this bill passes, it would turn the internet into a cesspool of lies and hatred. For example, just a few days ago, we saw in Buffalo, New York, a radicalized terrorist live stream a mass shooting in Buffalo, highlighting the great replacement, a white supremacist theory. The shooter had posted several anti-black manifestos online prior to these murders. However, if HB 5973 passes, it would prohibit platforms from censoring these kinds of hate-filled white nationalistic viewpoints, meaning that platforms would be legally required to keep these hateful content on their services, simply because under this bill it represents one person's viewpoint. This bill would also effectively block services from taking action to remove unverified content claims about election, democracy, and public health...

[timestamp 2:05] HB 5973 is a clear violation of the US Constitution's First Amendment. If passed, this bill will eventually be met with legal opposition and struck down under the US Constitution. The government cannot regulate or infringe upon an online platform's freedom of speech and expression we've seen firsthand the outcome of state governments attempting to limit and control online platforms' content moderation practices.



11:32 AM

House Bill 5973

Prohibits technology companies from deplatforming users.

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Chamber of Progress Director of State and Local Policy Tyler Smith testifies in opposition to HB 5973 before the Michigan legislature.

Chamber of Progress, "[Testimony to MI Lawmakers: Oppose Anti-Content Moderation Bill \(HB 5973\)](#)",
05/18/2022; video archived [here](#)

In 2022, Smith testified against a Minnesota bill restricting Big Tech social media companies to use algorithms to push user-generated content to accounts accessed by minors, exceptions were made for government or school created content and algorithms used to block certain content. Social media companies cannot market the content of strangers to your children. Smith claimed, without mentioning the exceptions provided in the bill, that was an attack on algorithms in general, stating “it would be like saying we want cleaner drinking water, but then banning the water filtration system.”

◆ Below is Smith’s testimony transcript in full:

Good afternoon, Mr. Chairman. I'm here today on behalf of Chamber of Progress, a center-left tech industry association that works to ensure that all Americans benefit from technological leaps. Our corporate partners include companies like Google, Meta, and Twitter, yet none of our corporate partners have a vote or veto on any of our positions. One of our organization's top priorities is to promote safe and healthy online communities, and I know this committee shares that goal. Unfortunately, while this bill is well-intentioned, it would create an issue that makes social media more dangerous for kids and teens. This bill will remove a vital tool, algorithms, that online platforms use for promoting healthy content and for deprioritizing unhealthy content, we agree that unhealthy content for kids is a real problem. We'd like to work with the committee on a more targeted approach that aims at the harms without scraping the good things that come from algorithms. Simply defined, an algorithm is a system of computer rules for completing. Understand that over the past year, there has been numerous stories written in national media that blame algorithms for choosing negative content to display to kids and teens, but if I leave you with one point, it's that algorithms are also the very same tools that help services target good content towards kids and teens, and there are many examples of services using algorithms themselves to make the internet better, healthier, and safer for kids, for example, YouTube Kids provides a curated experience for younger kids. Unlike the main YouTube site, YouTube Kids uses a combination of algorithms and manual curations to make sure it only shows child-appropriate videos. Yet, if we pass this bill and make it impossible for YouTube Kids to use algorithms to find kid-appropriate content. Second, just last year, Instagram announced that it would roll

out new settings that give teens and parents more control over upsetting content. Passing this bill would likely break these tools, which rely on algorithms to sift through posts and weed out upsetting content. And finally, just last year, again, Instagram started steering teens who are searching for disordered eating topics towards helpful support resources. Unfortunately, Instagram's ability to remove eating disorders post promote helpful resources is powered by the very algorithm that this bill would get rid of. This bill is very well intended, but it has an overbroad reaction. This does more harm than good. Passing this bill in its current form would endanger the vital work companies do to ensuring a safe space for everyone. I understand that algorithms may not always provide recommendations that this committee agrees with. We all share the goal of wanting our kids to have a better experience online, but banning algorithms is not the answer, because it's algorithms that allow online services to filter out and down rank inappropriate content, and to elevate and promote healthy content. **It would be like saying we want cleaner drinking water, but then banning the water filtration system that removes sediments and toxins.** In conclusion, we share your goal of protecting kids online, yet we worry that this bill is too overbroad and can make it harder for platforms to remove bad content. We would love to work with this committee on a better approach. Thank you



Chamber of Progress, "[Minnesota Testimony: Anti-Algorithms Bill](#)", 04/01/2022; video archived [here](#)

- ◆ The bill in question was SF 3933, which has clear exceptions that include important exceptions allowing algorithms to be used to make sure certain content is not shown, as well as allowing certain school and government content to still be shown.

2.3 (b) The social media platform is liable to an individual account holder who received
2.4 user-generated content through a social media algorithm while the individual account holder
2.5 was under the age of 18 if the social media platform knew or had reason to know that the
2.6 individual account holder was under the age of 18. A social media platform subject to this
2.7 paragraph is liable to the account holder for (1) any regular or special damages, (2) a statutory
2.8 penalty of \$1,000 for each violation of this section, and (3) any other penalties available
2.9 under law.
2.10 **Subd. 3. Exceptions.** (a) A social media algorithm that is intended to block access to
2.11 inappropriate or harmful content to an account holder that is a minor is exempt from this
2.12 section. Software or devices that allow parental controls or internal controls used by the
2.13 social media platform that are designed to control access of the account of a minor to filter
2.14 content for age-appropriate material, that suggest, promote, or rank otherwise accessible
2.15 content, are exempt from this section.
2.16 (b) User-generated content that is created by a federal, state, or local government or by
2.17 a public or private school, college, or university is exempt from this section.

*Minnesota Legislature, **SF 3933, Version 2***

Smith testified against a California bill, the Social Media Platform Duty to Children Act, aimed to hold tech companies legally accountable for using design features that intentionally addict minors to their platforms. The bill passed the Assembly but stalled in the Senate, because powerful Tech companies came out against and used people like Smith to tell legislators not to do it.

- ◆ Smith's speech is available on Chamber of Progress YouTube. Smith stated [timestamp 2:30] "We share your goal of protecting kids online, yet we worry this bill would expose kids to a more unsafe environment and reduce kids' ability to communicate, share, and connect with each other and the broader world. We agree that unhealthy content for kids is a real problem. We would like to work with the committee on a more targeted approach."



Chamber of Progress “[Testimony to California Assembly: Oppose Social Media Addiction Legislation \(AB 2408\)](#)”, 05/03/2022; video archived [here](#)

- ◆ The bill passed the Assembly but stalled in the Senate, because powerful Tech companies came out against and used people like Smith to tell legislators not to do it.

California Assembly Bill 2408 (*Prior Session Legislation*)

CA State Legislature page for AB2408

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Bill Title: Social media platform: child users: addiction.

Sponsorship: Bipartisan Bill

Status: (*Engrossed - Dead*) 2022-08-11 - In committee: Held under submission. [\[AB2408 Detail\]](#)

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Voting Records

Chamber	Vote	Date	Yea	Nay	NV	Abs	Total	Result	Source	View
Senate	Placed on suspense file	2022-08-01	7	0	0	0	7	Passed	Link	View
Senate	Do pass as amended, but first amend, and re-refer to the Committee on [Appropriations]	2022-06-28	8	0	0	3	11	Passed	Link	View
Assembly	AB 2408 Cunningham Assembly Third Reading	2022-05-23	51	0	0	27	78	Passed	Link	View
Assembly	Do pass as amended	2022-05-03	9	0	0	1	10	Passed	Link	View

<https://legiscan.com/CA/votes/AB2408/2021>

In 2022, Smith testified in front of Texas legislature against passing a state version of Integrity, Notification, and Fairness in Online Retail Marketplaces (INFORM) legislation to counter act online marketplace theft or fraud. Texas never passed a bill as the federal INFORM Consumers Act was passed. Smith was there to argue that the federal route is the way to go; however, he used his time to attack Walmart, claiming Walmart wanted more state regulation to hurt its competition and Smith's corporate partner, Amazon.

- ◆ In his testimony, Smith references the Arkansas bill that was passed. He testifies “neutrally” but opposes state-by-state INFORM Act bills. He argues they are unnecessary, harmful to small online sellers (Etsy, eBay, etc.), add red tape, and represent big-box retailers (like Walmart) trying to disadvantage competitors like Amazon. He admits Amazon funds Chamber of Progress.

[Timestamp 0:05] CHAIR: you registered as Tyler Smith on behalf of Chamber of Progress, testifying neutrally today. Is that correct?

SMITH: Correct.My name is Tyler Smith. I'm the Director of State and Local Government Affairs for Chamber of Progress, Center Left Tech Industry Association focused on the progressive future of tech. Some of our partners include companies like Amazon, Meta, Google, and Twitter, yet none of them have a vote or veto on any of our positions. We agree that retail theft remains a problem, but respect to INFORM type bills, that's not the solution that we think is the best option for states. These type of bills have been now rejected by more than 15 state legislators, and on a bipartisan basis, it's unnecessary now that big box retailers and online marketplaces have endorsed the federal legislation. **INFORM type legislation would make online sellers collateral damage and Walmart's battle against Amazon. This bill represents an effort for Walmart and other big box retailers to hurt their biggest competitor, Amazon, under the false pretext of eliminating small number of bad people from selling counterfeit and selling goods online.** Reality, the marketplace giants are trying to stifle healthy competition that ultimately hurt Etsy artisan, eBay sellers, and other online market businesses. According to an article recently in The Atlantic, bills like SB 470 will ultimately help Walmart by weakening the competitive advantage of large scale online shopping platforms, whose success is a much larger existential threat to their bottom line than these ever can be. It's an overreaction to

an exaggerated problem with considerable collateral damage, and at least 15 states have rejected these types of bills, prioritizing the needs of online entrepreneurs and consumer choices, legislators in Republican and Democratic-led states agree this legislation would add additional obstacles that would ultimately hurt small sellers, decrease opportunity, increase red tape, and hinder consumers in search of a deal...

CHAIR: Thank you for your testimony. So, you mentioned SB 470 what is it? What is that?

SMITH: SB 470 is the Arkansas Inform Act bill that passed Walmart's home state, and they passed Inform Act bills that has a lot of data privacy issues for small online sellers.

CHAIR: I see. Okay, just for the record, we don't have any specific legislation from just exploring the issue



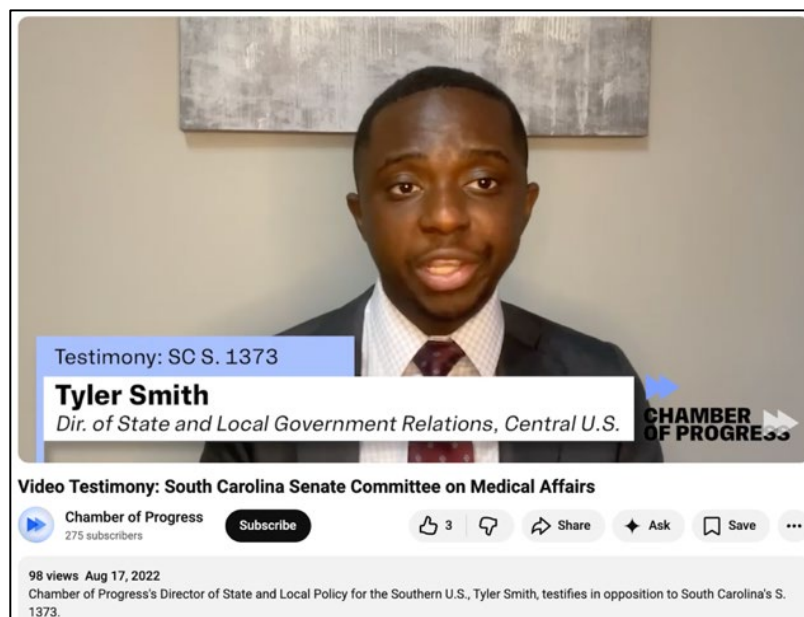
Chamber of Progress, "[Testimony to Texas Legislature: Online Marketplaces and Theft Hearing](#)", 06/08/2022; video archived [here](#)

On behalf of Chamber of Progress, Smith testified against a pro-life bill in South Carolina, proving this group is less about the internet and technology and more about pushing leftwing values.

◆ During his testimony Smith stated:

[Timestamp: 0:18] One of our organization's top priority is providing safe and healthy online communities. As we understand, abortion is a topic that invokes strong feelings on all sides. Yet this bill would threaten women's health by making it more difficult to access factual information online about safe reproductive health services. This bill would further set a dangerous precedent of giving South Carolina's government the authority to police speech in every corner of the internet today, many women depend on the internet to find accurate information regarding reproductive health care.

[Timestamp: 5:30] ...In conclusion, we urge you to reject this legislation, because it will make it harder for women to find safe, reliable reproductive health care information online, because it would particularly impact women of color and low-income women, and because it would make the state of South Carolina the online speech police in a way that clearly violates the US Constitution.



Chamber of Progress, "[Video Testimony: South Carolina Senate Committee on Medical Affairs](#)"
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Smith is prioritizing “mental health” in his campaign, proudly boasting that he is a “Mental Health Candidate” by “Mental Health Now.” Mental Health Now and their “Inseparable” campaign are “validating” and promoting transgenderism, embracing the idea of cultural/racial victimhood, and advocating for the removal of guardrails to potent psychiatric drugs so that they are more accessible.

- ◆ Smith has the Mental Health Now logo right next to Moms Demand Action on the first slide of his website.

A campaign slide for Tyler Smith, a candidate for State Representative, District 138. The slide has a dark blue background. On the left, the name "TYLER SMITH" is written in large, bold, orange letters. Below it, "FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 138" is written in smaller, orange letters. A quote in white text reads: "I'll take on Greg Abbott and Donald Trump any day to keep Texas safe and affordable for our families." Below the quote is a blue button with the word "DONATE" in white. At the bottom left are two circular logos: one for "MOMS DEMAND ACTION GUN SENSE CANDIDATE 2026" and another for "mental health now. MENTAL HEALTH CANDIDATE 2026". On the right side of the slide is a portrait of Tyler Smith, a Black man with a short beard, wearing a dark suit jacket over a light blue shirt, smiling slightly.

TYLER SMITH

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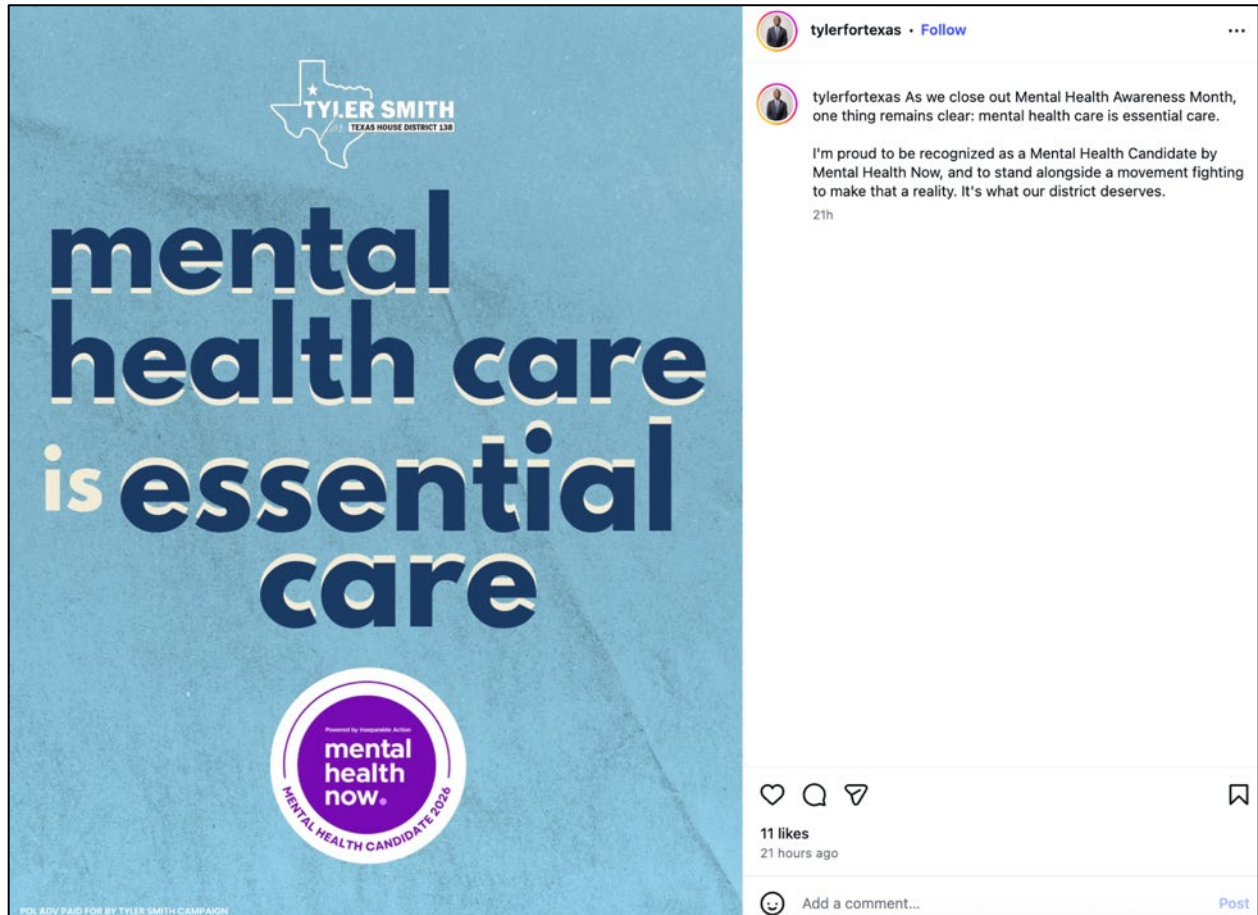
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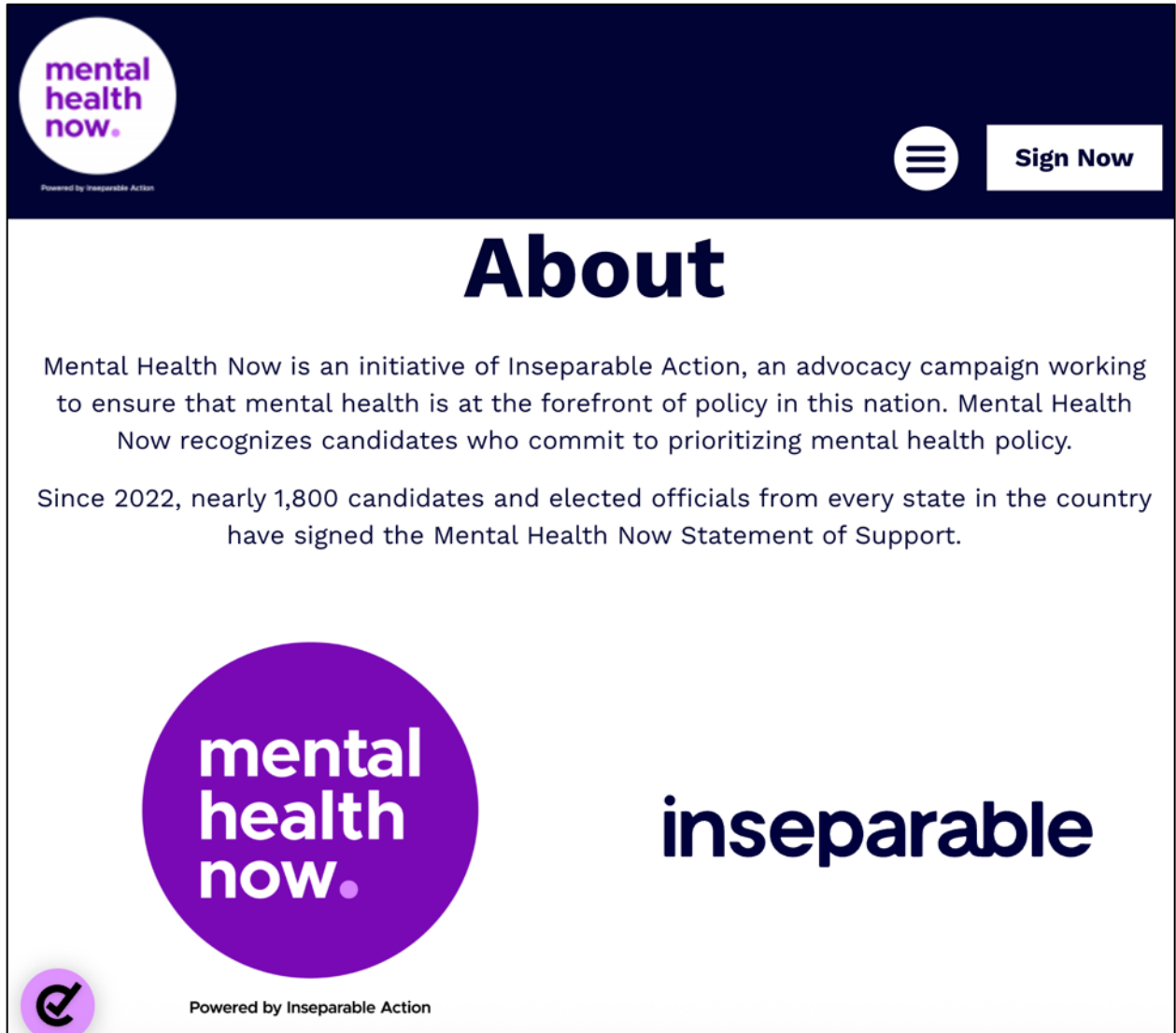
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- ♦ Smith: “As we close out Mental Health Awareness Month, one thing remains clear: mental health care is essential care. I'm proud to be recognized as a Mental Health Candidate by Mental Health Now, and to stand alongside a movement fighting to make that a reality”



<https://www.instagram.com/p/DZA-0GDkgEZ/>

- ◆ “Mental Health Now is an initiative of Inseparable Action, an advocacy campaign working to ensure that mental health is at the forefront of policy in this nation.”



The screenshot shows the 'About' page of the Mental Health Now website. The header is dark blue with the 'mental health now.' logo on the left, a hamburger menu icon, and a 'Sign Now' button on the right. The main content area is white and features the title 'About' in large, bold, dark blue letters. Below the title, there is a paragraph explaining that Mental Health Now is an initiative of Inseparable Action, an advocacy campaign working to ensure that mental health is at the forefront of policy in this nation. It also mentions that Mental Health Now recognizes candidates who commit to prioritizing mental health policy. Another paragraph states that since 2022, nearly 1,800 candidates and elected officials from every state in the country have signed the Mental Health Now Statement of Support. At the bottom of the page, there is a large purple circle containing the 'mental health now.' logo, and the word 'inseparable' in large, bold, dark blue letters. A small circular logo with a checkmark and the text 'Powered by Inseparable Action' is located in the bottom left corner.

mental health now.

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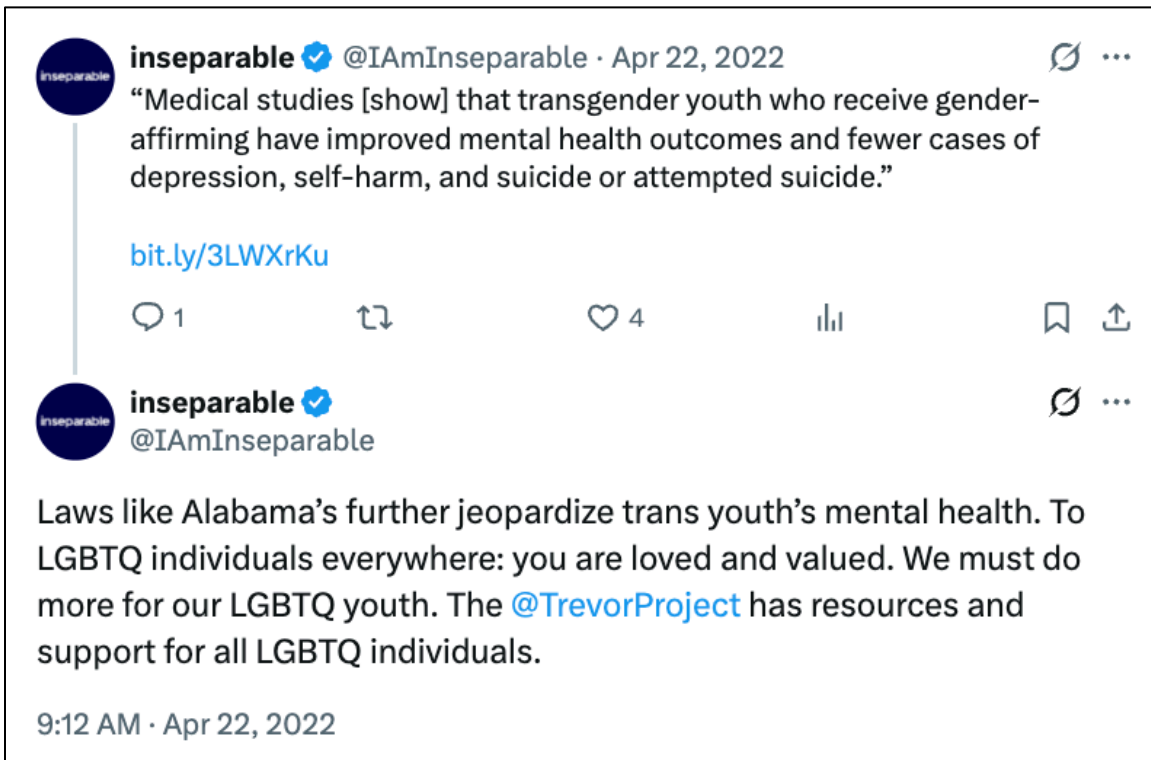
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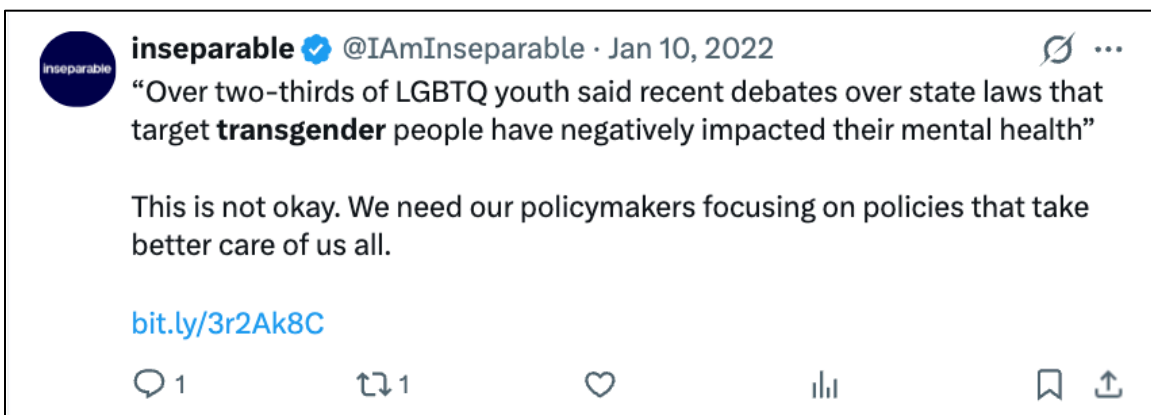
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<https://mentalhealthnow.us/about/>

- ◆ All the social media icons on the Mental Health Now website link to the Inseparable social media accounts.
- ◆ Inseparable thinks “gender affirming care” for “transgender youth” is better for their mental health. They push against conservative laws like the [2022 bills passed in Alabama](#) and advocate for the propagation and acceptance of the mental illness known as transgenderism.



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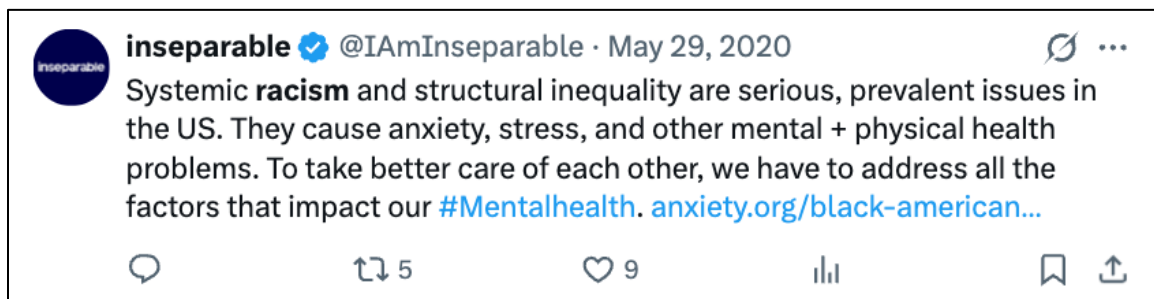
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- ◆ Inseparable wants more transgenders to become teachers and staff at schools.



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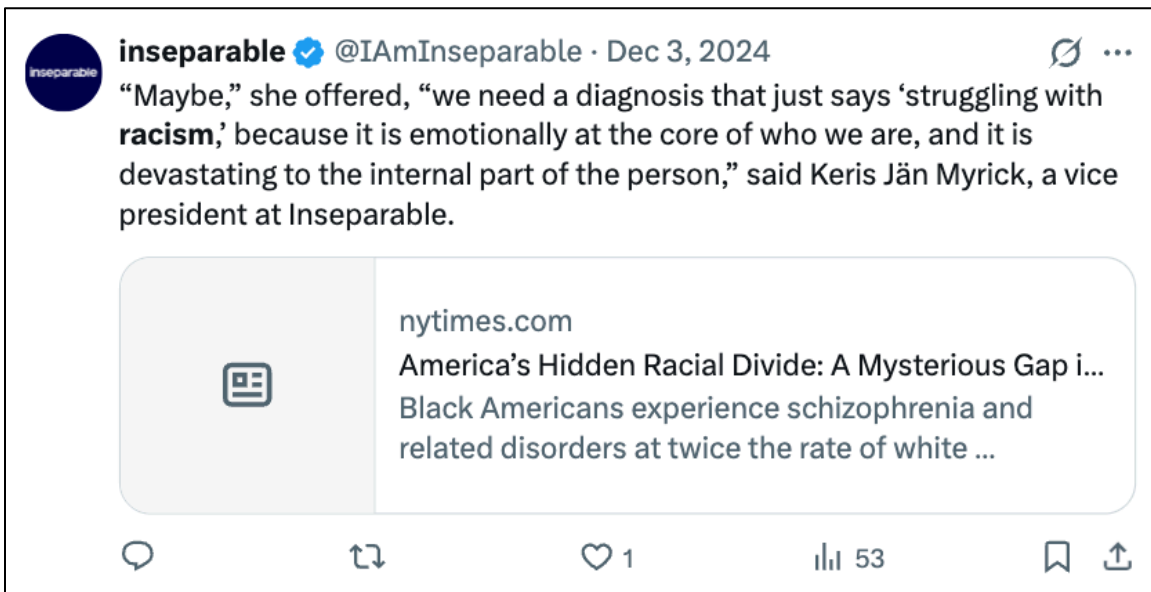
- ◆ Inseparable / Mental Health Now also plays into racialized lens of mental health, about how racial injustice and historical trauma and white supremacy impact minority mental health. Mental health needs to address racial anxieties specifically by affirming victimhood mentality among minorities.



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There's growing awareness that practitioners, institutions, and health departments must confront racism as a public health issue.

To discuss what that means, @PublicHealth executive director Georges Benjamin joined @PublicHealthPod with @DrJoshS....

Racism is a Public Health Issue

Episode 102

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As we honor #BlackHistoryMonth, we must continue to combat systemic inequities in mental health treatment and ensure everyone gets the quality, compassionate mental health care they deserve. >>
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- ◆ Inseparable / Mental Health Now actively advocates for and celebrates policies that expand the pool of professionals authorized to prescribe psychiatric medications. The group celebrated a Utah law allowing psychologists to prescribe psychiatric medication. They advocate for empowering nurse practitioners to prescribe psychiatric medications as well.

- **Overreliance on a narrow provider pool.** Systems often lean heavily on a small, overburdened group of licensed psychiatrists and psychologists, even though many people seeking mental health support may be effectively served by a wide range of licensed and credentialed providers, including peer specialists and paraprofessionals.

- Promote the use of psychiatric nurse prescribers by incentivizing training and education, easing supervision requirements, and allowing full practice authority.

<https://www.inseparable.us/workforce/>

Smith: “White men can’t help but to try and speak over women more specifically black women”



Tyler Smith
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White men can’t help but to try and speak over women more specifically black women yet, The Senator did a Great Job at letting the Pence know who was speaking.

9:40 PM · Oct 7, 2020

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Smith: “Where do I submit my application for the team dragging Donald Trump outta office?”



Tyler Smith
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Where do I submit my application for the team dragging Donald Trump outta office?

10:57 AM · Nov 7, 2020 from Houston, TX



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Brianna Hutchison @briannahtown · Nov 7, 2020
Just make sure you drop him off with Tish James.



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Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Nov 7, 2020
Oh that's the first stop lol



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Smith is running on an anti-school choice platform, calling SB2 a “scam.” Smith wants disempower parents from being able to afford to send their children to the school of their choice.

- ◆ Smith is explicit on his website in his opposition to the “new private school voucher law.”

Today, Tyler is running for State Representative in District 138 to make Texas safer and more affordable for all our families. Tyler will fight to:

- Lower the cost of prescription drugs, bring down medical debt and expand access to Medicaid and affordable childcare
- Stop Greg Abbott from cutting public education to fund his new private school voucher law

<https://tylerfortx.com/>

- ◆ On social media, he is outspoken about his opposition to school choice, even calling it a “scam”:



[Facebook](#) 12/18/2025



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc

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Texas SB2 isn't about helping students—it's a giveaway to the wealthy. Less than 100,000 ESAs while over 5 million kids rely on public schools? That's not reform. That's a scam. Our kids deserve real investment, not a tax break for the rich. #txlege

10:01 PM · Jan 29, 2025 · 690 Views

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- ♦ Smith wrote a thread about how school choice doesn't give parents the "freedom" to choose. His proof? Private schools don't have to accept your student. He ends by pretending to be concerned about "fiscal responsibility."



Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Mar 12, 2024

Sure let's start with "school Choice" and then I'll let you take a pick at the next issue if you want to go further....

A lot of the messaging around school choice is that it gives parents the "freedom" to choose whatever school they send their kids too that's just false 🇺🇸



Daniel Greer @Daniel_Greer · Mar 11, 2024

Replying to @tylersmithfc

Interesting, can you elaborate on that theory?

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Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Mar 12, 2024

School choice sounds good on the outside but unlike public schools, private schools have no reason to accept students, for the most part don't have to follow state education standards, and aren't affordable..

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Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Mar 12, 2024

As we've seen in other states with vouchers, they never play out the way it's marketed.. it's all a scheme

Theirs nothing wrong with private school I have zero problems with them I just also don't think we should spend tax payer dollars on private entities.

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Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc

Also, "fiscal responsibility" is the bedrock of conservative politics the alarming cost of vouchers alone should be a reason it's not considered conservative policy.

5:17 AM · Mar 12, 2024 · 23 Views

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Smith: “cheap private school without the real bells and whistles of a private school is” not a “better alternative.”



Daniel Greer  @Daniel_Greer · Mar 12, 2024



Replying to @tylersmithfc

If you had to guess, will private school options increase or stay the same when school choice passes?

Assuming there's an increase in options, what is that likely to do to the cost?



Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Mar 12, 2024



Replying to @Daniel_Greer

More private schools will come but are we honestly thinking that a cheap private school without the real bells and whistles of a private school is a better alternative? It simply isn't.



<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1767544004554506370>

Smith: “School choice has been proven to help white rich people the most”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



HBCU funding was Alma Adams not Donald Trump....

School choice has been proven to help white rich people the most

Joe Biden has the lowest black unemployment numbers

And Joe Biden also has seen the most wealth in the black community the wealth gap has never been this close!



Patriot of PA™ @ThePatriotofPA · Apr 12, 2024

Replying to @IsaacHayes3

Here's Trumps top 5.

First Step Act

Expanded School Choice...

8:22 AM · Apr 13, 2024 from Desoto, TX · **216** Views

<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1779138148917735595>

According to Smith, teachers who support school choice just don't understand school choice and need a "lesson."



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc

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If someone sat down and actually gave Ms. Williams a lesson in what school vouchers does I'm sure she'd have a change of heart.



Greg Abbott  @GregAbbott_TX · May 22, 2024

The time for school choice in Texas is now.

Educators like Victoria Williams know the value of school choice and the positive impact it has on our children.

...



8:28 PM · May 28, 2024 · 98 Views

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What is he talking about...Smith: “As we tend to see, private schools usually push the most progressive education”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Let's play the game that CRT actually exist in k-12 schooling.... What stops private schools from teaching this? Seeing that they don't have to follow state regulated education guidelines? As we tend to see, private schools usually push the most progressive education

12:12 AM · Oct 11, 2023 · **198** Views



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Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Oct 11, 2023



How would the far right regulate Private schools in which don't have to answer to the state for education criteria, admissions, nor do they have school boards and ETC?



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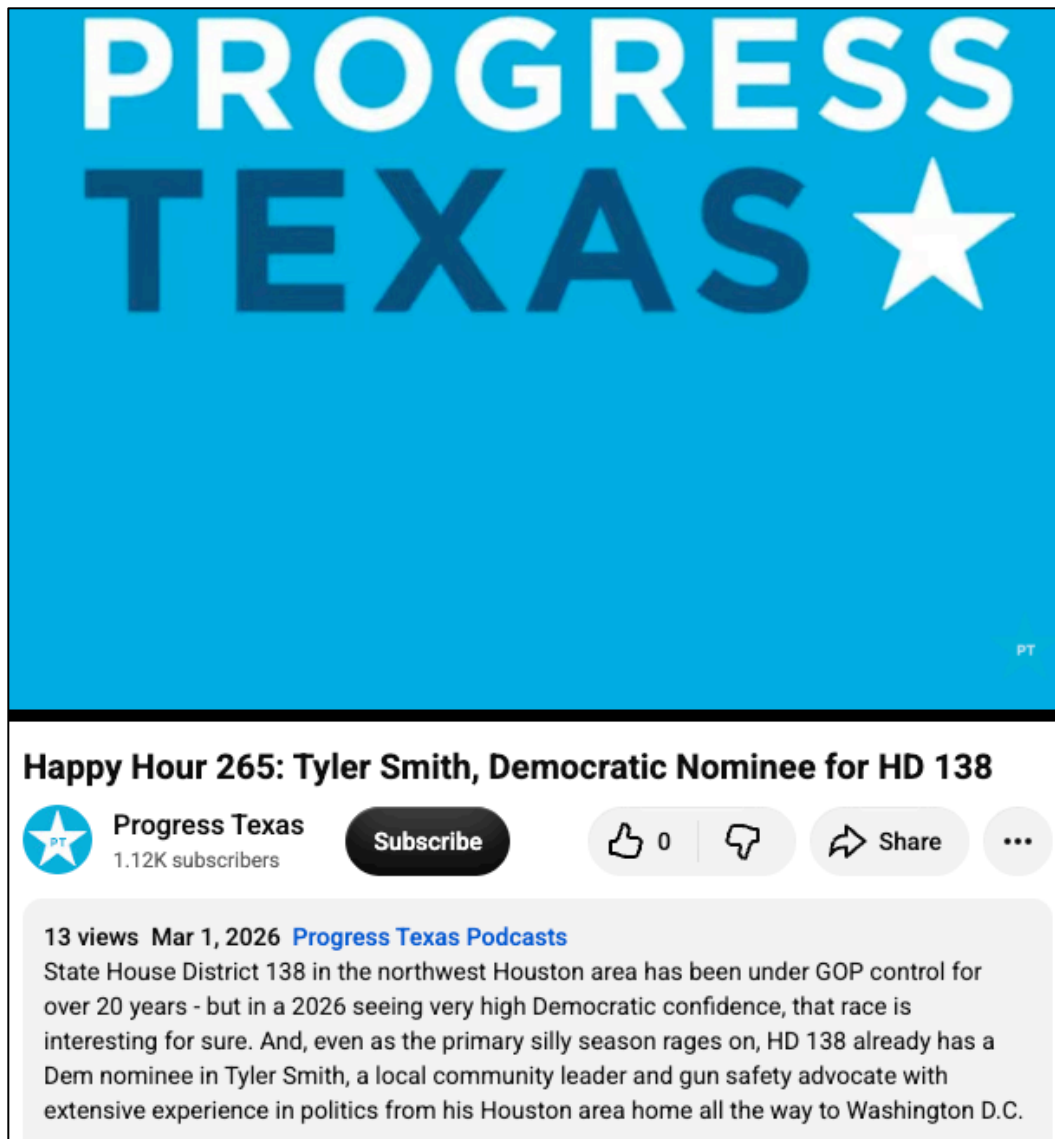


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Smith: “people are really worried about public education, they're worried about what vouchers is going to do to our local schools here in Spring Branch”



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3CJkhnLxESM&t=273s>; video archived [here](#)

◆ Smith (segment begins 07:08):

I think a lot of people at HD 138 are very nervous about what's going to happen to education in our state. Like we talked about, vouchers is going to come through, and we will see the impacts of those vouchers this year as those programs are starting to roll out. One of the things that impacts as much here in Spring Branch, and the HD 138 we have a problem with our bussing systems. We have students and families that have to walk their students sometimes miles just to get to school. That's

something that the state can fix, and something that I definitely want to work on if headed to the legislator. But there's also a fear of schools having to close down and resources being stripped from districts. I think another thing that people don't really talk about a lot is that when you strip away schools, that's also an economic hub that you take away from that area. Schools having to close down means that families usually tend to move out of those neighborhoods, which hurts businesses, and it hurts the local economy of the neighborhood. So, people are really worried about public education, they're worried about what vouchers is going to do to our local schools here in Spring Branch, where I currently reside in the district. We have already seen a number of budget cuts on the north side of the district to schools, and people are really worried about how all of this is going to impact us, and that's something that we're talking about on the trail every day.

Smith: “FREEDOM OF SPEECH ONLY APPLIES TO WHITE MEN!”



Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Feb 12, 2021

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As the impeachment hearing is going on, everyone should be reminded how the United States Government killed Fred Hampton and many more leaders of the black panther party because of this so-called free speech the defense is arguing for...

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Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Feb 12, 2021

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It's not shocking that the government was willing to kill men who fed their community and built the same social programs the government uses today, yet not able to convict Donald Trump who incited ruthless thugs to storm the capitol...

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Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Feb 12, 2021

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It's also not shocking that White United States senators act like they don't comprehend what Freedom of speech means when it comes to another white man. But freedom of speech does not mean you don't have to pay for the actions of your words. But as we all know...

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Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc

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FREEDOM OF SPEECH ONLY APPLIES TO WHITE MEN!

12:43 PM · Feb 12, 2021



Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Feb 12, 2021

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Lastly watch Judas and the Black Messiah

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Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Feb 12, 2021

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Thank you for joining my Ted talk.





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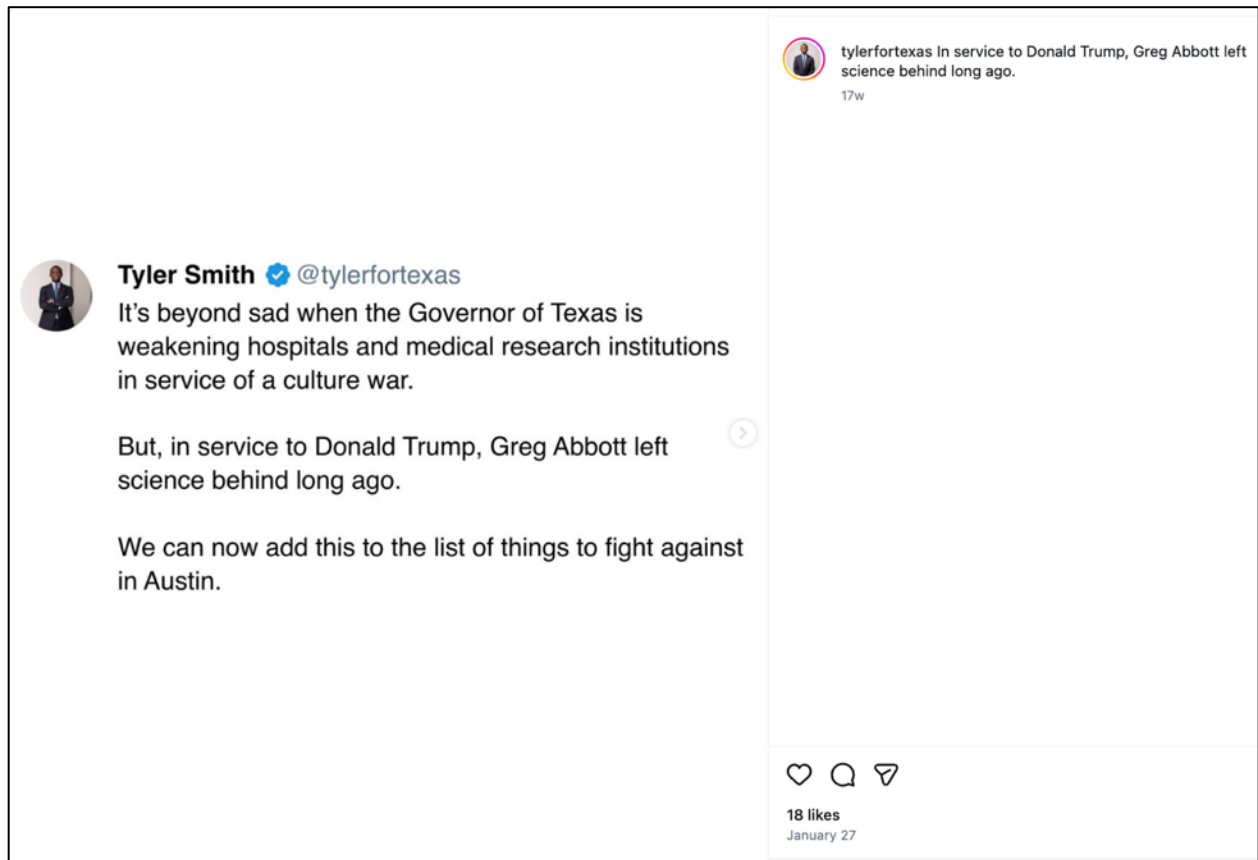




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Smith wants more H-1B visas to take jobs away from Texans. Smith thinks it's just a "culture war" that Gov. Abbott curbed future use of H1-B visas at Texas state agencies and universities. Smith thinks curbing H-1Bs "weakens" our institutions.

◆ Smith posted the below images in the same Instagram post:



https://www.instagram.com/p/DUCb7d9kqnh/?img_index=2

POLITICS // TEXAS POLITICS

Greg Abbott halts future use of H-1B visas at Texas state agencies and universities

By **Benjamin Wermund**, **Samantha Ketterer**, Staff Writers

Jan 27, 2026



tylerfortexas In service to Donald Trump, Greg Abbott left science behind long ago.

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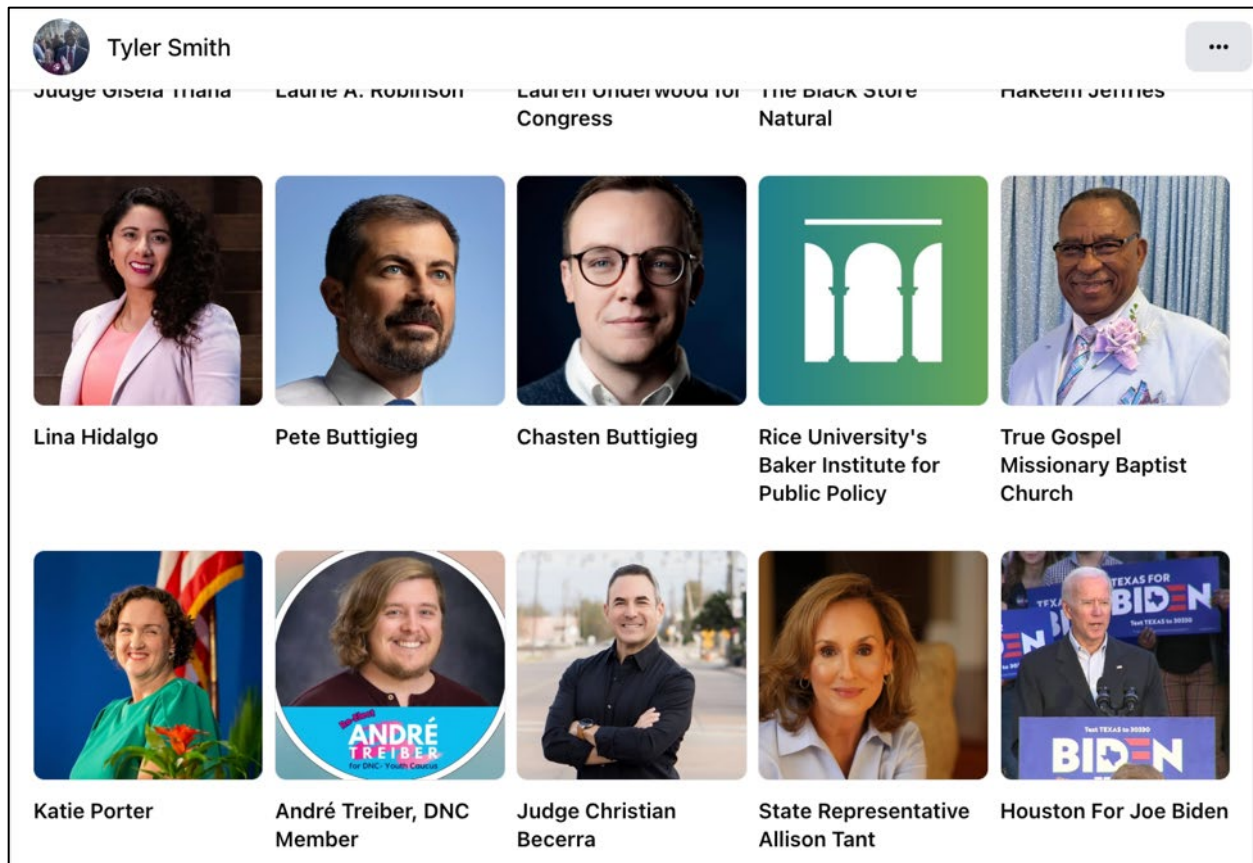


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https://www.instagram.com/p/DUCb7d9kqnh/?img_index=2

Who cares what Chasten Buttigieg has to say about anything? Smith follows him on Facebook.



https://www.facebook.com/thereateejay/likes_all

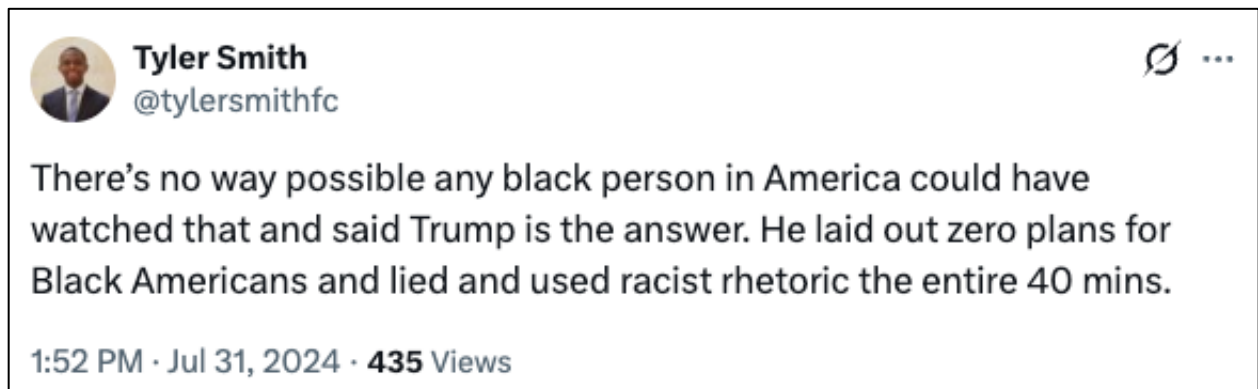
Smith quotes Al Sharpton, believes black people need to keep voting for Democrats, and accuses Trump of using “racist rhetoric.”

- ◆ Al Sharpton quote:



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- ◆ “No way possible” any black person in America could like Trump’s 2024 RNC speech



<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1818721322530488668>

- ◆ “We love to see black women judges”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



We love to see black women judges



Senate Periodicals @SenatePPG · Dec 12, 2022

Confirmed, 53-35: Executive Calendar #1183 Tamika R. Montgomery-Reeves to be United States Circuit Judge for the Third Circuit.

5:54 PM · Dec 12, 2022

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Tyler Smith · 2nd
Government Affairs Professional
4yr ·

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Living through #HERstory

They say a picture is worth a 1,000 words well.... These pictures are worth 1 million!! What an Honor it was to meet the first ever Black Women Supreme Court nominee!!



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7 comments · 5 reposts

LinkedIn, [03/10/2022](#)

Smith: “On a Delta flight with an all black flight crew and it shows me more and more why I love my people!”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



On a @Delta flight with an all black flight crew and it shows me more and more why I love my people!

5:40 AM · Jun 7, 2022

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Smith “likes” BLM-aligned Facebook groups:

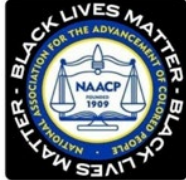


Tyler Smith




The Boy Refugee; A Memoir from a Long-Forgotten War.

Black Lives Matter Nashua




NAACP - New Orleans Branch

Latino Texas



Tyler Smith



George Floyd Candle Light Vigil & Police Brutality March - Killeen, Tx.



Tyler Smith

Party

Democrats

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Black Caucus of the Young Democrats of America



League of Women Voters of Texas



Rice University Young Democrats



Young Democrats of America College Caucus



College Democrats of America



Texas Young Professional Democrats



National Black College Alumni Hall of Fame Foundation, Inc.



CYD Black Caucus



Community Coalition



Black Los Angeles Young Democrats



Los Angeles County Young Democrats



Assemblymember Muratsuchi

https://www.facebook.com/thereateejay/likes_all

Smith posted #BlackLivesMatter Twitter chain



Gabrielle Harris @gabrielleeh23 · Jun 5, 2020



#BlackLivesMatter
#NoJusticeNoPeace
#PoliceBrutality
#GeorgeFloyd #BreonnaTaylor

three people i know wouldnt break the chain @tylersmithfc @nessie_horan
@raquelltorresl



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



#BlackLivesMatter
#NoJusticeNoPeace
#PoliceBrutality
#GeorgeFloyd #BreonnaTaylor

three people i know wouldnt break the chain @DopeUrkel @_justjordyy
@callherlani

9:40 PM · Jun 5, 2020

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Smith in May 2020: “I’m convinced a lot of the white people out there are not out there for justice because doing things like this is just outright wrong.”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



I’m convinced a lot of the white people out there are not out there for justice because doing things like this is just outright wrong.

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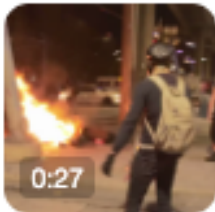


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I’m convinced a lot of the white people out there are not out there for justice because doing things like this is just outright wrong.



Orwell & Goode @OrwellNGoode

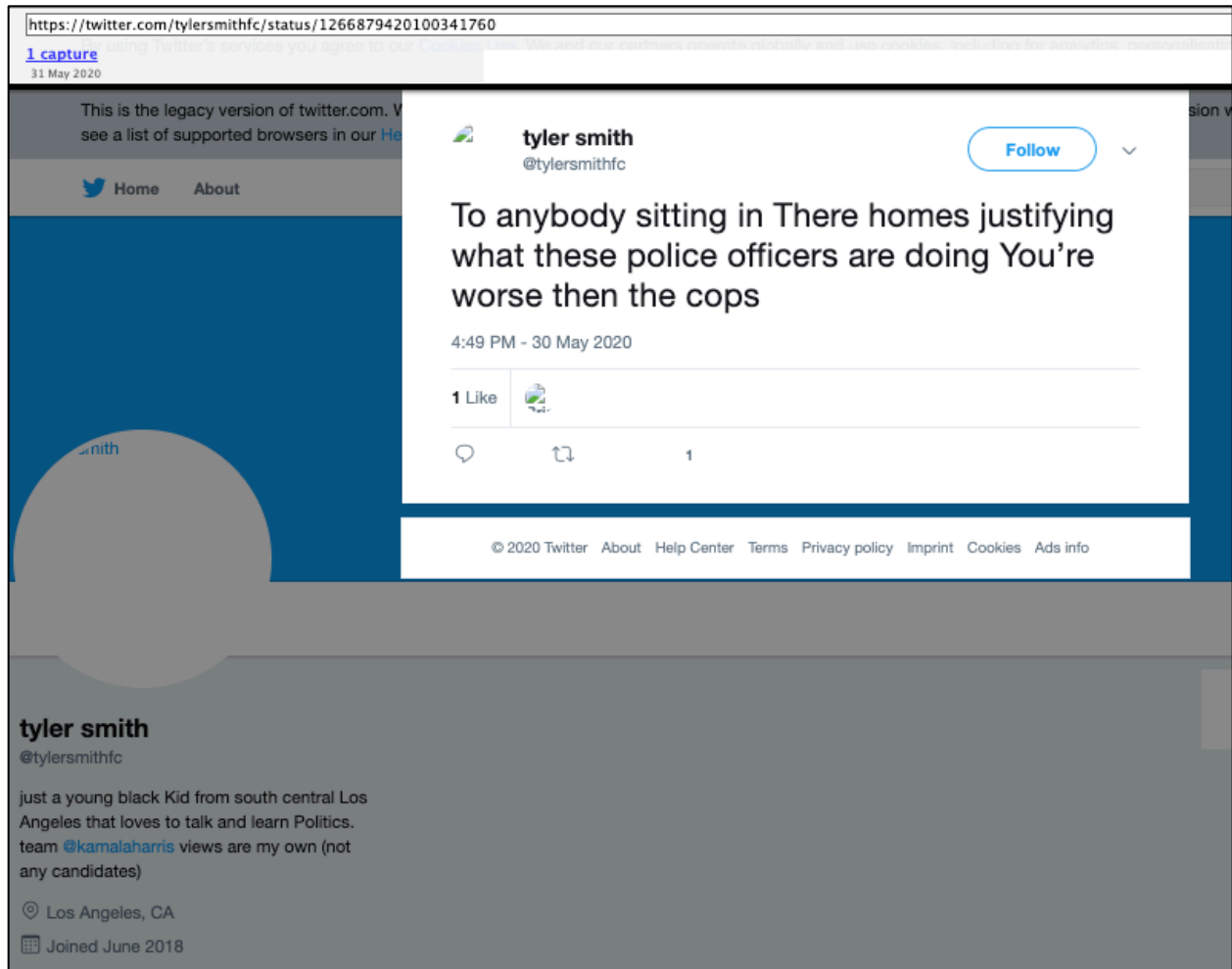
Rioters burn a homeless person's belongings.

Reportedly from Austin, Texas.

6:54 PM - 31 May 2020

[Internet Archive](#)

In a since-deleted Tweet from May 2020, Smith wrote “To anybody sitting in There homes justifying what these police officers are doing You’re worse then the cops”



[Internet Archive](#)

**Smith: “A lot of y’all are fake Allies and it shows.” Also
Smith: “White “allies” use the phrase to hide their
“racism.”**



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



A lot of y’all are fake Allies and it shows

1:58 AM · May 29, 2020

<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1266262544110374914>



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



When are we going to be ready to address the fact that a lot of people try to mask racism by calling themselves “allies” and etc

10:04 PM · Sep 7, 2020

<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1303167343850209282>

Smith: “Being black is really lit asf”. Also Smith: “it is a crime to be black in America.”



Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Sep 20, 2021



Being black is really lit asf



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Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · May 30, 2020

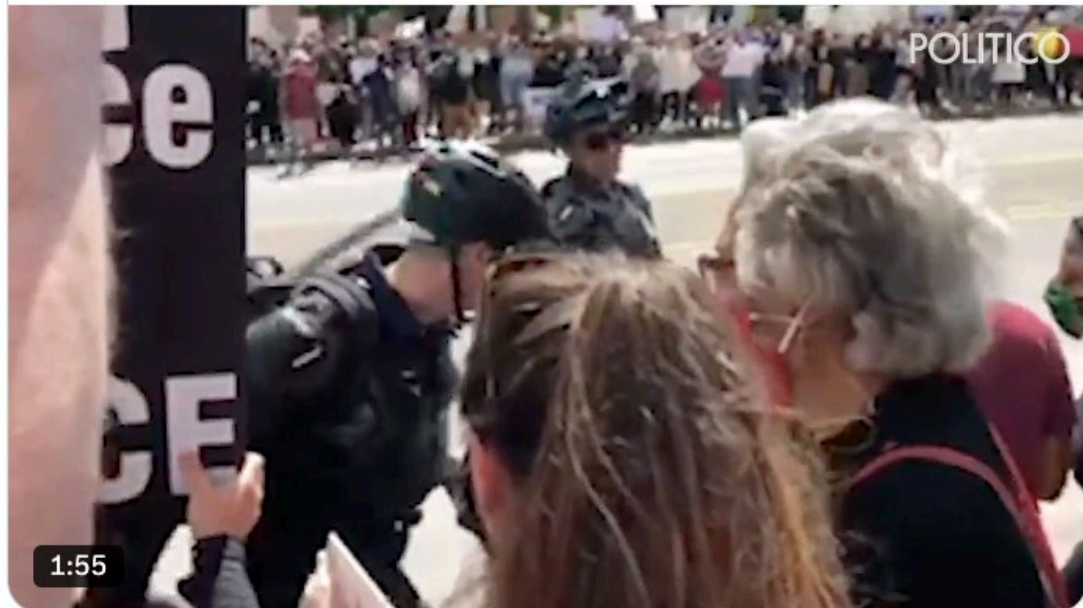


This Country we live in does not respect black lives no matter who you are and It's extremely sickening that is is a crime to be black in America



POLITICO @politico · May 30, 2020

Watch when Democratic Rep. Joyce Beatty was pepper sprayed by Columbus, Ohio, police during protests Saturday afternoon over the death of George Floyd politi.co/2XIUiXk



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If you are a black man and disagree with Smith or didn't like Kamala, he wants you to just admit that "you hate Black Women" and your own "mothers and sisters." Smith really "hate[s] the path black men have gone down."

- ◆ "Just say you hate Black women" Smith says to another Black man.

**Tyler Smith**
@tylersmithfc

Once again.... There's more black men than women in elected office. The next speaker of the house is a black man, the second highest ranking black person in the country is a black man. I'm confused where this comes from.

Just say you hate Black women instead of this crap

**lil duval**  @lilduval · Aug 28, 2024
Yall pandering to everybody but the black male vote

12:50 PM · Aug 28, 2024 · 376 Views

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- ◆ "If you hate black women just say that but black men for the love of God let's stop making up BS because you hate your mothers and sisters."



Tyler Smith
 @tylersmithfc




I really hate the path black men have gone down
Let's break this down

1. president Biden signed the Emmitt Till Anti lynching act named after a black man to address hate crimes. This bill also included the language of the justice for victims lynching act drafted by the VP. 🇺🇸
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7:57 AM · Aug 28, 2024 · 425 Views



Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Aug 28, 2024




2. Vice president Kamala Harris led through Congress as the Vice president an anti-lynching bill that directly impacted African Americans but you're upset because it doesn't solely say African Americans?

Also let's talk about housing...

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Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Aug 28, 2024




3. The proposed plan by the vice president has one of the largest impacts on our communities

We've seen a spike in more AA being able to afford housing yet not the down payment.. Which guess what! A 25k grant would boost AA homeownership!

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Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Aug 28, 2024




So in conclusion....

If you hate black women just say that but black men for the love of God let's stop making up BS because you hate your mothers and sisters.



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According to Smith, if you are a Black man leaving the Democrat Party after Charlie Kirk, you "might be worse than those celebrating" Kirk's death.



Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Sep 12, 2025



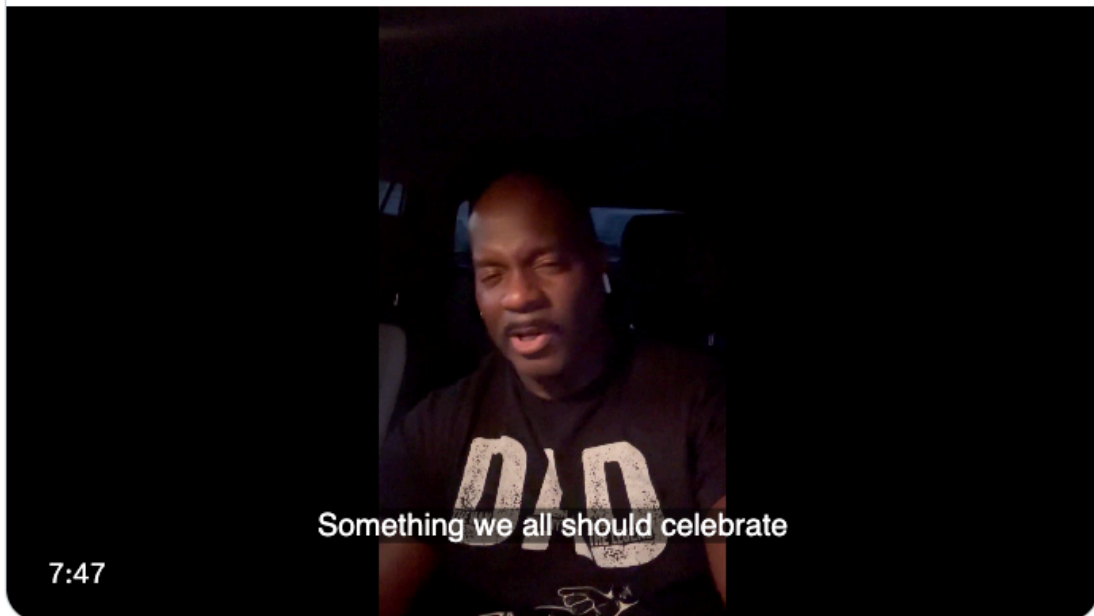
If you look at the profile of everyone making these stupid videos, it's clear they've been republicans and are trying to find a way to use this moment for clout...

These type of people might be worse than those celebrating.



Deon Joseph  @ofcrdeonjoseph · Sep 11, 2025

My complete divorce from the Dems and reasons. Sorry for the length. But I have to get it out.



<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1966481215621382204>

Smith claims “Black Americans bear a disproportionate burden of gun violence” because of “systemic inequities and generations of racial discrimination.”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Black Americans bear a disproportionate burden of gun violence, largely due to systemic inequities and generations of racial discrimination.

I [#WearOrange](#) to call attention to this crisis that disproportionately harms Black communities. [@Everytown](#)

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Black Americans are
twelve times more likely
than white Americans
to die by gun homicide.

wearorange.org

CDC, WONDER, Underlying Cause of Death, 2018-2022.

7:54 AM · Jun 7, 2024 · **26.3K** Views

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Smith supports black people having “disdain for America.”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Republicans spent and entire year telling black people not idolize George Floyd and Breanna Taylor because they weren't "perfect" yet get upset when black people have disdain for America.

11:54 PM · Jul 5, 2022

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Texas State Rep Gene Wu is supporting and fundraising for Smith. Wu faced heavy criticism after he advocated for racialized politics where minorities, “realize they have the same oppressor,” and “take over this country” from the evil “white” people. Smith is proud to have Wu’s support and endorsement.

- ◆ Smith posted about the fundraiser on Facebook:



Tyler Smith
May 27 at 12:50 PM · 🌐

I am incredibly honored to have the support of Chair of the House Dems, State Representative Gene Wu! Please join us on Saturday, June 13th, for a special afternoon fundraiser as we work together to bring real leadership and positive change to Texas House District 138.

We are building strong momentum, and I would love to see you there!

📅 Date: Saturday, June 13, 2026
🕒 Time: 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM
📍 Location: (Address provided upon RSVP)
Secure your spot and RSVP today at TylerForTX.com/june13 or email RSVP@StrongStrategies.com. [See less](#)

PLEASE JOIN
State Representative Gene Wu
for a fundraising event in support of

  
TYLER SMITH
for TEXAS HOUSE DISTRICT 138

Saturday, June 13, 2026
1:00pm – 2:30pm

Home of State Rep. Gene Wu
Address will be provided upon RSVP

CONTRIBUTE: TylerForTX.com/june13
Or make checks payable to Tyler Smith Campaign • P.O Box 56386, Houston, TX 77256

CONTRIBUTION LEVELS
\$5,000 • \$2,500 • \$1,000 • \$500 • \$250

Facebook, 05/27/2026

- ◆ Smith posted Wu's name and photo on his campaign website's "Endorsements" page:



State Representative Gene Wu

<https://tylerfortx.com/endorsements/>

- ◆ Gene Wu was heavily criticized for his comments made on a podcast in which he said, “their oppressors all are the same. The oppression comes from one place. I always tell people the day the Latino, African-American, Asian and other communities realize that they are — that they share the same oppressor is the day we start winning, because we are the majority in this country now.”

MEDIA

Texas Democrat blasted for telling Latino, Black, Asian people to unite against 'oppressor,' 'take over' US

State representative Gene Wu said he meant 'Republicans' were oppressor of minorities after 2024 podcast clip resurfaced

By **Alexander Hall** · Fox News

Published February 9, 2026 8:18pm EST

The leader of Democrats in the Texas House of Representatives, state Rep. Gene Wu, is facing conservative backlash after a clip resurfaced of him calling on various racial groups to unite against their common "oppressor."

Vargas argued that the future of the United States will be decided by Texas, asking Wu to give him the big picture. Wu said that one of the powerful forces driving modern politics, particularly regarding immigration, is that "White people" in America are concerned about becoming a racial and political minority.

"The scary thing for me is that what is driving this newest round of anti-immigrant sentiment is purely a sense of White nationalism," Wu said.

"That there is a sense of, 'America really just belongs to White people,' that this was that a lot of people believe that God gave America to White people to rule, and that any time that immigrants, minorities make progress in this country, that that is seen as a slight against them," he continued.

Both agreed that White people are already or almost a racial minority in Texas, with Wu clarifying that for now, they are still the majority of people who are able to vote. The host later asked Wu to talk about his majority-Latino district and the relationship between the Latino and Asian communities, particularly between those of both groups who are immigrants.

"I think you've hit exactly the right point," Wu said. "It's not just Latinos. It's not just Asians. It's not just African Americans. It's everybody. Right? We, our country and the forces that be, the powers that be, have spent tremendous time, effort and

money to make sure that those groups are never united, that they always see each other as enemies, as competitors, without ever realizing that they share one thing in common, that their oppressors all are the same. The oppression comes from one place.

"I always tell people the day the Latino, African-American, Asian and other communities realize that they are — that they share the same oppressor is the day we start winning, because we are the majority in this country now," he continued. "We have the ability to take over this country and to do what is needed for everyone and to make things fair."

The 2024 comments resurfaced on social media, causing Wu to face backlash from fellow Texans.

"Gene Wu is a radical racist who hates millions of Texans just because they're [W]hite. This is who the modern Democrat Party is," Texas Attorney General and Republican Senate candidate Ken Paxton wrote.

Former Texas GOP Chairman Matt Rinaldi wrote, "This clip is being widely circulated for its advocacy for [W]hite genocide. People need to realize that this isn't some random Democrat backbencher. This is the Texas House Democrat caucus LEADER."

"The Democrat party is built on bigotry," Sen. Ted Cruz, R-Texas, replied.

Rep. Chip Roy, also of Texas, called on Wu to resign.

"Unlike many Democrats, he admits his racism against [W]hite people and call to 'take over this country.' He should resign or the TX House should strip him of any power," he wrote. "Another reason to pass my PAUSE Act. Stop importing people who hate you."

After the backlash, Wu appeared to try to backtrack and claim that he was not referring to White people, but Republicans.

The Houston Chronicle's Evan Mintz, reporting on the viral clip from the longer interview, noted that "nowhere in the clip does Wu talk about [W]hite people."

However, Wu had referred to "White people" and their racial anxiety of becoming a minority in America before the segment shown in the clip.

"Just to clarify, I even called up Wu to ask who, exactly, he meant by 'shared oppressor,'" Mintz wrote. "His answer: Republicans."

"It is undeniable that Republicans have spent the past 50 years beating down communities," Wu told the writer.

"To their credit, some Republicans engaged with what Wu actually said, swiping at him for dividing the American people into subgroups in the first place — which, yes, he did do," Mintz reported.

Wu's office didn't immediately respond to a request for comment.

*Fox News, "**Texas Democrat blasted for telling Latino, Black, Asian people to unite against 'oppressor,' 'take over' US**", 02/09/2026*

◆ Below is a clip from the interview:



<https://x.com/HenryFrank02/status/2041526585866797139>

Supports election fraud. Smith attacks Texas's election integrity efforts.

**Tyler Smith for Texas**
January 9 · 🌐

Call a spade a spade.

Greg Abbott is making a desperate attempt to stay in power because he and Lacey Hull know that voters are sick of their games. **See less**



**Tyler Smith**
@tylerfortexas

Greg Abbott is about to lose big in Texas, so he's looking for yet another desperate attempt to remain in power.

My opponent won't do a thing to stop him. She'll be with him at every campaign stop.

I'm not scared to take him on.
democracydocket.com/news-alerts/te...



NEWS | VOTING | TEXAS

Texas governor threatens state takeover of Houston elections

By Jen Wiley | January 8, 2026

**Greg Abbott** @GregAbbott_TX
Harris County is repeat violator of election integrity.

Harris County elections officials find more than 100 voter registrations illegally tied to P.O. boxes.

They should be stripped of operating elections and state officials should take over.

Potential legal charges should also be considered.

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Facebook 01/09/2026







Smith attended the DNC in 2024 and watched as the Democrats nominated Kamala Harris without a primary.

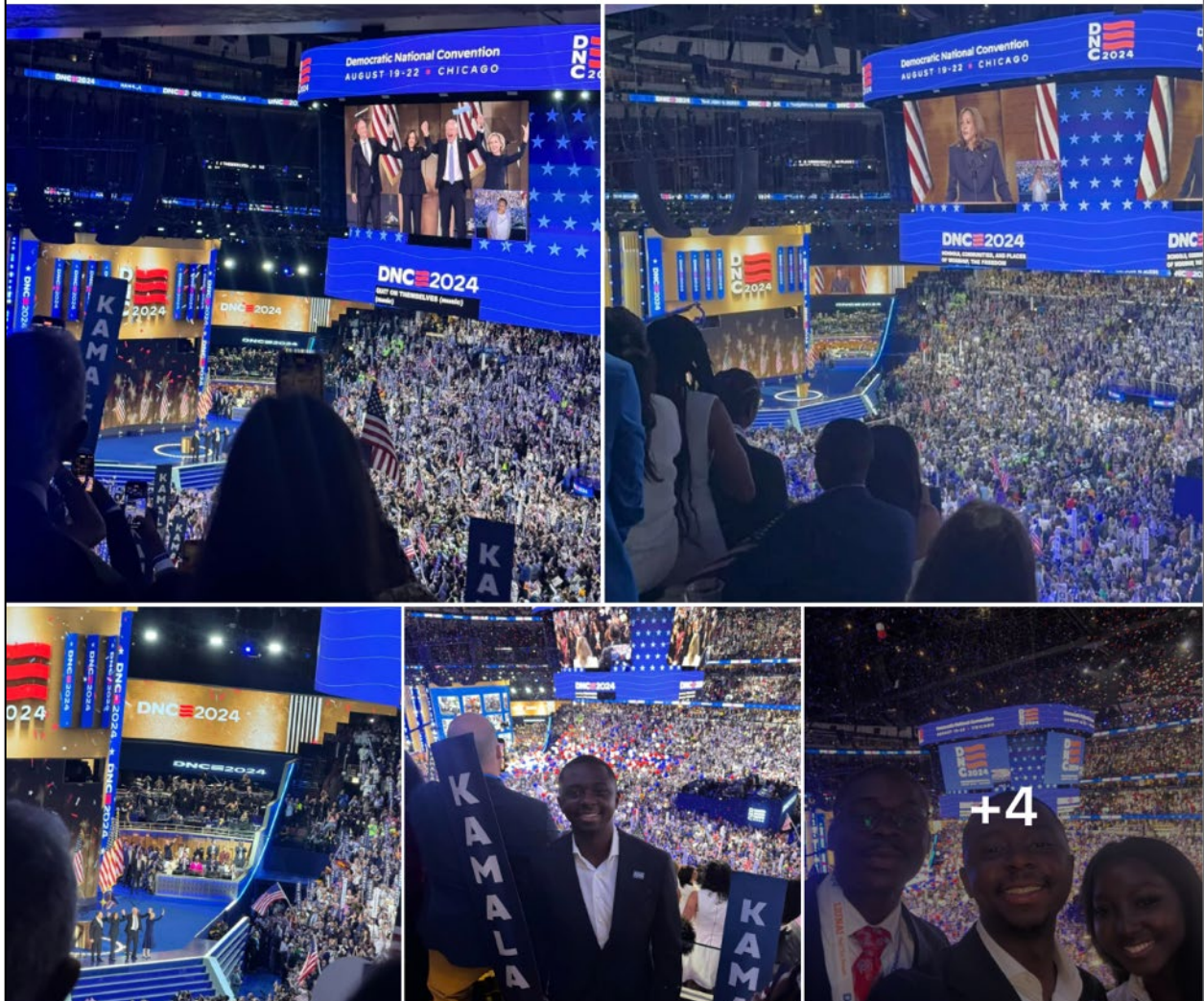


Tyler Smith

August 22, 2024 · 🌐



Tonight, Kamala Harris laid out a clear future for America. No myth but to be clear I'm ridding with Kamala



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<https://www.facebook.com/share/p/1BGe5DRkfY/>

Smith was “glad to be at the White House to welcome President Emanuel Macron” and Brigitte Macron, the first couple of France.



Smith was the Georgia Senator Jon Ossoff's executive assistant: "doing everything from carrying his back to helping prepare memos and briefing points for the confirmation hearing for Ketanji Brown Jackson"

- ◆ Smith worked as executive assistant to Senator Ossoff from June 2021 – March 2022



Tyler Smith
Government Affairs Professional



Executive Assistant
Office of U.S. Senator Jon Ossoff · Full-time
Jun 2021 - Mar 2022 · 10 mos
Washington DC-Baltimore Area



Democrats press Bureau of Prisons director over staffing shortages
Democratic senators are pressing the Federal Bureau of Prisons (BOP) director to address staffing shortages affecting prisons across the country.



Democrats Break With Leaders Over Congressional Stock Trading
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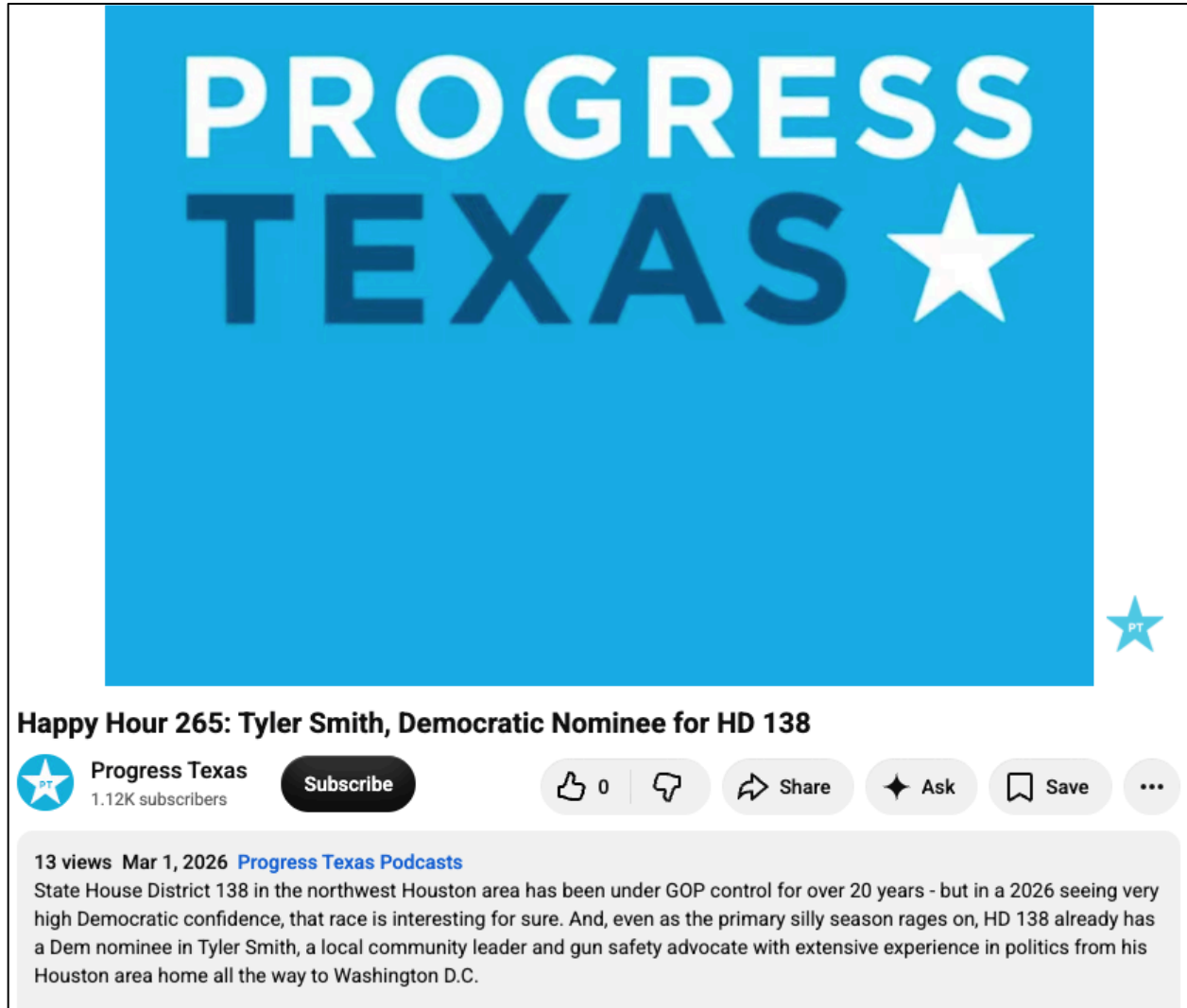


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- ♦ Smith (segment begins 02:36): “from there I've gotten involved in politics, working on that Senate campaign, as well as working on a number, like you said, working on the Biden-Harris campaign, and then taking my talents to DC, where I had the opportunity to work for Senator John Ossoff, doing everything from carrying his back to helping prepare memos and briefing points for the confirmation hearing for Ketanji Brown Jackson, things that were life-changing”



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Happy Hour 265: Tyler Smith, Democratic Nominee for HD 138

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3CJkhnLxESM&t=273s>; video archived [here](#)

While working for Senator Ossoff, Smith promoted his efforts for more tax credits and subsidies to the solar energy industry.

- ◆ Smith includes the below article on his LinkedIn experience page under his job with Ossoff.


Tyler Smith
 Government Affairs Professional


Executive Assistant
 Office of U.S. Senator Jon Ossoff · Full-time
 Jun 2021 - Mar 2022 · 10 mos
 Washington DC-Baltimore Area


Democrats press Bureau of Prisons director over staffing shortages
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Progressive poll finds support for solar energy tax credit legislation

BY MYCHAEL SCHNELL - 09/21/21 3:18 PM ET

A new survey from progressive pollster Data for Progress found support for a Senate bill that would provide tax credits for solar energy manufacturers at all stages of the supply chain.

The poll found that 67 percent of likely voters in the U.S. strongly or somewhat support the Solar Energy Manufacturing for America (SEMA) Act, compared to 23 percent who said they strongly or somewhat oppose the measure.

When broken down by party, the legislation carried support across the spectrum: 85 percent of Democrats and 65 percent of Independents said they support the bill. Forty-eight percent of Republicans backed the legislation as well and 39 percent said they were opposed.

To gauge public opinion on the bill, the pollster asked if respondents support or oppose the SEMA Act, noting that it “aims to create tens of thousands of new clean

energy jobs in the U.S., grow demand for solar energy technologies, and increase America's competitiveness abroad."

The bill, introduced by Sen. **Jon Ossoff** (D-Ga.) in June, specifically calls for **granting tax credits to American manufacturers** at all steps of the solar manufacturing supply chain, including the production of polysilicon, solar cells and assembled solar modules.

The senator has said the legislation is essential for making the U.S. competitive on the international stage when it comes to renewable energy.

Ossoff is pushing for the measure to be included in Democrats' multi-trillion dollar reconciliation package, which members of both congressional chambers are currently negotiating.

The package — which will include a number of Democratic legislative priorities, including investments in education and climate change — is being considered through reconciliation to buck a potential Republican filibuster. Only a simple majority will be needed for passage.

The new polling numbers come after the Biden administration released a new report earlier this month that showed **how the U.S. can boost its use of solar power** to as much as 45 percent of U.S. electricity by 2050.

The Data for Progress poll also surveyed support for the RAISE the Roof Act, which Ossoff introduced last month. The legislation aims make rooftop solar panel installations and solar integrated more affordable for homeowners and businesses.

It also seeks to expand solar tax credits to include integrated solar roofing systems and roof replacements and repairs that are needed for solar panel installations.

Reps. Mikie Sherill (D-N.J.) and **Bill Pascrell, Jr.** (D-N.J.) introduced a companion bill in the House.

The survey found that 75 percent of respondents strongly or somewhat support the legislation, compared to 17 percent who strongly or somewhat oppose the measure.

When broken down by party, support remained high: 86 percent of Democrats, 73 percent of Independents and 65 percent of Republicans backed the measure.

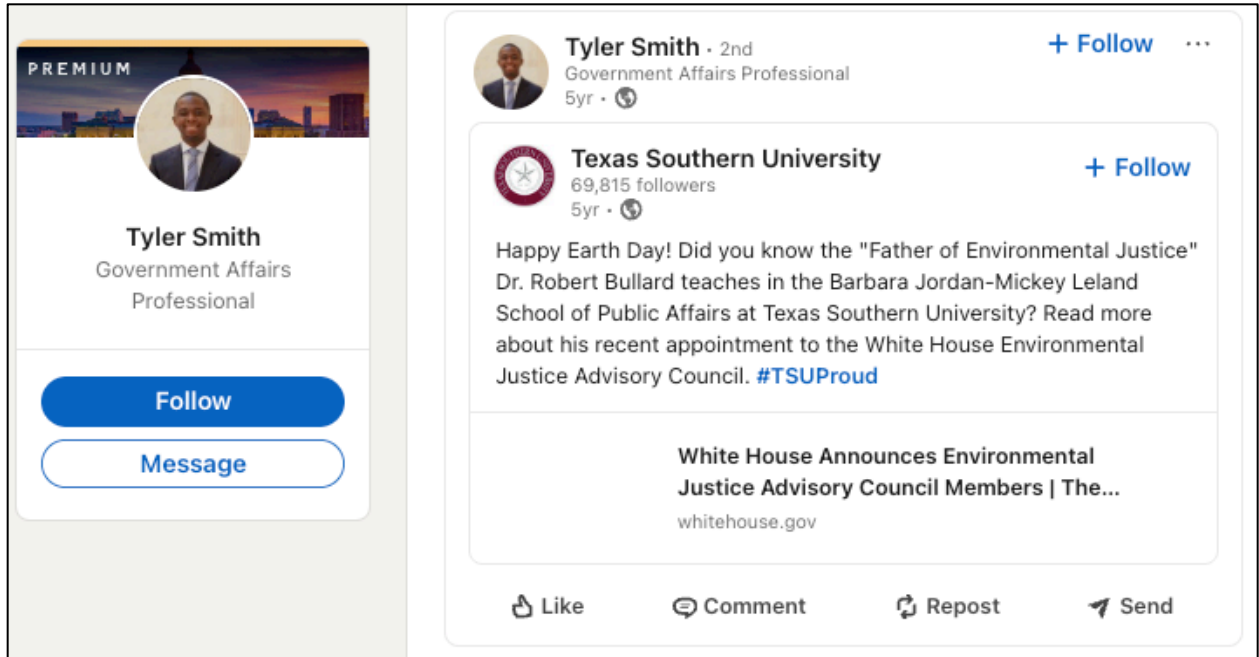
The pollster gauged public backing for the legislation by asking respondents if they support a bill that helps "households and small businesses more easily install solar panels on their rooftops," while also noting that the bill "proposes expanding the current system of federal tax credits for solar energy to include new cutting-edge solar technologies."

The poll surveyed 1,311 likely voters nationally from Sept. 17-20. The margin of error is plus or minus three percentage points.

The Hill, "[Progressive poll finds support for solar energy tax credit legislation](#)", 09/21/2021

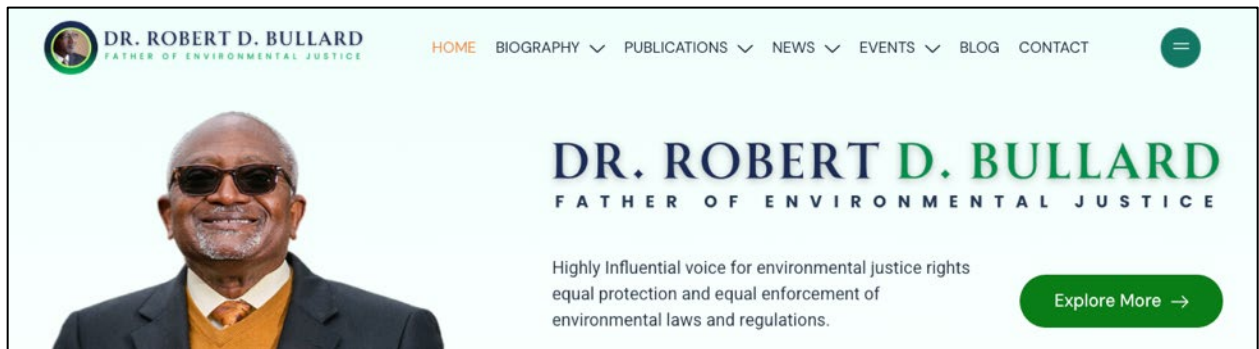
- ◆ The legislation mentioned:
 - [S.2140](#) Solar Energy Manufacturing for America (SEMA) Act
 - [S.2582](#) RAISE the Roof Act

Smith reposted an Earth Day message celebrating the “Father of Environmental Justice” Robert Bullard. Bullard says “Racism is deeply ingrained in America’s DNA” and has worked to block oil & gas facilities in Houston and with Bloomberg to “explore transitioning to a clean energy economy.”



The screenshot shows a LinkedIn profile for Tyler Smith, a Government Affairs Professional. He has reposted a post from Texas Southern University. The reposted post is a celebratory message for Earth Day, highlighting Dr. Robert Bullard as the "Father of Environmental Justice" and mentioning his recent appointment to the White House Environmental Justice Advisory Council. The post includes a link to a White House announcement.

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The screenshot shows the homepage of Dr. Robert D. Bullard's website. It features a large portrait of Dr. Bullard on the left and a navigation menu on the right. The main heading reads "DR. ROBERT D. BULLARD FATHER OF ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE". Below this, a brief description states: "Highly Influential voice for environmental justice rights equal protection and equal enforcement of environmental laws and regulations." A green button labeled "Explore More" is located at the bottom right.

<https://drrobertbullard.com/>

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The Father of Environmental Justice Exposes the Geography of Inequity

Robert Bullard reflects on the movement he created.

The Father of Environmental Justice Exposes the Geography of Inequity

How did race come to be such a defining factor in the U.S. for who gets clean air or water and who does not?

Racism is deeply ingrained in America's DNA. Race has always played a significant part in who's free, who gets educated and who is a citizen. There was slavery, then emancipation and Jim Crow segregation, where "separate but equal" was codified. If a Black person, for example, paid the same taxes as a white person, those taxes were not spent in a way that gave them equal protection and treatment.

The Civil Rights Act was wasn't passed until 1964. Racial redlining drew a line around Black and brown neighborhoods, labeling them as dangerous and undesirable for loans. That prevented our neighborhoods from benefiting from infrastructure such as sewer and water systems.

We're now seeing the legacies of that racism. Neighborhoods that were redlined 100 years ago are [hotter today because of urban heat islands](#). They have no tree canopy or parks or green space. They're more prone to flooding because they lack flood protection. They are more prone to industrial pollution. And we've learned that the same neighborhoods were more prone to COVID hospitalizations and deaths.

These are all examples of how past racism keeps getting transferred forward: it increases vulnerability.

<https://www.nature.com/articles/d41586-023-02613-6>

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What comes next for you?

We have a couple of projects. One is our participation in the U.S. government's Justice40 Initiative, which is funded by the Bezos Earth Fund. It looks at how our center can work with communities and use our HBCU [historically Black college or university] consortium to help communities that have been underserved and invisible when it comes to issues around climate, economic development, housing, transportation and clean energy.

Another is a Bloomberg project we're participating in that looks beyond petrochemicals. How do we explore transitioning to a clean energy economy and, at the same time, make sure that transition is equitable, fair and just?

We are helping community-based organizations in Texas resist the 80-plus new oil and gas facilities proposed for Houston, Beaumont-Port Arthur and Corpus Christi—areas already impacted by petrochemical plants. This is complemented by a study we're doing that examines the environmental justice implications of rapid permitting and build-out of terminals for liquefied natural gas in the Gulf Coast. Ironically, many of the new facilities are being proposed in communities where most residents have low incomes or are people of color and where they are already burdened with petrochemical plants.

<https://www.nature.com/articles/d41586-023-02613-6>

Smith reposted a study of Universal Basic Income: “interested to see what cities are next to follow the universal basic income train!!”



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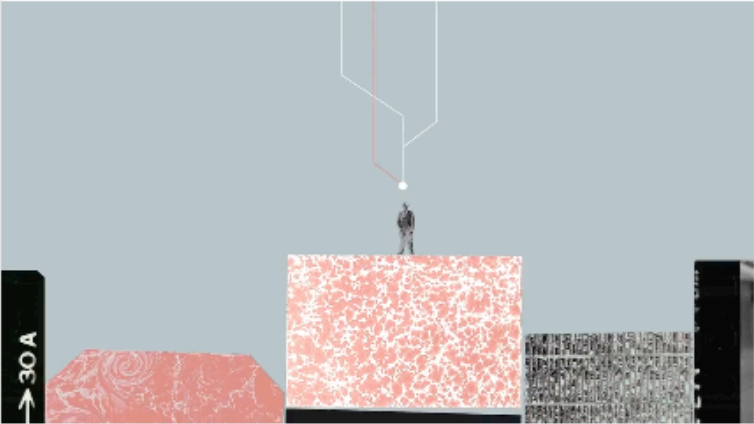
Interesting read! I have been following the UBI project down in Stockton for a while, interested to see what cities are next to follow the universal basic income train!!



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New studies conducted by researchers at the [School of Social Policy & Practice at the University of Pennsylvania](#) shows that individuals receiving a guaranteed income in Stockton were more than ...more



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Smith had a “fun night” with Nancy Pelosi.

- ◆ Smith wrote “Fun night in our nations capitol” and posted photos including one with him and Nancy Pelosi smiling and holding hands.





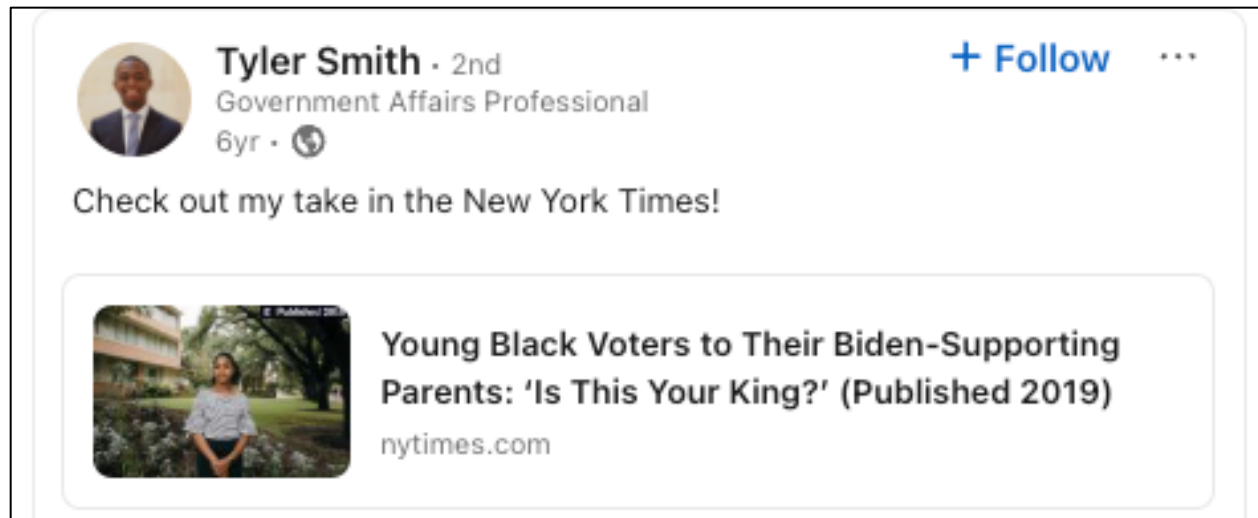
Facebook 02/07/2024

Smith posts a Happy Pride Month social media graphic for his campaign on the first day of June.



X/Twitter, 06/01/2026

In 2019, Smith was featured in a *New York Times* column and described as “lobbying his grandmother to shift her support from Joe Biden to one of his more progressive rivals.” Smith would go on to serve as National Co-Chair of black students for Biden.



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Young Black Voters to Their Biden-Supporting Parents: ‘Is This Your King?’

An organic effort by black millennials and Gen Z-ers to influence older family members against Mr. Biden may be important in the Democratic primary.



Tyler Smith, 19, is lobbying his grandmother to shift her support from Joe Biden to one of his more progressive rivals. Todd Spoth for The New York Times

The New York Times, 09/20/2019; <https://archive.ph/8Y6kj>



By Astead W. Herndon

Sept. 20, 2019



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HOUSTON — A groan erupted at a [debate](#) watch party at Texas Southern University last week as former vice president [Joseph R. Biden Jr.](#) got a question about slavery and racism and [gave an answer about Venezuela and record players](#).

But amid that exasperation, some students channeled their inner Beltway operatives and began a targeted rapid-response campaign.

Tyler **Smith**, 19, texted his grandmother after the debate, hopeful that Mr. Biden's meandering answer may have swayed her from supporting him.

Amaya St. Romain, 19, mounted a three-day lobbying blitz on her mother and her great-grandmother, making sure they had seen the former housing secretary [Julián Castro](#)'s criticisms of Mr. Biden onstage.

In [meme-speak](#), the efforts amounted to Killmonger, the villain in the Black Panther movie, challenging the people of Wakanda: "Is this your king?"

"I think I'm definitely influencing them," Ms. St. Romain said of her family members. "But my dad is definitely still pro-Biden. And I don't really argue with him."

The New York Times, [09/20/2019](#); <https://archive.ph/8Y6kj>

Mr. **Smith**, a member of the school's College Democrats, said he liked Mr. Biden, but preferred his more left-wing rivals, such as Mr. O'Rourke, Mr. Castro, Ms. Harris or Ms. Warren.

After the debate, he thought about further pestering his grandmother over her support for Mr. Biden, but he reconsidered out of fear of coming off as pushy.

"You know, it's grandma, so you got to let her have it," Mr. **Smith** said.

When reached by phone, however, Mr. **Smith's** grandmother, Alice Varnado, said his previous lobbying efforts had been more successful than he may have realized.

Ms. Varnado, 69, said she still preferred Mr. Biden, but that she had grown concerned about his age in recent months. She said she would vote for whichever Democrat earned the nomination, but she now considers Ms. Warren her second choice.

Her family members — Mr. **Smith** and his uncle — had convinced her.

"You know, since talking with my grandson and my son, I think I can go with her," said Ms. Varnado. "I'm starting to like her. There's been a turning point."

The New York Times, 09/20/2019; <https://archive.ph/8Y6kj>

- ♦ Smith would go on to serve as National Co-Chair of black students for Biden.



Tyler Smith
Government Affairs Professional



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- National Co-Chair black students for Biden**
May 2020 - Nov 2020 · 7 mos
Houston, Texas, United States

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Black Students for BIDEN

BLACK STUDENTS FOR BIDEN: NATIONAL CO-CHAIRS



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We would like to introduce you all to our Co-Chairs. We know that it will take a strong team to win big in November and Black Students for Biden is committed to building just that.

Facebook, [07/09/2020](#)

**Smith: “Beto is definitely a different type of candidate.
It’s something we haven’t seen since Obama”**



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had a great time talking to Justin about why it’s so important to elect
Congressmen Beto O’Rourke to the senate !



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CAN BETO O'ROURKE HARNESS THE ELUSIVE POWER OF THE COLLEGE STUDENT VOTE?

Many have tried; few have succeeded. But the latest political phenom thinks he'll be more effective at courting young voters.

by **JUSTIN MILLER**

OCTOBER 9, 2018, 10:55 AM, CDT



Indeed, O'Rourke comes off as the type of a candidate concocted in a laboratory by political consultants to harness the elusive electoral power of young people: He's effortlessly cool, aggressively online, eschews partisanship and is fluent in social justice issues.

"Beto is definitely a different type of candidate. It's something we haven't seen since Obama," said Tyler Smith, who heads the College Democrats chapter of Texas Southern University, a historically black public university in Houston where O'Rourke held a rally on Tuesday. The El Paso congressman's stances on higher education and **police brutality** have fueled his support on campus, Smith said.

In Texas, young people are one of the key blocs of the electorate that the Democratic Party, and O'Rourke, need to turn out to be competitive — they're far more diverse and far more liberal than the electorate at large.

<https://www.texasobserver.org/can-beto-orourke-harness-the-elusive-power-of-the-college-student-vote/>



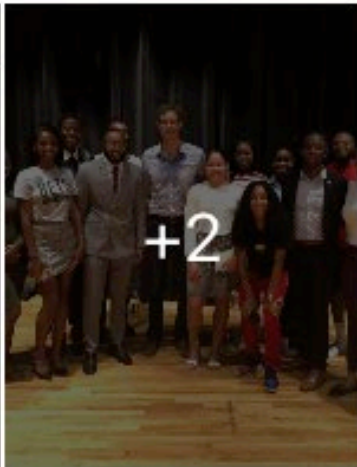
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Today I had the opportunity to host the next Jr. senator of Texas on the campus of Texas Southern University. I just want to say thank you to everyone who came out and showed support it was a great event, and to Congressman O'Rourke as you saw today you have the full support of the tigers !!





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Smith: “I met a man by the name of Beto O’Rourke, and it changed my whole perspective on politics.”

- ♦ Smith (segment begins 0:59): “I think I was foolish enough to get into this game out of a love of just helping my community. When I went to Texas Southern University, I actually had no desire to get into politics. I was a business marketing major. I thought I was going to go and become an entertainment attorney and go that route, but then I met a man by the name of Beto O’Rourke, and it changed my whole perspective on politics. From there, I changed my major to political science. Jumped on a number of campaigns”



Tyler Smith
Texas HD138 Candidate

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Tyler Smith, A Political Awakening Fuels Bold Run for Texas HD138

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A young candidate steps up—Tyler Smith runs in HD138 to expand healthcare, raise wages, and challenge systemic inequality in Texas.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ug7buU3PIbA>; video archived [here](#)

**Smith mocks women who lose to men in women's sports.
Smith reposted trans congresswoman "Sarah" McBride
mocking Riley Gaines loss to transwoman Lia Thomas in
a collegiate swimming competition.**



Smith's X: <https://x.com/tylersmithfc>

X post, 06/10/2026 <https://x.com/BeshearStan/status/2064493542207053870>

Smith wants to rollback health freedom and coerce parents to vaccinate their children. According to Smith, Lacey Hull, his Republican opponent, poses a "real threat to public health" because she doesn't want to force parents to inject the MMR vaccine into their children. Vaccine skeptics, including Children's Health Defense, have argued for years that the MMR vaccine contributes to increased autism rates.

- ◆ Smith is described as supporting government vaccine mandates particularly against Measles and is quoted attacking Hull in an article in *Black Enterprise*:

POLITICS | by Keka Araújo · September 8, 2025

TYLER SMITH AIMS TO BE FIRST GEN Z MAN ELECTED TO TEXAS HOUSE, VOWS TO FIGHT FOR FAMILIES

In a bid to represent District 138 in the Texas House of Representatives, Tyler Smith, a Democrat, announced his candidacy today to **BLACK ENTERPRISE**, promising to champion the needs of Houston families.

Running in the Democratic primary election on March 3, 2026, Smith aims to **unseat incumbent** Republican Rep. Lacey Hull.

Smith is positioning himself as a leader who will focus on lowering costs and expanding opportunities, contrasting himself with Hull's voting record.

"We don't have to live like this. After thirty years of Republican control, Texas families are paying the price, and there's nothing to show for it," Smith told **BE**.

The motivated vicegenarian added, "Families in our district are working harder than ever but paying more and getting less."

If elected, Smith would become the first Gen Z man to serve in the Texas House and the youngest legislator in the chamber. A Texas Southern University graduate and a former fellow in the Obama Foundation Leaders program, Smith has dedicated his career to public service.

His background includes work in Congress with Sen. Jon Ossoff and a role with Everytown for Gun Safety, where he has built a reputation for forging bipartisan coalitions.

On Policy and Bipartisan Solutions

When asked about his approach to bridging the partisan divide in Austin, Smith referenced his work on gun safety legislation in conservative states.

“In Louisiana, we brought the NRA and local gun groups to a neutral stance on a bill banning the sale of Glock switch devices,” he stated. “We made some concessions on penalties, but ultimately passed a strong, life-saving bill nearly intact.”

Smith is confident that this collaborative spirit can be replicated in Texas. He pointed to the recent legislative success of a bill to create exceptions to Texas’s abortion ban. “People said it could never be done – but it can be done, even in Texas,” he said.

Focus on Public Health and Economic Policy

Smith criticized his opponent, Rep. Hull, for her stance on public health, citing her response to a measles outbreak and her efforts to roll back vaccine requirements. “Lacey Hull poses a real threat to public health in Texas,” he said.

If elected, Smith plans to address the state’s healthcare crisis by fighting to expand Medicaid, which would leverage federal funds that Texas has left unclaimed. He believes this is a critical step to ensure that every Texan can afford a doctor’s visit.

On economic policy, Smith noted the stagnation of the minimum wage over the past three decades of Republican control.

“I’ll work tirelessly to find common ground on practical, bipartisan solutions to lower the cost of living for everyday Texans,” he stated.

Smith’s economic priorities include raising the minimum wage, investing in affordable housing, and reducing prescription drug prices by joining multi-state purchasing pools.

Bringing a New Voice to Austin

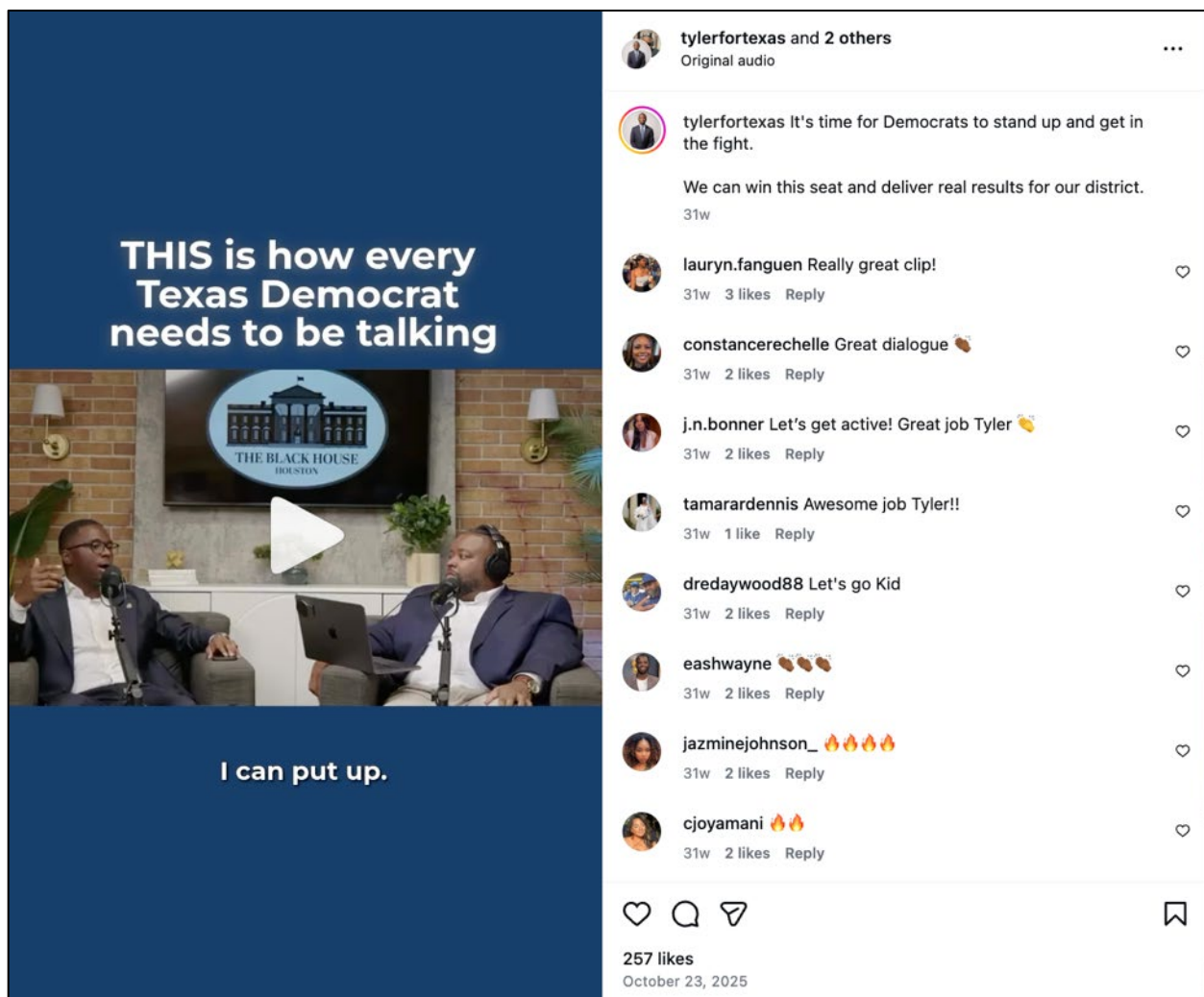
Addressing concerns about his age and experience, the young politician emphasized his determination and skill set.

“While I may be young, I bring the experience, determination, and grit needed to get things done,” he said, citing his leadership roles in his fraternity and with a large nonprofit. “I’m running to bring that same spirit of collaboration and commitment

to the Texas Legislature—because I believe real change happens when we focus less on who gets the credit and more on delivering results for the people we serve.”

Black Enterprise, “**TYLER SMITH AIMS TO BE FIRST GEN Z MAN ELECTED TO TEXAS HOUSE, VOWS TO FIGHT FOR FAMILIES**”, 09/08/2025

- ◆ In a clip Smith posted to Instagram, after the host called Hull a "terrible human being," Smith introduces Hull by saying she voted to protect the rights of parents and kids to attend public schools without following the government mandated vaccine schedule.



https://www.instagram.com/reel/DQJ_ItpjSLk/

- ◆ The MMR vaccine has long been the subject of controversy for its links to autism.

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Measles Vaccination and Autism: The Inexcusable Suppression of a Long-Documented Link

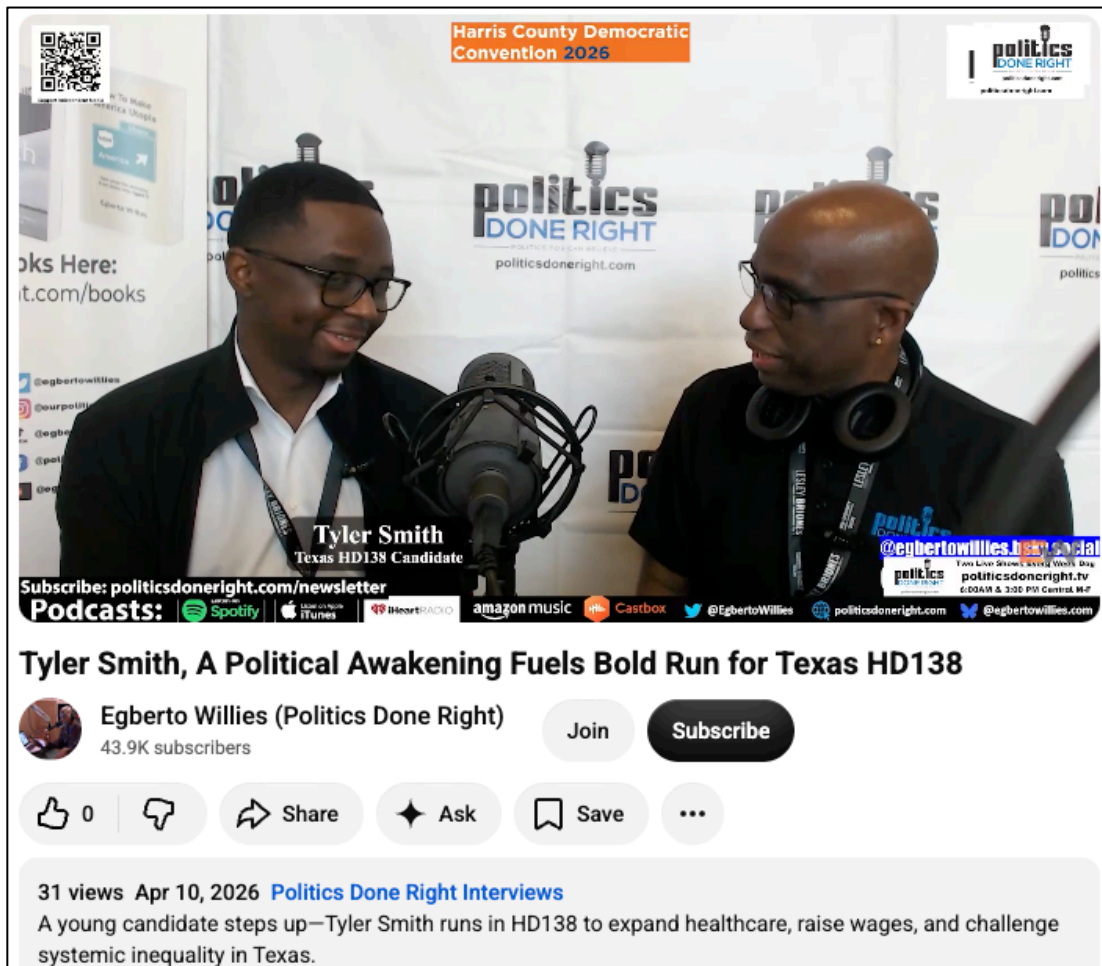
By **Children's Health Defense Team**



Children's Health Defense, "[Measles Vaccination and Autism: The Inexcusable Suppression of a Long-Documented Link](#)", 07/09/2020

Smith: “Vote for me, Tyler Smith, to be your next state representative, where we're going to work and take back the state house of Texas, so we can give every Texan access to health care, expanding and making sure that over 15% of people in our district get access to health care. We're going to make sure that we take care of our public schools and fully fund them. Then we're going to also make sure we raise the minimum wage when Democrats take back the state house of Texas, because that's not a Democratic value, that's a Texan value.”

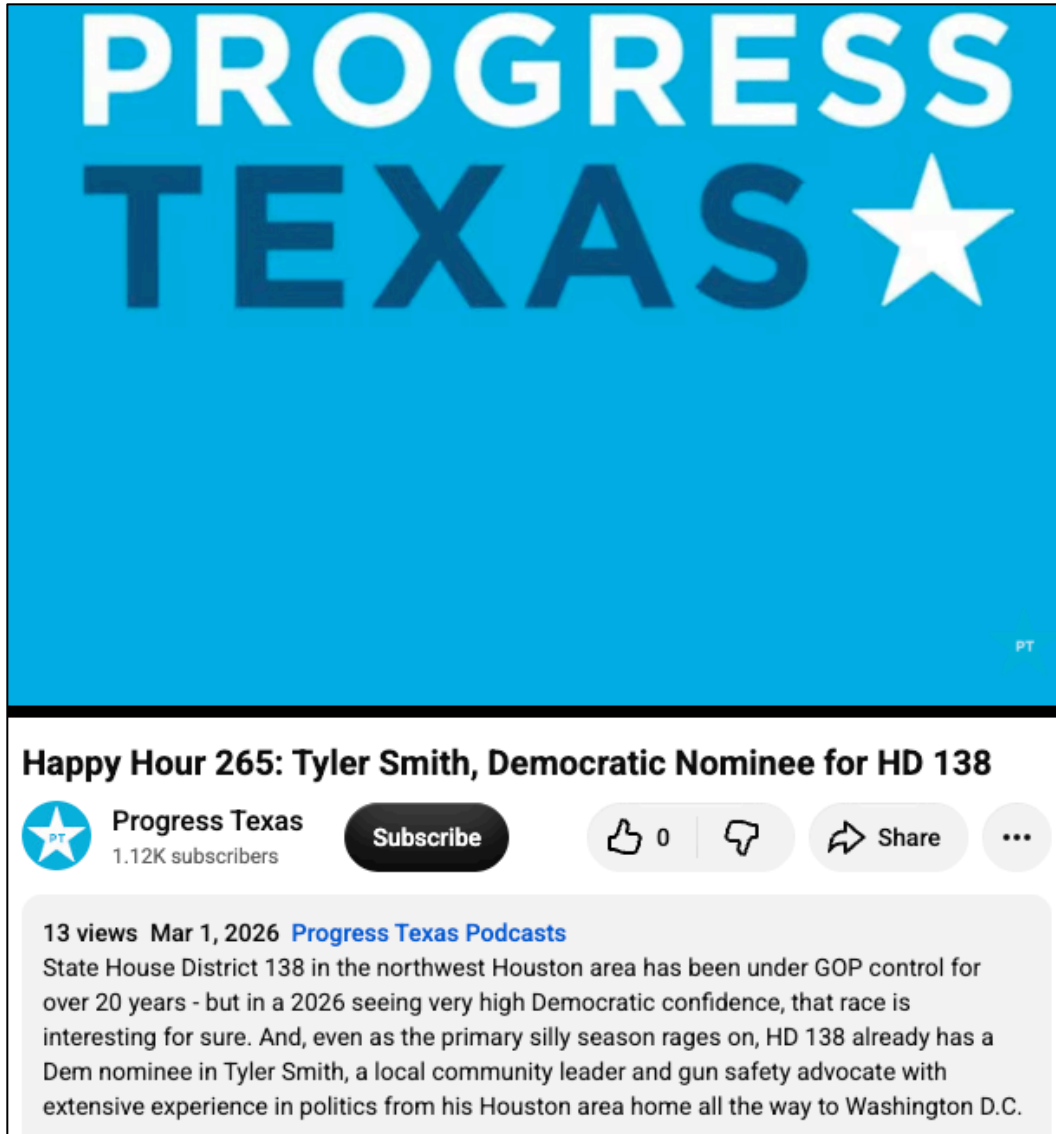
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The image shows a YouTube video player interface. The video title is "Tyler Smith, A Political Awakening Fuels Bold Run for Texas HD138". The channel is "Egberto Willies (Politics Done Right)" with 43.9K subscribers. The video has 31 views and was posted on April 10, 2026. The description reads: "A young candidate steps up—Tyler Smith runs in HD138 to expand healthcare, raise wages, and challenge systemic inequality in Texas." The video player includes a QR code in the top left, a "Harris County Democratic Convention 2026" banner, and a "politics DONE RIGHT" logo. The video content shows Tyler Smith, a Texas HD138 Candidate, being interviewed by Egberto Willies. The video player also features a "Subscribe" button and a "Join" button.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ug7buU3PIbA>; video archived [here](#)

Smith: “We can also work to expand Medicaid and Medicare to vision into dental, things that people have to pay out of pocket. Currently, there's a number of different tools that I want to use to work within this legislator to build on not just things that Democrats talk about, but things that everyday Texans care for.”



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◆ Smith (segment begins 05:41):

I mean, the state has a lot of power to do a lot of great things for the state. The state is the holder of the purse, and there's a lot of funding. Just last year we had a \$32

billion budget surplus, and there's a lot of things that we can do. One of the things I really want to work on, if headed to state legislators fixing our health care system, one of the things that many people don't realize is that a lack of health care can cause a number of different problems in the state. A lack of health care can lead to bankruptcy, is actually the number one driver of bankruptcy in the country. And I want to make sure that we fix that. I understand that Democrats coming in, we won't be able to come in and expand healthcare overnight, unless we flip the state house, but there are a number of other things that we can do, like making it easier to purchase drugs at a more affordable rate that helps people be able to afford the things that they need to live. We can also work to expand Medicaid and Medicare to vision into dental, things that people have to pay out of pocket. Currently, there's a number of different tools that I want to use to work within this legislator to build on not just things that Democrats talk about, but things that everyday Texans care for,

Smith: “One thing all democrats must agree with is that health care is a human right and that everyone deserves health care”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



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◆ *Does that include taxpayer-funded healthcare for illegal immigrants?*



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New Health Insurance Option for Undocumented Immigrants Over 65

Starting January 1, 2024, there is a new option for health insurance available for undocumented immigrants over age 65.

1 What is the new health coverage?

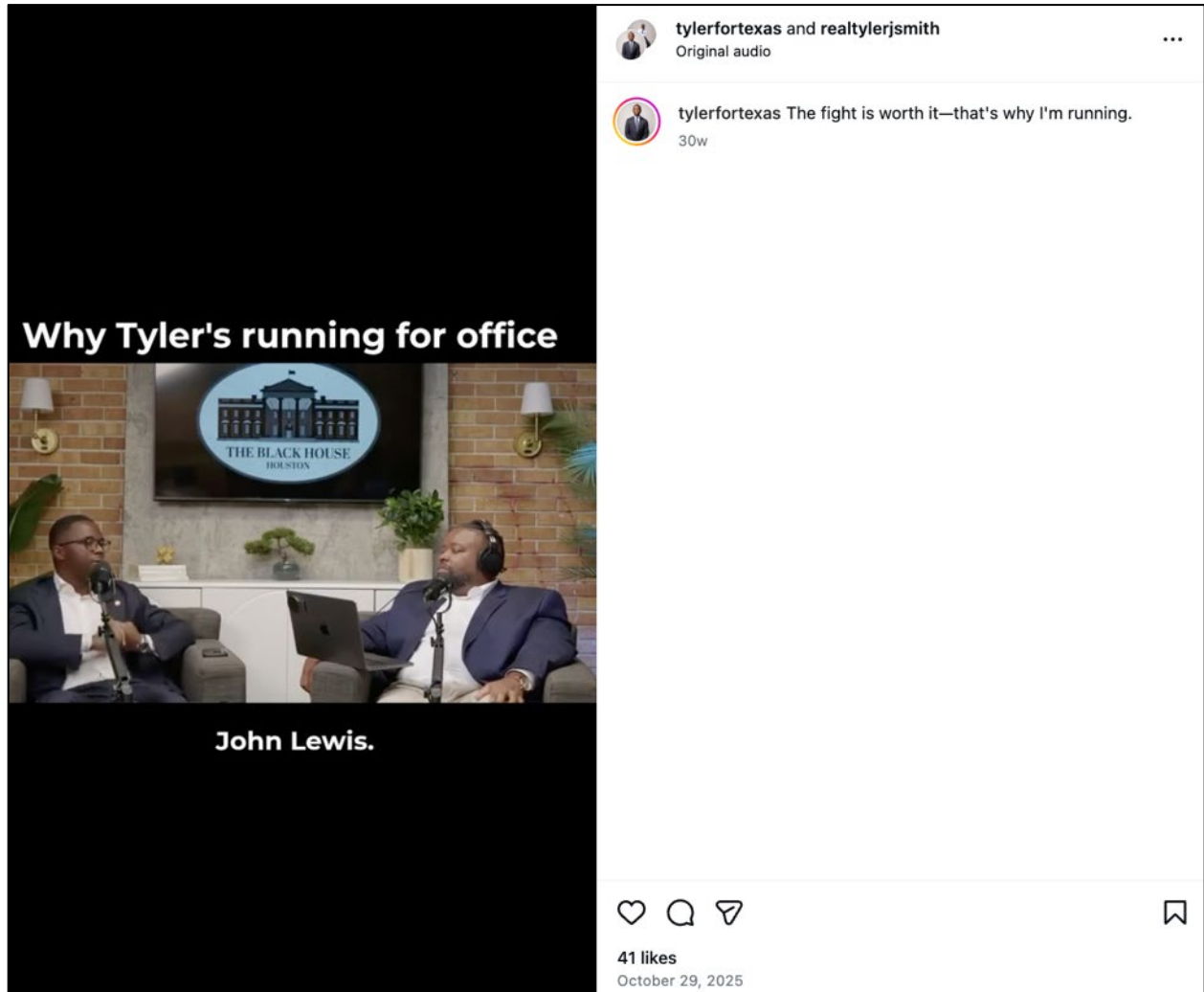
The new insurance offers a more comprehensive benefit package for this population. Previously, this population only qualified for Emergency Medicaid. The new insurance adds preventive and primary care benefits, including routine doctor visits, recommended screenings, lab tests, wellness services, prescription drugs and supplies, and more.

- The new insurance is through Medicaid Managed Care plans, with a carved-out Fee-for-Service pharmacy benefit.

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Smith sees himself as joining the movement and "the fight" for civil rights started and led by MLK Jr and John Lewis. He sees himself as a continuance of the 600 people who "stepped on that bridge" and marched on Selma.

- ♦ Smith paints himself as such in this clip he posted on Instagram, during which he explains why he is running for office:



<https://www.instagram.com/reel/DQZlltEEUaX/>

DISGUSTING MOCKERY OF POLITICAL VIOLENCE. The very same day that President Trump was shot in Butler Pennsylvania and Corey Comperatore was shot dead, Smith tweeted out in mockery quotes "thoughts and prayers."



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



"thoughts and prayers"

5:36 PM · Jul 13, 2024 · 157 Views

<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1812254729595994424>

Smith defends critical race theory and the debunked 1619 Project and ridiculously states that Republicans passing legislation against CRT while defending the 2nd Amendment shows that "Racism and cowardliness is alive and well in the Republican Party."

- ◆ Smith defended CRT and the 1619 Project.



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Armed gunman have shot up churches, super markets, concerts, and schools, yet no action. @nhannahjones writes the 1619 project and state legislatures jumped in arms to pass "CRT" reform. Racism and cowardliness is alive and well in the Republican Party.

6:15 PM · May 24, 2022

<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1529239623695642624>

- ◆ *The 1619 Project* is a historical expose long **attributed to CRT** and has been widely **debunked** as a weak historical framework. Its main scholar, Nikole Hannah-Jones, hosts the podcast. ("1619" is a New York Times [nytimes.com/1619podcast](https://www.nytimes.com/1619podcast) hosted by Nikole Hannah-Jones.)

Smith to Hillary Clinton: "Happy birthday to me and my birthday twin!!"



Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Oct 26, 2021



On the 1st God created the heavens and the earths....

But on October 26th he created me which was the next best thing...

He also created @HillaryClinton

Happy birthday to me and my birthday twin!!



<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1452971790809112580>

Smith is a big fan of Ruth Bader Ginsburg.



Tyler Smith @tylersmithfc · Sep 18, 2020



So honored and blessed that I had the opportunity to see RBG live and in action pre COVID. We where truly blessed to have had a Supreme Court judge as impactful as RBG.



<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1307102374520119304>

Smith during COVID, “Am I the only person who watches movies and Tv shows and ask myself why they're not wearing a mask?” and “When the vaccine come out we don’t need any Twitter scientists.”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



Am I the only person who watches movies and Tv shows and ask myself why they're not wearing a mask?

12:12 AM · Jan 25, 2021

<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1353586435224457216>



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



When the vaccine come out we don’t need any Twitter scientists.

6:30 PM · Nov 21, 2020

<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1330307647686512642>

During COVID, Smith participated in a discussion called “Black People need the vaccine the most!” on Clubhouse.



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



I'm discussing “Black People need the vaccine the most! Let’s talk about it” with @DopeUrkel, @xx_kaylaaa, @andreearlss, @Mpaulsjr, Olamide :), and @AdriannaLenora. Today, Dec 13 at 8:00 PM CST on @joinclubhouse. Join us! joinclubhouse.com/event/1xXELDMr

6:39 PM · Dec 13, 2020

<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1338282441438584832>

Smith: “The president of the United States fell for the same trick Israel has been playing for the last 30 plus years.”



Tyler Smith
@tylersmithfc



The president of the United States fell for the same trick Israel has been playing for the last 30 plus years.

9:31 PM · Jun 21, 2025 · **184** Views

<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1936612867530182980>

Smith calls James Talarico his friend.



Instagram, 03/04/2026

Smith doesn't like humorous AI video political ads. He's upset Republicans mocked Talarico by dressing him up like Maria from *The Sound of Music*. Smith reposted "in a normal democracy this would be so illegal."

↳ Tyler Smith reposted

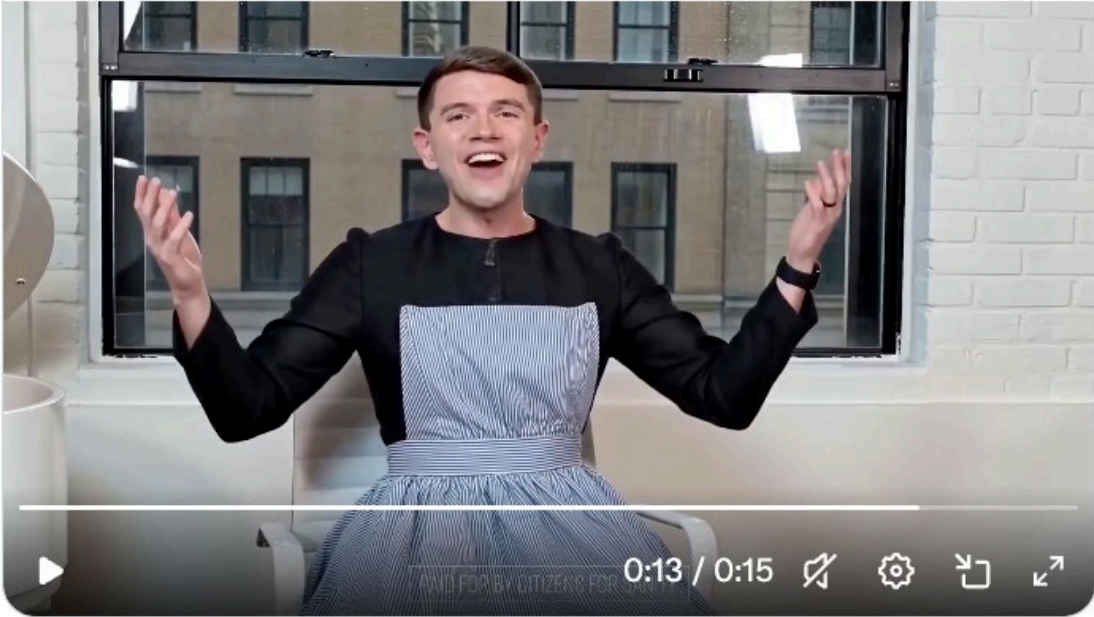
 **OrganizerMemes**  @OrganizerMemes · 2h  ...

In a normal democracy this would be so illegal

 **Reagan Reese**   @reaganreese_ · 4h

NEW: The Trump-aligned org Citizens for Sanity is dropping a six-figure ad buy in the Texas Senate race.

The ad is a 15 second clip of AI-generated James Talarico singing a "trans kids" rendition of "Favorite Things." ...



48 455 10K 267K

Smith's X <https://x.com/tylersmithfc>

X post, 06/09/2026 <https://x.com/OrganizerMemes/status/2064395087732179179>

In 2019 and 2020, Smith claimed to work at a firm he started with his now campaign treasurer, Kernard Jones, called Smith & Jones Consulting. From their business page on Facebook, the firm worked on local political campaigns, like Carvana Cloud's DA race, and Edward Pollard and Abbie Kamin's Houston City council races. The business pivoted to helping restaurants and small business get COVID government money. However, Smith does not list the job on his extensive LinkedIn resume. There are no records of Smith & Jones Consulting being an official business entity.

- ♦ Smith made federal campaign contributions, using his California address but claiming to work at Smith & Jones as a consultant.

Recipient	Contributor	Address	City	State	Employer	Occupation	Memo	Date	Amount
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	SMITH&JONES CONSULTING	CONSULTANT	EARMARKED FOR BIDEN VICTORY FUND (C00744946)	8/12/20	1
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	SMITH&JONES CONSULTING	CONSULTANT	EARMARKED FOR PERKINS FOR LOUISIANA (C00752535)	7/22/20	10
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	SMITH&JONES CONSULTING	CONSULTANT	EARMARKED FOR BIDEN FOR PRESIDENT (C00703975)	6/23/20	1
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	SMITH&JONES CONSULTING	CONSULTANT	EARMARKED FOR FRIENDS OF KAMALA HARRIS (C00735902)	4/14/20	5
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	SMITH&JONES CONSULTING	CONSULTANT	EARMARKED FOR SIMA FOR TEXAS (C00730408)	1/14/20	20
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	SMITH&JONES CONSULTING	CONSULTANT	EARMARKED FOR DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE (C00010603)	1/7/20	10

Table sourced from Federal Election Commission, "[Individual Contributions Search](#)" accessed on 06/09/2026

- ♦ Smith created the company with Kernard Jones, his current [campaign treasurer](#).



Facebook 12/25/2019

- ◆ The duo were consultants for failed DA race of Carvana Cloud:



Facebook 12/10/2019

- ◆ The duo also worked on Houston city council races



Facebook 12/14/2019

- ◆ During COVID, the duo transitioned to consulting businesses on how to get government funds.



Smith&Jones Consulting
 March 27, 2020 · 🌐

...

Smith & Jones Consulting is committed to helping small businesses navigate SBA's Economic Injury Disaster Program. [#Together](#)

If your small business needs assistance or have any questions please feel free to contact us at Kernardjones@smithjonesconsulting.com [See less](#)



SMITH & JONES CONSULTING

MEMORANDUM

TO:	All Interested Parties
FROM:	Smith & Jones Consulting
SUBJECT:	Covid-19 SBA Loan Programs
DATE:	March 27th, 2020

The information below is a small summary regarding economic relief opportunities for small businesses due to Covid-19.

The SBA's (Small Business Administration) Economic Injury Disaster Loan program provides small businesses with working capital loans of up to \$2 million that can provide vital economic support to small businesses to help overcome the temporary loss of revenue they are experiencing. The SBA defines a "small business" as one that typically makes a maximum of US\$750,000 – US\$38.5 million in annual revenue and has fewer than 100 – 1,500 employees, depending on industry.

Currently Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL) are available for Covid-19 related disaster areas which includes; Georgia, New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado, Texas, Utah, California, Washington, Idaho, Oregon, Maine, New Hampshire, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New York, Rhode Island, Nevada, the District of Columbia, Maryland, Virginia and Wyoming. This list will expand as the disease spreads. SBA disaster assistance loans are typically only available to small businesses within counties identified as disaster areas by a governor. Under the revised criteria, disaster assistance loans will be available statewide following an economic injury declaration. This will apply to current and future disaster assistance declarations related to coronavirus.

Loans are determined by actual economic injury and can be worth up to US\$2 million. The interest rate is 3.75% for small businesses and 2.75% for nonprofits. The loans are long term, up to 30 years. The SBA is working with state governors through its network of 68 District Offices to manage their disaster loan programs.

For additional assistance, please visit SBA Disaster Loan Assistance, at www.disasterloan.sba.gov, call the SBA Disaster Assistance Customer Service Center at 1 (800) 659-2955 or 1 (800) 877-8339, or email at the following: emaildisastercustomerservice@sba.gov. If you need any assistance navigating the

Facebook 03/27/2020

Smith's candidate for Harris County District Attorney in 2020, Carvana Cloud, was running against the Democratic incumbent because she felt she betrayed progressive initiatives like "bail reform": "The opposition of misdemeanor bail reform to me was so offensive as a mother of a young black boy, and a daughter, and married to a black man who's been racially profiled, stopped for driving while black [] I just could not understand why a progressive DA would say no..."

◆ Segment begins 21:48:



Carvana Cloud
Candidate, Harris County District Attorney

Reasonable Doubt- Harris County Texas - District Attorney Candidate Carvana Cloud 1-23-20

 Houston MediaSource
66.6K subscribers

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293 views Jan 27, 2020
No description has been added to this video.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XerU9ppxZrM>; video archived [here](#)



https://x.com/Smithjonesfirm/with_replies

Smith described his political consulting firm as helping candidates with “millennial voter turnout” and “minority voter turnout.”

- ◆ Smith and Jones categorized their Facebook page as a “government agency.”



<https://www.facebook.com/smithjonesfirm/>

NOVEMBER 12, 2019

Meet Tyler Smith of Smith & Jones Consulting in Third Ward



LOCAL STORIES



<https://voyagehouston.com/interview/meet-tyler-smith-smithjones-consulting-third-ward/>

Today we'd like to introduce you to Tyler Smith.

Thanks for sharing your story with us Tyler. So, let's start at the beginning and we can move on from there.

I started off in college working on Beto for Texas Campaign as a student lead. Working on this campaign showed me that a lot of candidates need help when it comes to getting millennials out to vote. Me and my business partner saw a need and learned how we could do something we loved which was work in politics and have a successful career and helping great candidates that's running for office reach young millennials like me.

Overall, has it been relatively smooth? If not, what were some of the struggles along the way?

Some of my biggest struggles so far is being trusted due to being so young. At only the age of 20, the majority of this field is 30 years and up so with me being so young a lot of people second guess my work ethic and skill.

<https://voyagehouston.com/interview/meet-tyler-smith-smithjones-consulting-third-ward/>

Please tell us about Smith & Jones Consulting.

My company works on political consulting, we work with candidates running for office in Houston and Los Angeles with everything you could need for a campaign, such as website and marketing tools, GOTV, millennial voter turnout, minority voter turnout, fundraising, and many more.

If you had to go back in time and start over, would you have done anything differently?

If I could start over, I would create an even bigger network to help me with gaining more clients.

Contact Info:

- **Phone:** 310.701.4696
- **Email:** tylersmith@smithjonesconsulting
- **Twitter:** <https://mobile.twitter.com/Smithjonesfirm>
- **Other:** <https://www.linkedin.com/company/smith-and-jones-consulting/about/?viewAsMember=true>

<https://voyagehouston.com/interview/meet-tyler-smith-smithjones-consulting-third-ward/>

Selling insider access? Smith & Jones Consulting's advertised service offerings included "permit expedition."



<https://x.com/Smithjonesfirm/status/1240536910168113152>

Smith had a short-lived startup called “Chefstant” that “will connect everyday chefs with everyday people.” The Secretary of State found there were grounds for forfeiture of Smith’s LLC’s certificate in 2024.



<https://x.com/tylersmithfc/status/1588960671969947648>



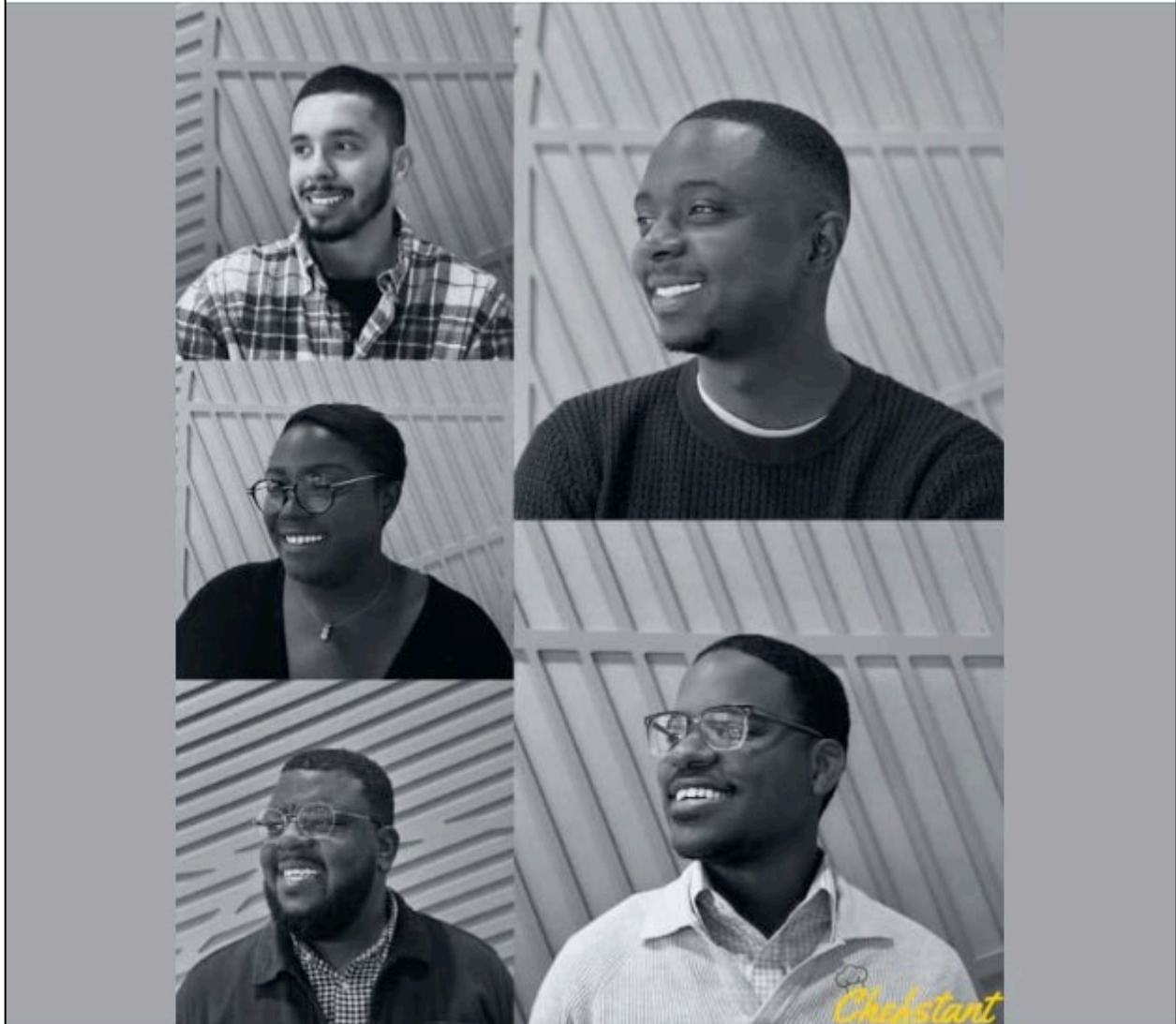
Kernard Jones is with Greg Norwood and Tyler Smith.

October 31, 2022 · 🌐



Looking forward to building out **Chefstant** with this team.

We are building a platform/community that will connect everyday chefs with everyday people.
Couldn't think of a better team to have to achieve this.



Facebook, [10/31/2022](#)

- ◆ The Facebook page is still up but there has been no activity since 2023.



Chefstant

9 likes · 9 followers

Book a personal chefstant.
Get home cooked meals delivered to you.
Your choice, Your Way!
Sign up now!

Internet company

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Details

★ Not yet rated (0 Reviews)

📍 [Houston, TX, United States](#)

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Links

🔗 [chefstant.com](#)

Contact info

✉ chefjay@chefstant.com

Posts

**Chefstant**
April 9, 2023 · 🌐

Happy Easter!
From the Chefstant family to yours 🥰 🥰 ... [See more](#)



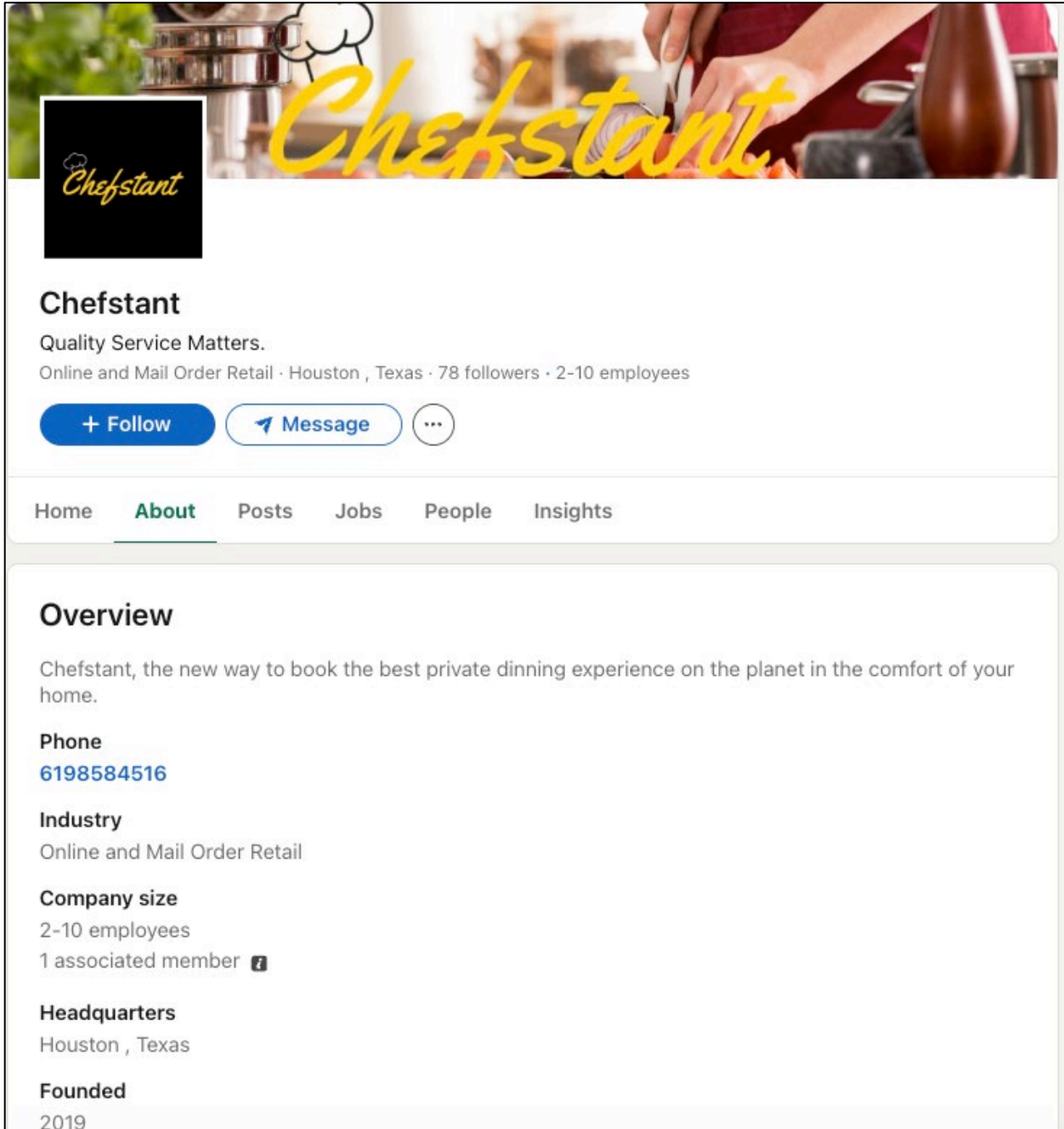
Photos

[See all photos](#)



<https://www.facebook.com/chefstant>

- ◆ The URL for the Chefstant LinkedIn company page is Smith and Jones Consulting.



Chefstant
Quality Service Matters.
Online and Mail Order Retail · Houston, Texas · 78 followers · 2-10 employees

+ Follow Message ...

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Overview

Chefstant, the new way to book the best private dining experience on the planet in the comfort of your home.

Phone
6198584516

Industry
Online and Mail Order Retail

Company size
2-10 employees
1 associated member

Headquarters
Houston, Texas

Founded
2019

<https://www.linkedin.com/company/smith-and-jones-consulting/about/>



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BUSINESS ORGANIZATIONS INQUIRY - VIEW ENTITY

Filing Number: 804493558
Original Date of Filing: March 28, 2022
Formation Date: N/A
Tax ID: 32083841620
Duration: Perpetual
Entity Type: Domestic Limited Liability Company (LLC)
Entity Status: Forfeited existence
FEIN:
Name: The 996 Group LLC
Address: 3939 W ALABAMA ST APT 463
 Houston, TX 77027-2023 USA

REGISTERED AGENT	FILING HISTORY	NAMES	MANAGEMENT	ASSUMED NAMES	ASSOCIATED ENTITIES	INITIAL ADDRESS
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	1133712930002	Certificate of Formation	March 28, 2022	March 28, 2022	No	2
	1163461240003	Certificate of Amendment	July 19, 2022	July 22, 2022	No	N/A
	1321352320001	Revocation of Filing Instrument	January 10, 2024	January 10, 2024	No	1
	1336979718389	Tax Forfeiture	February 23, 2024	February 23, 2024	No	1

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The 996 Group LLC	Inactive	Legal	July 19, 2022			
Chefstant LLC	Prior	Legal	March 28, 2022	0		
The 996 Group LLC	Inactive	Legal	February 23, 2024	0		

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Last Update	Name	Title	Address			
March 28, 2022	Tyler Jordan Smith	Managing Member	3939 W Alabama St. # 463 Houston, TX 77027 USA			
March 28, 2022	Kernard D. Jones	Managing Member	3939 W Alabama St. # 463 Houston, TX 77027 USA			

Texas Secretary of State

Secretary of State P.O. Box 13697 Austin, TX 78711-3697 FAX: 512/463-5709 Filing Fee: \$300	 Certificate of Formation Limited Liability Company	Filed in the Office of the Secretary of State of Texas Filing #: 804493558 03/28/2022 Document #: 1133712930002 Image Generated Electronically for Web Filing
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Article 1 - Entity Name and Type

The filing entity being formed is a limited liability company. The name of the entity is:

The 996 Group LLC

Article 2 – Registered Agent and Registered Office

☐ A. The initial registered agent is an organization (cannot be company named above) by the name of:

OR

☒ B. The initial registered agent is an individual resident of the state whose name is set forth below:

Name:
Rawi Leal

C. The business address of the registered agent and the registered office address is:

Street Address:
21007 Bryant Maple Ct. Katy TX 77449

Consent of Registered Agent

☐ A. A copy of the consent of registered agent is attached.

OR

☒ B. The consent of the registered agent is maintained by the entity.

Article 3 - Governing Authority

☐ A. The limited liability company is to be managed by managers.

OR

☒ B. The limited liability company will not have managers. Management of the company is reserved to the members. The names and addresses of the governing persons are set forth below:

Managing Member 1: Kernard D. Jones	Title: Managing Member
Address: 3939 W Alabama St. # 463 Houston TX, USA 77027	
Managing Member 2: Tyler Jordan Smith	Title: Managing Member
Address: 3939 W Alabama St. # 463 Houston TX, USA 77027	

Article 4 - Purpose

The purpose for which the company is organized is for the transaction of any and all lawful business for which limited liability companies may be organized under the Texas Business Organizations Code.

Certificate of Formation

Corporations Section
P.O.Box 13697
Austin, Texas 78711-3697



Jane Nelson
Secretary of State

Office of the Secretary of State

January 10, 2024

Rawi Leal
21007 Bryant Maple Ct.
Katy, TX 77449

RE: Chefstant LLC
File Number: 804493558
Document Type: Certificate of Amendment
Batch Number: 116346124

This office used an offered credit card to satisfy payment of a statutory fee for the filing of a document or for the provision of services by the Secretary of State. The card issuer refused the credit card charge.

This letter will serve as formal notice of the revocation of the referenced document pursuant to section 405.033, Texas Government Code. The result of the revocation of the enclosed document is to void the document as though it had never been filed.

If you wish to refile the document, you must submit the document together with the appropriate filing fee: Personal checks, cashier's checks, money orders, and MasterCard, Visa, or Discover credit cards are accepted in payment of filing fees. Amounts paid with credit card are subject to a statutorily authorized convenience charge of 2.7% of the total filing fee.

Sincerely,

Corporations Section
Business & Public Filings Division
(512) 463-5555

Enclosure

Notice

Corporations Section
P.O.Box 13697
Austin, Texas 78711-3697



Jane Nelson
Secretary of State

**Forfeiture pursuant to Section 171.309 of the Texas Tax Code
of
The 996 Group LLC**

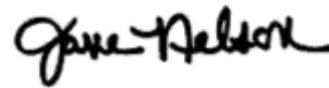
File Number : 804493558

Certificate / Charter forfeited : February 23, 2024

The Secretary of State finds that:

1. The Secretary has received certification from the Comptroller of Public Accounts under Section 171.302 of the Texas Tax Code indicating that there are grounds for the forfeiture of the taxable entity's charter, certificate or registration; and
2. The Comptroller of Public Accounts has determined that the taxable entity has not revived its forfeited privileges within 120 days after the date that the privileges were forfeited.

Therefore, pursuant to Section 171.309 of the Texas Tax Code, the Secretary of State hereby forfeits the charter, certificate or registration of the taxable entity as of the date noted above and records this notice of forfeiture in the permanent files and records of the entity.



Jane Nelson
Secretary of State

Tax Forfeiture

Database Checks

U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION	A search of the SEC Action Lookup for Individuals (SALI) showing individuals with Court or Commission orders entered against them, did not return any results for Smith.
U.S. DEPT. OF TREASURY – OFFICE OF FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL	A search of the OFAC Sanctions Search List showing individuals and companies owned or controlled by, or acting for or on behalf of, targeted countries, including individuals, groups, and entities, such as terrorists and narcotics traffickers designated under programs that are not country-specific did not return any results for Smith.
PPP LOANS	No PPP loans were identified for Smith.
SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY	The U.S. Department of Justice's National Sex Offender Public Website (NSOPW) was searched, and no record was found from a national search including all states, territories, and Indian Country for Smith.

Court Records Checks

U.S. BANKRUPTCY COURT	No bankruptcies were identified for Smith.
FEDERAL TAX LIENS	No federal tax liens were identified for Smith.
STATE TAX LIENS	No state tax liens were identified for Smith.
U.S. DISTRICT COURTS	No record identifiable to Smith was noted in the files of the United States District Court.
TEXAS COURTS	No records were identified for Smith.

Appendix

Social Media Accounts & Relevant Websites

CAMPAIGN WEBSITE



Endorsements   

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TYLER SMITH

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 138

"I'll take on Greg Abbott and Donald Trump any day to keep Texas safe and affordable for our families."

DONATE





Democrat Tyler Smith finds common ground when he can – and FIGHTS WHEN HE HAS TO.

As a leader at the nonprofit Everytown for Gun Safety, Tyler did what others said couldn't be done: He got conservative Republicans on board to protect children from gun violence.

DONATE

\$25	\$500
\$100	\$1000
\$250	\$5000



Today, Tyler is running for State Representative in District 138 to make Texas safer and more affordable for all our families. Tyler will fight to:

- Lower the cost of prescription drugs, bring down medical debt and expand access to Medicaid and affordable childcare
- Stop Greg Abbott from cutting public education to fund his new private school voucher law
- Protect our communities from flooding and invest in affordable electricity and backup generators to keep the lights on
- Reduce gun violence by passing common sense gun safety reforms
- Repeal Texas' unjust abortion bans and protect access to birth control
- Make housing affordable for families by cutting red tape to build new housing and stopping landlord abuse

Join us! On November 3, vote Tyler Smith for State Representative, District 138.

About Tyler Smith

If you want to get to know the real Tyler Smith, just ask him about baseball. Tyler played baseball from the age of five, until he was 16 years old. His stepdad is a Little League coach. He has a cousin who plays in the big leagues. Tyler coached as a volunteer at Major League Baseball's Urban Youth Academy.



"My stepdad has been my coach—both on and off the field—since I was five years old," says Tyler.

"He taught me to play hard, but always with honor and dignity. He taught me the fight isn't over until the last out. And he showed me how to turn individuals into a team that looks out for one another instead of themselves.

"In short, my stepdad taught me the philosophy that guides me every single day in politics."

Tyler spent his early years in Houston, moved with this family to Los Angeles, and then came back to Houston to attend Texas Southern University (TSU), where he graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Political Science and Government.



Tyler was a Presidential Fellow under President Joe Biden and worked in DC as an Executive Assistant for U.S. Senator Jon Ossoff.

Today, Tyler Smith serves as the deputy regional director for Everytown for Gun Safety, where he builds coalitions of survivors and legislators across the South to increase government engagement, supports volunteers in their advocacy efforts, and collaborates with activists across the ideological spectrum to find common ground. His work is informed by his personal experiences losing loved ones to gun violence.

Tyler recently completed the Obama Foundation's Leaders Program, for leaders working in the public sector, civil society, and the private sector who have demonstrated a commitment to advancing the common good.



VOLUNTEER

Email (Required) Name (First, Last) (Required) Phone (Required)

Availability (Required)

- ☐ Weekdays
☐ Weekends
☐ Flexible

Preferred Interests (Required)

- ☐ Door-to-Door Canvassing
☐ Phone Banking
☐ Hosting a House Party
☐ Fundraising
☐ Photography/Videography
☐ Social Media Outreach
☐ Intern
☐ Other

Consent & Privacy (Required)

☐ I give the campaign permission to contact me via email/text/call

SIGNUP FOR UPDATES

First Name Last Name

Email Phone

CAPTCHA

☐ I'm not a robot



CONTACT

Campaign@TylerForTX.com

(713) 628-0749

<https://tylerfortx.com>

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Endorsements



Everytown for Gun Safety



Area 5 Democrats



Texas AFL-CIO COPE



Texas Gulf Coast Area Labor
Federation AFL-CIO



Houston Federation of Teachers



Future Dems



Texas Democratic Veterans



Houston Black American
Democrats



Texas Coalition of Black Democrats
- Harris County



Harris County Young Democrats



Planned Parenthood Texas Votes



Leaders We Deserve



State Senator Borris Miles



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Tyler J. Smith

2024-2025 Obama Foundation USA Leader



Deputy Regional Director, Everytown for Gun Safety

Washington, District of Columbia

Tyler Smith is the deputy regional director for Everytown for Gun Safety, where he advocates for communities that are marginalized in mainstream media conversations around violence. His work is informed by his personal experiences losing loved ones to gun violence. At Everytown, Tyler builds coalitions of survivors and legislators across the South to increase government engagement, supports volunteers in their advocacy efforts, and collaborates with activists across the ideological spectrum to find common ground.

<https://www.obama.org/programs/leaders/usa/2024-2025/tyler-j-smith/>

BALLOTPEDIA CANDIDATE CONNECTION SURVEY

2026

Ballotpedia survey responses

See also: [Ballotpedia's Candidate Connection](#)



Tyler Smith completed [Ballotpedia's Candidate Connection](#) survey in 2025. The survey questions appear in bold and are followed by Smith's responses.

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Please list below 3 key messages of your campaign. What are the main points you want voters to remember about your goals for your time in office? ▼

- Expanding Health Care Access and getting every Texan access to health care in the state
- Fully funding our public schools to ensure that every student has the opportunity to chase the American dream.
- fair wages for every Texan so that no one has to work multiple jobs to provide for their family.

What areas of public policy are you personally passionate about? ▼

Gun Safety, health Care, public school funding, Fair wages, Trade, farming

[https://ballotpedia.org/Tyler_Smith_\(Texas_State_House_candidate\)](https://ballotpedia.org/Tyler_Smith_(Texas_State_House_candidate))

FACEBOOK (PERSONAL)



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 4.4K followers · 883 following

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Intro

Tyler J. Smith
Politico

Profile · Digital creator

Studied at Texas Southern University

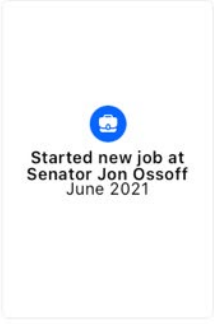
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📅 Date: Saturday, June 13, 2026
🕒 Time: 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM
📍 Location: (Address provided upon RSVP)
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FACEBOOK (CAMPAIGN)



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Intro

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Fighting for a stronger Texas.
Putting people over politics.
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Houston, TX, United States, Texas

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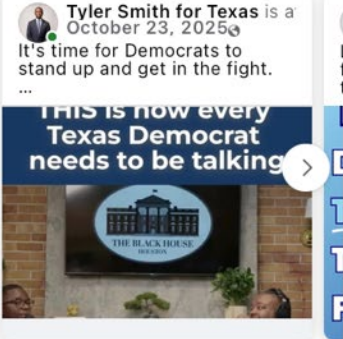
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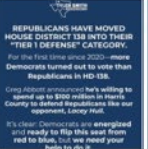


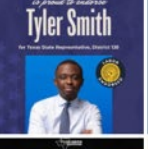
Tyler Smith for Texas
December 18, 2025
I'm incredibly grateful to be endorsed by Run For Something....



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It's time for Democrats to stand up and get in the fight. ...

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Tyler Smith for Texas
May 6 at 12:20 PM ·

Republicans have moved our district into their Tier 1 defense category. Here's how you can help us win:

- 👉 Donate \$10, \$20, or any amount you can to help us defeat their \$100 million war chest
- 👉 Sign up to call voters or knock doors in our district ahead of the election
- 👉 Go to tylerfortx.com to stay up to date with our campaign

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WE'RE A TIER 1 RACE

WHAT THIS MEANS FOR HD-138

REPUBLICANS HAVE MOVED HOUSE DISTRICT 138 INTO THEIR "TIER 1 DEFENSE" CATEGORY.

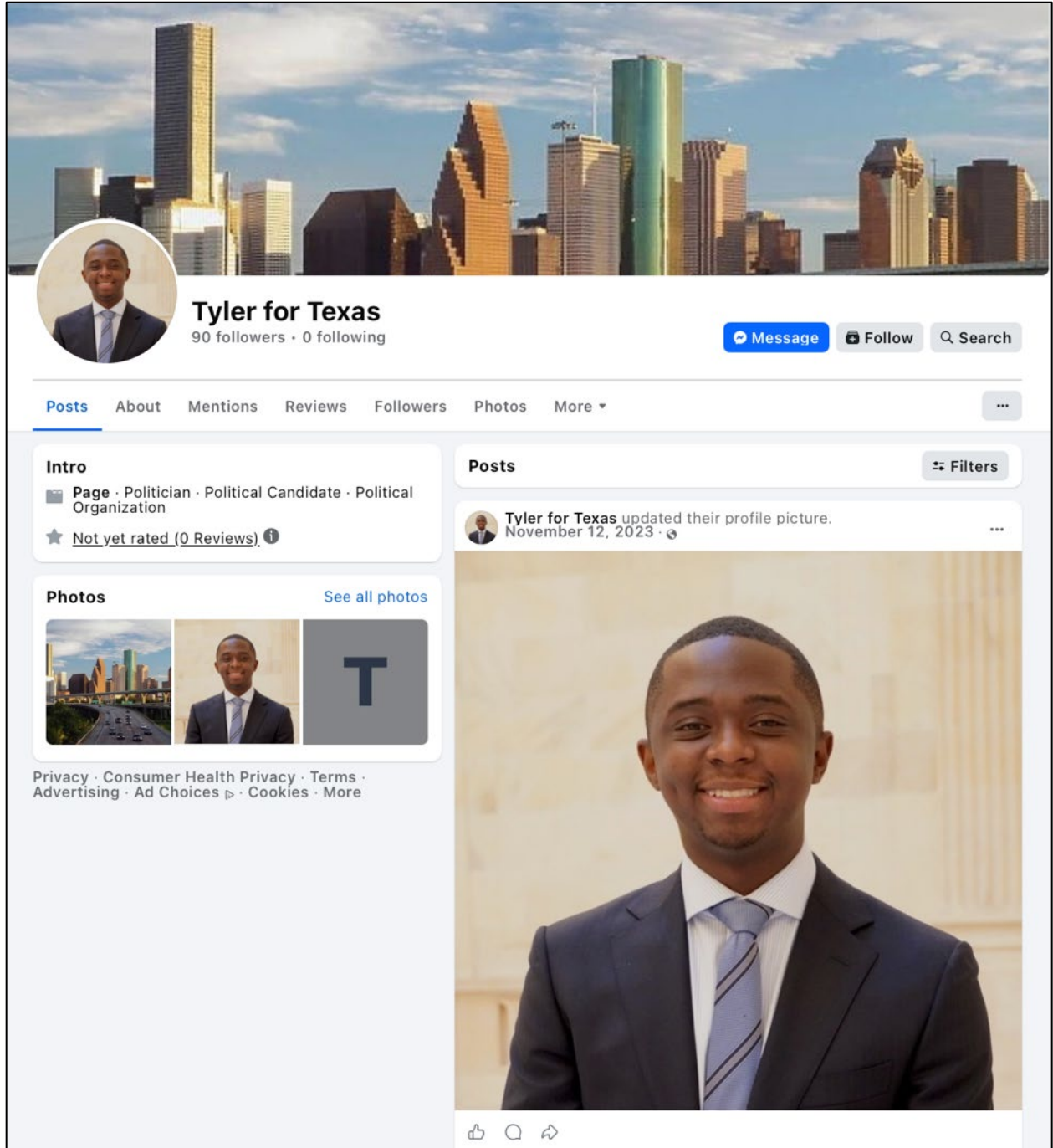
For the first time since 2020—more Democrats turned out to vote than Republicans in HD-138.

Greg Abbott announced he's willing to spend up to \$100 million in Harris County to defend Republicans like our opponent, Lacey Hull.

It's clear: Democrats are energized and ready to flip this seat from red to blue, but we need your help to do it.

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FACEBOOK (CAMPAIGN – OTHER)



The screenshot shows the Facebook profile of 'Tyler for Texas'. The cover photo is a city skyline. The profile picture is a circular portrait of a man in a suit. The page name is 'Tyler for Texas' with 90 followers and 0 following. Navigation buttons include Message, Follow, and Search. The main menu has links for Posts, About, Mentions, Reviews, Followers, Photos, and More. The 'Intro' section identifies the page as a Politician/Political Candidate/Political Organization, with 'Not yet rated (0 Reviews)'. The 'Photos' section shows three images: a city skyline, the profile picture, and a large letter 'T'. A post from November 12, 2023, shows the profile picture was updated. The bottom of the page includes links for Privacy, Consumer Health Privacy, Terms, Advertising, Ad Choices, Cookies, and More.

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July 29, 2020

Smith & Jones is fully committed to serving the community and that's why we support the Restaurant act of 2020. For more info read below



MEMORANDUM

TO: All Interested Parties

FROM: Smith & Jones Consulting

SUBJECT: Restaurant Act of 2020

DATE: July 29th, 2020

The information below is a small summary regarding S.4017 otherwise known as The Real Economic Support That Acknowledges Unique Restaurant Assistance Needed to Survive (RESTAURANTS) Act of 2020.

The RESTAURANTS Act is titled as a restaurant stabilization grant program focused specifically on independently owned restaurants. The Independent Restaurant Coalition formed during the pandemic is a strong proponent of such legislation to ensure independent restaurants survive the pandemic. Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) or Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) funding recipients are eligible for this grant with exceptions. This bill temporarily conditions and provides funding for the Restaurant Revitalization Fund, from which the Department of the Treasury shall make grants to eligible food and beverage purveyors to cover specified costs for the grant program's initial period, the Treasury must (1) prioritize awarding grants to independently owned and underrepresented communities, and (2) only award grants to eligible food and beverage purveyors with annual revenues of less than \$1.2 million. However, an entity that received a loan under the Paycheck Protection Program established to support small businesses in response to COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) may not apply for or use a restaurant stabilization grant for the same expenses for which the entity received the paycheck protection loan.

Below is a summary of the proposed legislation:

- Creates a new \$12B billion grant program to provide structured relief through December 31, 2020.
- The program will be administered by the Department of the Treasury and available to food service or drinking establishments, including restaurants, that are not publicly traded or part of a chain with 20 or more locations doing business under the same name.
- Grant values will cover the difference between revenues from 2019 and projected revenues through 2020, based on a calendar quarter during 2020 as compared to the same calendar quarter in 2019.
- PPP or EIDL funding recipients must submit funds received that do not need to be paid back from the maximum Restaurant Stabilization Grant value.

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Living through [#HERstory](#)

They say a picture is worth a 1,000 words well... These pictures are worth 1 million!! What an Honor it was to meet the first ever Black Women Supreme Court nominee!!



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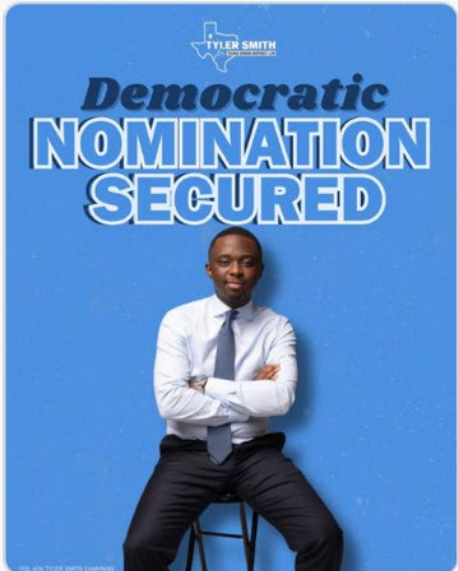
@tylerfortexas · Dec 10, 2025




It's official—I'm proud to be the Democratic Nominee for House District 138!

I'm running against one of Trump & Abbott's biggest allies, and I'm stepping up because Texas has a chance to chart a new path.

This race won't be easy, but it matters.



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About

Experienced Member Of The Board Of Advisors with a demonstrated history of working in the public policy industry. Skilled in Nonprofit Organizations, Microsoft Word, Government, Communication, and Team Building. Strong community and social services professional with a Bachelor of Science - BS focused in Political Science and Government from Texas Southern University.



Tyler Smith
Government Affairs Professional

Education



Texas Southern University
Bachelor of Science - BS, Political Science and Government



Tyler Smith
Government Affairs Professional

← Experience



Associate Regional Director

Everytown for Gun Safety · Full-time

Apr 2023 - Present · 3 yrs 2 mos

Washington DC-Baltimore Area · Hybrid



Interim study looks at tax incentives for gun safes
Press release on testimony from Oklahoma Senate.



Director Of State and Local Government Relations

Chamber of Progress · Full-time

Mar 2022 - Nov 2022 · 9 mos

United States

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Testimony to Texas Legislature: Online Marketplaces and Theft Hearing



Testimony to MI Lawmakers: Oppose Anti-Content Moderation Bill (HB 5973)

Testimony against Anti-Content Moderation Bill (HB 5973) in Michigan



Minnesota Testimony: Anti-Algorithms Bill

Testimony on SF 3933 Algorithms bill

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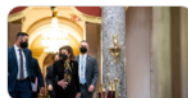
Jun 2021 - Mar 2022 · 10 mos

Washington DC-Baltimore Area



Democrats press Bureau of Prisons director over staffing shortages

Democratic senators are pressing the Federal Bureau of Prisons (BOP) director to address staffing ...



Democrats Break With Leaders Over Congressional Stock Trading

With top House Democrats skeptical of barring lawmakers from owning individual stocks, a ...



Progressive poll finds support for solar energy tax credit legislation

A new survey from progressive pollster Data for Progress found support for a Senate bill that would ...

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Clerk
BGR Group
Sep 2020 - Jun 2021 · 10 mos
Washington, District of Columbia, United States
📌 **Legislative Issues, Governmental Affairs and +1 skill**



Biden for President
Full-time · 7 mos



Presidential Fellow
Oct 2020 - Nov 2020 · 2 mos

National Co-Chair black students for Biden
May 2020 - Nov 2020 · 7 mos
Houston, Texas, United States



Legislative/General intern, U.S. Senator Kamala D. Harris
U.S Senator Kamala Harris
May 2020 - Aug 2020 · 4 mos
Washington D.C. Metro Area
📌 **Legislative Issues**



Assistant to Vice Chair
Texas Democratic Party
Aug 2018 - Jan 2020 · 1 yr 6 mos
📌 **Legislative Issues**



Judicial Intern
Harris County
Jan 2019 - Apr 2019 · 4 mos
Houston, TX, United States



Campus lead
Beto for Texas
Sep 2018 - Nov 2018 · 3 mos
Houston, Texas



Mayor's office of public engagement Intern
Los Angeles Mayor's Office of Public Engagement
Apr 2018 - Aug 2018 · 5 mos
Los Angeles Metropolitan Area



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← Volunteering



Public policy committee

Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Incorporated

Jul 2020 - Aug 2021 · 1 yr 2 mos

The Public Policy Committee is a policy analysis and advisory body to the Fraternity's Grand Polemarch and Grand Board of Directors. The Public Policy Committee is tasked with leading efforts to integrate member and public opinion with careful study of external policies and priorities, and making policy recommendations to the Grand Board



Policy fellow

The Wilson Center

Jan 2022 - Jun 2022 · 6 mos



Andrew young emerging leader fellow

National Black College Alumni Hall of Fame Foundation, Inc.

May 2018 - Jul 2018 · 3 mos



National Co-chair black students for Biden

Biden for President

May 2020 - Nov 2020 · 7 mos



Student Fellow

Planting a seed international

Mar 2019 - Apr 2019 · 2 mos

Poverty Alleviation

Granted the opportunity to travel to West Africa Liberia to serve the Community. During the 9 week trip we served one orphanage, and an under privileged school.

**Tyler Smith**

Government Affairs Professional

**Presidential fellow**

Democratic National Committee

Sep 2020 - Nov 2020 · 3 mos

**Student Volunteer**

Democratic National Committee

Dec 2017 - May 2021 · 3 yrs 6 mos

Politics

**Student Volunteer**

Texans for Beto

Aug 2018 - Nov 2018 · 4 mos

Politics

**Chapter President**

College Democrats of America

Jun 2018 - May 2021 · 3 yrs

Politics

I serve as the current president of the college democrats of Texas Southern University

**State board member**

Young Invincibles

Feb 2018 - May 2021 · 3 yrs 4 mos



Tyler Smith
Government Affairs Professional

Recommendations

Received

Given (1)



Julie Davidson · 3rd
Bilingual-Bicultural Latina Coach, Trusted Advisor, Versatile Consultant
March 19, 2025, Tyler was Julie's client

Julie is an amazing coach! She really helped me work through key roadblocks in my life and become the best person I could be! I recommend her fully!



Tyler Smith
Government Affairs Professional

← Honors & awards

Obama leader's Fellow

Issued by Obama Foundation · Sep 2024

Andrew Young emerging leaders fellow

Issued by National black college hall of fame · Jul 2018



Associated with Texas Southern University

Andrew young emerging leaders institute was a week long institute with emerging leaders to talk about leadership, civil rights, financial stability, voting, and mental health. Hosted by NBCAHF in honor of ambassador Andrew young.

Civil engagement award

Issued by California state assemblyman David Hadley · Oct 2016



Associated with Texas Southern University

In Honor of demonstrating a passion for civic awareness and social activism.



Tyler Smith

Government Affairs Professional



Organizations

Kappa Alpha Psi

Beta Upsilon Vice Polemarch · Nov 2018 – Present

Harris county young democrats

Jun 2018 – Present



Associated with Texas Democratic Party

Collegiate 100

Member · Apr 2018 – Present

<https://www.linkedin.com/in/tyler-smith-30655914a/>

PERFECT GAME (HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL)



TYLER SMITH

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2017 GRAD | OF/LHP | LOS ANGELES, CA

PLAYER HOME	1 EVENT	TROPHY	1 ARTICLE	INFO/CONTACT
PG EVENT RESULTS				
63 mph	7.52 sec	1.56 sec	69 mph	
FB VELO	60 YARD DASH	10 YARD SPLIT	OF VELO	
6/11/2016	6/11/2016	6/11/2016	6/11/2016	
	69 mph			
	EXIT VELO			
	6/12/2016			

LATEST PG SHOWCASE REPORT

2016 SUNSHINE WEST SHOWCASE

Tyler Smith is a 2017 OF/LHP with a 5-8 135 lb. frame from Los Angeles, CA who attends Gardena HS. Smith has a slender frame with a lean build. Defensively he showed developing footwork to the baseball with short choppy steps attacking the baseball. Smith has a long arm action with developing arm strength up to 69 MPH. He throws uphill and he showed developing actions in the outfield. At the plate Smith starts with an open stance with a quiet approach. He uses a no load approach and has a rotational swing. He made contact on the ground to the pull side in BP with developing bat speed. There's more in there with improved rhythm and timing to his swing. He pitched from an over top arm slot with developing feel for his release point.

CLASS OF 2017 in the recorded year ⓘ

CATEGORY	TOP RESULT	CLASS AVG	PERCENTILE
FB	63 MPH	79 MPH	0.46%
60	7.52 SEC	7.33 SEC	30.03%
10 SPL	1.56 SEC	1.73 SEC	92.91%
OF	69 MPH	81 MPH	2.71%

CATEGORIES	TOP RESULT	CLASS AVG	PERCENTILE
EXIT VELO	69 MPH	81 MPH	2.63%

<https://www.perfectgame.org/Players/Playerprofile.aspx?ID=442691>

MAXPREPS (HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL)



Tyler Smith
 Gardena (CA)
 Senior • 2017 | 5'9" • 135 lbs
 V. Baseball #4 • OF

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Tyler Smith


Added to Roster
 Wednesday, Mar 8, 2017


 Tyler has been added to the [Gardena 2017 baseball](#) roster.

[Tyler's Roster](#) | [Schedule](#)



Stats Updated
 Thursday, May 5, 2016

Tyler's stats have been entered for the [win](#) vs. [George Washington Prep](#) on Thursday, May. 5, 2016.

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 BATTING AVERAGE

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 ON BASE PERCENTAGE

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[Box Score](#) | [Tyler's Full Stats](#)



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<https://www.maxpreps.com/ca/gardena/gardena-panthers/athletes/tyler-smith/?careerid=jfcfp9b2ej6ue>

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ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	SMITH&JONES CONSULTING	CONSULTANT	EARMARKED FOR SIMA FOR TEXAS (C00730408)	1/14/20	20

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ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	NOT EMPLOYED	PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT MAYOR GARCETTI	EARMARKED FOR DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE (C00010603)	6/26/19	5
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	3921 SAMPSON STREET	HOUSTON	CA	NOT EMPLOYED	NOT EMPLOYED	EARMARKED FOR BETO FOR AMERICA (C00699090)	3/14/19	5
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	TEXAS SOUTHERN	STUDENT	EARMARKED FOR TEXAS DEMOCRATIC PARTY - FEDERAL ACCOUNT (C00099267)	8/16/18	1
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	TEXAS SOUTHERN	STUDENT	EARMARKED FOR TEXAS DEMOCRATIC PARTY - FEDERAL ACCOUNT (C00099267)	8/16/18	1
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	TEXAS SOUTHERN	STUDENT	EARMARKED FOR BETO FOR TEXAS (C00501197)	7/20/18	3

Recipient	Contributor	Address	City	State	Employer	Occupation	Memo	Date	Amount
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	TEXAS SOUTHERN	STUDENT	EARMARKED FOR BETO FOR TEXAS (C00501197)	7/16/18	2
ACTBLUE	SMITH, TYLER	1104 WEST 80TH STREET	LOS ANGELES	CA	TEXAS SOUTHERN	STUDENT	EARMARKED FOR DCCC (C00000935)	7/14/18	3

Table sourced from Federal Election Commission, "[Individual Contributions Search](#)" accessed on 06/09/2026

TEXAS (STATE)

REPNO	Filer Name	Contributor Name	Amount	Date	Employer	Occupation	City	State	Zip
100759399	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	10.00	08-31-2019	NOT EMPLOYED	PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
100839455	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	50.00	12-30-2021	US GOVERNMENT	STAFFER	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
100847919	Brailey ,Carla	Smith, Tyler	50.00	12-30-2021	US Government	Staffer	Los Angeles	CA	90044
100875552	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	100.00	09-02-2022	CHAMBER OF PROGRESS	GOVERNMENT RELATIONS	WASHINGTON	DC	20003
100996326	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	25.00	03-19-2025	EVERYTOWN	GOV AFFAIRS	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101001211	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	03-26-2025	EVERYTOWN	POLICY	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101009362	Smith ,Tyler	Smith, Tyler	5.00	06-19-2025			Los Angeles	CA	90044
101009362	Smith ,Tyler	Smith, Tyler	30.00	06-30-2025			Los Angeles	CA	90044
101009493	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	04-28-2025	EVERYTOWN	POLICY	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101009493	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	05-28-2025	EVERYTOWN	POLICY	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101009493	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	5.00	06-19-2025	NOT EMPLOYED	PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101009493	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	100.00	06-30-2025	SELF EMPLOYED	CONSULTANT	HOUSTON	TX	77023
101009493	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	30.00	06-30-2025	NOT EMPLOYED	PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101010310	Sethi ,Pooja	Smith, Tyler	100.00	06-30-2025	Self employed	Consultant	Houston	TX	77023
101010605	Spring Branch Democrats Club ,	Smith, Tyler	20.00	03-30-2025	Everytown	Policy	Los Angeles	CA	90044

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101010605	Spring Branch Democrats Club ,	Smith, Tyler	20.00	05-04-2025	Everytown	Policy	Los Angeles	CA	90044
101010605	Spring Branch Democrats Club ,	Smith, Tyler	20.00	06-01-2025	Everytown	Policy	Los Angeles	CA	90044
101011305	Harris County Young Democrats PAC ,	Smith, Tyler	25.00	03-23-2025	Everytown	Gov affairs	Houston	TX	90044
101017731	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	250.00	08-20-2025	SELF EMPLOYED	CONSULTANT	HOUSTON	TX	77043
101019395	Houston Black American Democrats Political Action	Smith, Tyler	250.00	09-20-2025	Self employed	Consultant	Houston	TX	77043
101025206	Spring Branch Democrats Club ,	Smith, Tyler	175.00	12-14-2025	Tyler for Texas	Candidate	Houston	TX	77043
101027484	Rehmet ,Taylor	Smith, Tyler	20.00	11-05-2025	Tyler for Texas	Candidate	Houston	TX	77043
101027787	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	11-05-2025	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	HOUSTON	TX	77043
101027787	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	11-08-2025	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101027787	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	11-14-2025	EVERYTOWN	REGIONAL DIRECTOR	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101027787	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	15.00	11-22-2025	SELF EMPLOYED	CONSULTANT	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101027787	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	175.00	12-14-2025	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	HOUSTON	TX	77043

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101027787	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	100.00	12-17-2025	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	HOUSTON	TX	77043
101027787	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	26.00	12-29-2025	SELF EMPLOYED	CONSULTANT	WASHINGTON	DC	20003
101027787	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	50.00	12-31-2025	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	HOUSTON	TX	77043
101030178	Evbagharu ,Odus E.	Smith, Tyler	26.00	12-29-2025	Self employed	Consultant	Washington	DC	20003
101031776	Sethi ,Pooja	Smith, Tyler	100.00	12-17-2025	Tyler for Texas	Candidate	Houston	TX	77043
101032610	Texas Young Democrats PAC ,	Smith, Tyler	15.00	11-22-2025	self	consultant	Los Angeles	CA	90044
101033819	Bord ,Stefanie	Smith, Tyler	50.00	12-31-2025	Tyler for Texas	Candidate	Houston	TX	77043
101034427	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	01-18-2026	EVERYTOWN	REGIONAL DIRECTOR	LOS ANGELES	CA	90044
101036510	Spring Branch Democrats Club ,	Smith, Tyler	30.00	02-02-2026	Tyler for Texas	Candidate	Houston	TX	77043
101039249	Salinas ,Julio Mauricio	Smith, Tyler	250.00	02-20-2026	Tyler for Texas	Candidate	Houston	TX	77043
101040513	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	20.00	02-02-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	HOUSTON	TX	77043
101040513	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	50.00	02-03-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	WASHINGTON	DC	20003
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101040513	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	250.00	02-20-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	HOUSTON IS	TX	77043
101040978	Childs ,Staci D.	Smith, Tyler	50.00	02-12-2026	Every Town	Political Strategist	Washington DC	DC	20003
101044488	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	10.00	03-12-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	WASHINGTON	DC	20003

REPNO	Filer Name	Contributor Name	Amount	Date	Employer	Occupation	City	State	Zip
101045346	Houston Black American Democrats Political Action	Smith, Tyler	500.00	02-23-2026	Self employed	Consultant	Houston	TX	77043
101048578	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	5.00	04-09-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	HOUSTON IS	TX	77043
101048578	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	10.00	04-12-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	WASHINGTON	DC	20003
101048578	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	25.00	04-21-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	HOUSTON IS	TX	77043
101048578	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	50.00	04-22-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	HOUSTON IS	TX	77043
101052282	ActBlue Texas ,	SMITH, TYLER	10.00	05-16-2026	TYLER FOR TEXAS	CANDIDATE	WASHINGTON	DC	20003
101052422	Childs ,Staci D.	Smith, Tyler	10.00	03-12-2026			SE, 546 Washington	DC	20003
101052422	Childs ,Staci D.	Smith, Tyler	10.00	04-12-2026			Washington	DC	20003
101052422	Childs ,Staci D.	Smith, Tyler	10.00	05-16-2026			Washington	DC	20003

Table sourced from [Texas Ethics Commission](#) accessed on 05/29/2026

MARYLAND (STATE)

Filing Entity	Filer Name	Contributor Name	Amount	Date	Address	City
1013971	James, Keenon Friends,,	SMITH, TYLER	23.00	03-23-2026	10902 Katy Fwy, 1406	Houston, TX

Table sourced from [Maryland State Board of Elections](#), Accessed on 06/05/2026

Campaign Finance Activity

TEXAS STATE HOUSE CAMPAIGN

- ◆ [Click here for links](#) to all campaign finance reports submitted to Texas Ethics Commission from Smith's campaign. Below is the summary based on the most recent report, submitted on January 15, 2026.

<u>Summary Totals</u> <u>Not Included for SS or Daily.</u>	
Total Unitemized	
Total Political Contributions:	\$22,946.62
Total Unitemized Expenditures:	
Total Expenditures:	\$32,639.45
Total Unitemized Pledges:	
Cash On Hand:	\$14,441.78
Principal of Outstanding Loans:	\$0.00
Total Unitemized Loans:	

- ◆ [Click here for a list of all contributions](#) to Smith's campaign (Sourced 05/29/2026).
- ◆ [Click here for a list of all expenditures](#) reported by Smith's campaign (Sourced 05/29/2026).

CONTRIBUTIONS \$500+

REPNO	Contributor Name	Amount	Date	Employer	Occupation	City	State	Zip
101009362	Green ,Ronald	2,500.00	06-25-2025	Foley & Lardner LLP	Lawyer	Houston	TX	77021
101009362	Smith ,Roderick	2,000.00	06-30-2025	Prime Partners	Sales Manager	Henderson	NV	89052
101031091	Jones ,Kernard	1,500.00	10-22-2025	Waterford	Government Relations	Houston	TX	77027
101031091	Shaddix ,James	1,000.00	12-29-2025	Retired	Retired	Houston	TX	77024
101031091	Payne ,Reginald	1,000.00	12-20-2025	Not Employed	Not Employed	Los Angeles	CA	90043
101009362	Glymph ,Michael	1,000.00	06-30-2025	Monument Advocacy	Government Relations	Washington	DC	20003
101009362	Lawrence ,Morris	1,000.00	06-30-2025	Not Employed	Not Employed	Compton	CA	90220
101009362	Guinn ,Spencer	1,000.00	06-18-2025	Guinn Strategies	Consultant	Oklahoma City	OK	73151
101009362	Haynie ,Ryan	1,000.00	06-18-2025	Haynie & Associates	Owner	Baton Rouge	LA	70809
101009362	Leadership For Educational Equity - Texas PAC	1,000.00	05-21-2025			New York	NY	10004
101031091	Appia ,Richard	500.00	12-31-2025	U.S. Army	IT Specialist	Washington	DC	20020
101031091	Easterling III ,John	500.00	12-31-2025	Checkmate Government Relations LLC	Partner	Raleigh	NC	27608
101031091	Warren ,Benjamin	500.00	12-31-2025	ITC Trading Company Ltd.	CEO	Houston	TX	77024
101031091	Fueling Individual Rights Everywhere PAC	500.00	12-30-2025			Washington	DC	20005
101031091	Smith ,Monisha	500.00	11-19-2025	Everytown for Gun Safety	Senior Vice President for Government Affairs	New York	NY	10038
101031091	Benjamin ,Steve	500.00	11-03-2025	The Benjamin Firm LLC	Lawyer	Elgin	SC	29045

REPNO	Contributor Name	Amount	Date	Employer	Occupation	City	State	Zip
101031091	Cathcart ,Ariel	500.00	10-02-2025	ACPowers	CEO	Cleveland	OH	44118
101031091	Burgess ,Matthew	500.00	09-17-2025	The New Media Firm	Media Consultant	Washington	DC	20011
101031091	Reynolds ,Ron	500.00	09-03-2025	State of Texas	State Representative	Missouri City	TX	77459
101031091	Devine ,Tameika Isaac	500.00	08-06-2025	Jabber & Isaac, P.C.	Lawyer	Columbia	SC	29202
101031091	Nemorin ,Dalourny	500.00	07-04-2025	The Legal Aid Society	Lawyer	Bronx	NY	10451
101031091	Burrell ,Tamara	500.00	07-01-2025	County Counsel of Los Angeles	Lawyer	Los Angeles	CA	90047
101031091	Key Political Action Committee (KEY-PAC)	500.00	07-01-2025			Houston	TX	77020
101009362	Smith ,Maisha	500.00	06-30-2025	Self Employed	Notary	DeSoto	TX	75115
101009362	Steves ,Buddy	500.00	06-30-2025	Not Employed	Not Employed	Houston	TX	77030
101009362	Thompson ,Andre	500.00	06-30-2025	National Charter Inc	Bus Operator	Gardena	CA	90249
101009362	Varnado ,Alice	500.00	06-30-2025	Not Employed	Not Employed	Los Angeles	CA	90044
101009362	Philips ,Jerry	500.00	06-28-2025	Philips Uresti Meachum Partners	Principal	Austin	TX	78746
101009362	Harvey ,Renee	500.00	06-26-2025	HRH Consultants	Partner	Charleston	SC	29403
101009362	Warren ,Benjamin	500.00	06-26-2025	Not Employed	Not Employed	Houston	TX	77024
101009362	HarriFord ,Willie	500.00	06-11-2025	Hilltop Public Solutions	Principal	Columbia	SC	29206
101009362	Jones ,Kernard	500.00	05-23-2025	Waterford.org	Lobbyist	Houston	TX	77042

Table Sourced from Texas Ethics Commission

Voter Registration and Election Participation

TEXAS SECRETARY OF STATE

5/29/2026	INDIVIDUAL VOTE REPORT	Generated By: KARAK99			
Voter Current Information					
VUID:	2144034233				
NAME:	TYLER JORDAN SMITH				
GENDER:	MALE				
RESIDENCE ADDRESS:	10902 KATY FWY 1406 HOUSTON TX 77043				
EFFECTIVE REGISTRATION DATE:	04/21/2018				
Voter Status:	ACTIVE				
Voter Participation History					
Election Date	Election Name	Election Type	Party	County	Ballot Status
5/26/2026	2026 DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY RUNOFF ELECTION	PRIMARY RUN-OFF ELECTION	DEMOCRATIC	HARRIS	Accepted
3/3/2026	2026 DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION	PRIMARY	DEMOCRATIC	HARRIS	Accepted
12/13/2025	2025 DECEMBER JOINT RUNOFF ELECTIONS	SPECIAL ELECTION		HARRIS	Accepted
11/4/2025	2025 NOVEMBER 4TH CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT	SPECIAL ELECTION		HARRIS	Accepted
11/3/2020	2020 NOVEMBER 3RD GENERAL ELECTION	GENERAL ELECTION		HARRIS	Accepted
3/3/2020	2020 MARCH 3RD DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY	PRIMARY	DEMOCRATIC	HARRIS	Accepted

Texas Secretary of State, Individual Vote Report

HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

HARRIS COUNTY CLERK'S ELECTIONS DEPARTMENT

VOTING HISTORY RECORD

The following is the voting history on file in HARRIS COUNTY CLERK'S ELECTIONS
DEPARTMENT
as of this 17th day of June, 2026

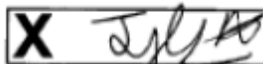
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TYLER JORDAN SMITH
10902 KATY FWY # 1406
HOUSTON TX 77043

BIRTHYEAR: 1999 CURRENT PRECINCT: 0120 DATE OF RECORD: 05/09/2025

<u>Election Date</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Party Code</u>	<u>Vote Type</u>
03/03/2026	Primary Election	D	P
12/13/2025	Joint Runoff Elections		P
11/03/2020	General & Special Elections		P
03/03/2020	Primary Election	D	E

ORIGINAL VOTER REGISTRATION APPLICATION

Texas Voter Registration Application Prescribed by the Office of the Secretary of State VRS 7 20187 04 Please complete sections by printing LEGIBLY. If you have any questions about how to fill out this application, please call the Harris County Voter Registrar's Office at 713-274-VOTE (8683) or the Secretary of State's Office toll free at 1-800-252-VOTE (8683) TDD 1-800-735-2909, www.sos.state.tx.us.		For Official Use Only 	
1 These Questions Must Be Completed Before Proceeding (Check one) ☒ New Application ☐ Change of Address, Name, or Other Information ☐ Request for a Replacement Card			
Are you a United States Citizen?		☒ Yes ☐ No	
Will you be 18 years of age on or before election day?		☒ Yes ☐ No	
If you checked "No" in response to either of the above, do not complete this form.			
Are you interested in serving as an election worker? [REDACTED]			
2 Last Name Include Suffix if any (Jr, Sr, III) Smith		First Name Tyler	Middle Name (If any) J
3 Residence Address: Street Address and Apartment Number. If none, describe where you live. (Do not include P.O. Box, Rural Rt. or Business Address) 3921 Sampson St		City Houston	TEXAS County Harris
4 Mailing Address: Street Address and Apartment Number. (If mail cannot be delivered to your residence address.) Same		City Houston	Zip Code 77004
5 City and County of Former Residence in Texas Same		6 Date of Birth: (mm/dd/yyyy) [REDACTED] 11/11/99	
7 Gender (Optional) ☒ Male ☐ Female		8 Telephone Number (Optional) Include Area Code [REDACTED]	
9 Texas Driver's License No. or Texas Personal I.D. No. (Issued by the Department of Public Safety) [REDACTED]		If no Texas Driver's License or Personal Identification, give last 4 digits of your Social Security Number XXX-XX-[REDACTED]	
☐ I have not been issued a Texas Driver's License/Personal Identification Number or Social Security Number.			
10 I understand that giving false information to procure a voter registration is perjury, and a crime under state and federal law. Conviction of this crime may result in imprisonment up to 180 days, a fine up to \$2,000, or both. Please read all <u>three</u> statements to affirm before signing.			
- I am a resident of this county and a U.S. citizen; - I have not been finally convicted of a felony, or if a felon, I have completed all of my punishment including any term of incarceration, parole, supervision, period of probation, or I have been pardoned; and - I have not been determined by a final judgment of a court exercising probate jurisdiction to be totally mentally incapacitated or partially mentally incapacitated without the right to vote.			
X 		Date 05/22/2018	
Signature of Applicant or Agent and Relationship to Applicant or Printed Name of Applicant if Signed by Witness and Date.			
FOR VOLUNTEER DEPUTY USE ONLY			
253342 Deputy Number	 Volunteer Deputy Signature		3/22/18 Date

Harris County Voter Registration

ORIGINAL VOTER REGISTRATION APPLICATION

Solicitud de registro electoral en Texas

Exclusivo para un oficial

Por orden de la Secretaría de Estado

NR17.2011633

Por favor, completar las secciones con letra de molde LEGIBLE. Si tiene preguntas sobre cómo llenar esta solicitud, por favor llame a la Oficina del Registrador de Votantes del Condado de Harris al 713-274-VOTE (8683), TDD 1-800-735-2589, www.sos.state.tx.us.

1 Debe contestar estas preguntas antes de proseguir (Marque un recuadro)

- ☐ Nueva solicitud ☐ Cambio de domicilio, nombre y/o otra información ☐ Reemplazo de tarjeta

¿Es usted ciudadano de los Estados Unidos? ☐ Si ☐ No

¿Tendrá 18 años cumplidos antes o el día de la elección? ☐ Si ☐ No

Si marcó 'No' como respuesta a cualquiera de las preguntas anteriores no llene esta solicitud.

¿Tiene interés en participar como trabajador electoral? ☐ Si ☐ No

2 Apellido (incluya sufijo si lo hay (Jr, Sr, III)) Primer nombre Segundo nombre (si aplica) Nombre anterior (si aplica)

3 Domicilio residencial: Número y calle, y número de apartamento o interior. Si no existe un domicilio, describa dónde vive (no incluye apartamentos portales, AAAs rurales o dirección del trabajo). Ciudad TEXAS

Condado Código postal

4 Dirección postal: Número y calle, y número de apartamento o interior (si no se puede entregar el correo en su domicilio residencial). Estado Código postal

Received by
Harris County Tax Office
MAR 23 2018

5 Ciudad y condado de antigua residencia en Texas

Voter Registration Dept.

6 Fecha de nacimiento (mes/día/año)

7 Sexo (Opcional)

- ☐ Masculino
☐ Femenino

8 Teléfono (Opcional)

Incluya código de área () - -

9 No. de licencia de conducir de Texas o no. de identificación personal de Texas (Emitido por el Departamento de Seguridad Pública) Si no tiene licencia de conducir de Texas o no. de identificación personal, proporcione los 4 últimos dígitos de su número de Seguro Social: XXX-XX-

☐ No tengo licencia de conducir de Texas/Número de Identidad Personal de Texas ni un número de Seguro Social.

10 Entiendo que el dar información falsa para obtener una tarjeta de registro electoral constituye un delito de perjurio bajo las leyes estatales y federales. Cometer este delito puede resultar en privación de la libertad hasta 180 días, multa de hasta \$2,000 o ambos castigos. Por favor lea cada una de las tres declaraciones antes de firmar.

- + soy residente de este condado y ciudadano de los Estados Unidos;
- + no he sido condenado por un delito grave, o en caso de ser delincuente, he purgado mi pena por completo, incluyendo cualquier plazo de encarcelamiento, libertad condicional, supervisión, periodo de prueba, o se me otorgó un indulto; y
- + no se me ha declarado, total o parcialmente, como discapacitado mental sin derecho al voto, por el fallo final de un juzgado de sucesiones.

X

Fecha

Firma del solicitante o su agente (apoderado) y relación de este con el solicitante, o nombre en letra del voto del solicitante si la firma es la de un testigo, y fecha.

SÓLO PARA USO DE DIPUTADO VOLUNTARIO

La solicitud debe entregarse al Registrador de Votantes al menos 5 días antes de recibir.

Número de Voluntario

Firma de Diputado Voluntario

Fecha

Harris County Voter Registration

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Texas Voter Registration Application

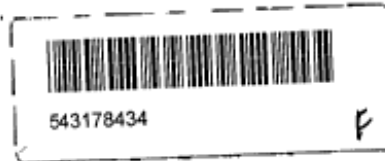
Texas Voter Registration Application

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Please mail this application to:

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS
P.O. BOX 3527
HOUSTON, TX 77253-3527
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Application Type: Change

- Are you a United States Citizen? Yes
- Will you be 18 years of age on or before election day? Yes
- If you checked 'no' in response to either of the above, do not complete this form.
- Are you interested in serving as an election worker? 

Continue below to complete application

2 Last Name: Include Suffix if any (Jr, Sr, III) Smith	First Name Tyler	Middle Name (if Any) -	Former Name (if Any) Smith	
3 Residence Address: Street Address and Apartment Number. If none, describe where you live. (Do not include P.O. Box, Rural Rt. or Business Address) 3272 Las Palmas St	City Houston	County HARRIS	State TX	Zip Code 77027
4 Mailing Address: Street Address and Apartment Number (if mail cannot be delivered to your residence address.) 3272 Las Palmas St	City Houston	State tx	Zip Code 77027	

5 City and County of Former Residence in Texas

Harris

6 Date of Birth: (mm/dd/yyyy)  1999	7 Gender (Optional) 	8 Telephone Number, Include Area Code (Optional) 
9 Texas Driver's License No. or Texas Personal I.D. No. (Issued by the Department of Public Safety)		If no Texas Driver's License or Personal Identification, give last 4 digits of your Social Security Number 2457

☐ I have not been issued a TX Driver's License/Personal Identification Number or Social Security Number.

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X 

10.07.2024
Date

Signature of Applicant or Agent and Relationship to Applicant or Printed Name of Applicant if Signed by Witness and Date.

<https://vrapp.sos.state.tx.us/vr17-print.asp>

Harris County Voter Registration

v_votereg v 110427 Voter ID 80031669		SMITH TYLER JORDAN	
Current Voter Information Changed File Number 05/12/2025 DPS28695103		Stat/Reas A Eff. Date 06/08/2025 Elig. Date 04/21/2018 Prec / Sub 0120 02 Orig. File # and Date 03/27/2018 Event VRUP_AOK Elig Group A Cancel Date Note	
Voter Registration History Changed File Number 10/14/2024 543178434 V 07/19/2023 23 199 MAPP V 07/18/2023 23 199 MAPP V 03/09/2022 22 068 MAPP V 03/09/2022 22 068 MAPP V 01/04/2022 V 01/19/2021 V 04/17/2019 V 09/24/2018 V 06/05/2018 18 156 1271 V 03/28/2018 363294310 V 03/27/2018 363294310 V		Residence 10902 KATY FWY Apt / Lot 1406 City/Zip HO 77043 Mail Addr Current Registration Information	
Time of Highlighted Transaction: 09:08:25 AM		Party Birthdate 1999 Birth Place Sex M Race DL / ID Card Challenge Date Privacy Signed ☒ SSN Affidavit Abs. Cat.	
		Comments DPS_XML ID: 28695103 Operator HARRISVR Voter Information valid beginning on this date. 05/09/2025	

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Harris County Voter Registration

WASHINGTON, D.C.

Smith, Tyler J (Maint)

Smith, Tyler J

1901 C St SE 546, Washington, 20003

Last

Smith

Suffix

First

Tyler

Middle

Jordan

Driver License

Source

Soc Sec Num

Source

☒ U.S. Citizen

Nbr

1901

Suf

C

Street Name

Type

St

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Unit Type

Nbr

546

City Name

Washington

Zip Code

20003

☐ Allow Invalid Residence

Mail

City

State

Zip Code

Country

Email Address

Primary Language

Assistance Type

Party Registration

DEM. Democrat

Pty Chg Re

11

Reg Date

08/14/2021

☐ See Comms

Reason(Status)

1(A) Active Voter

Gender

M

Date of Birth

Telephone

Ext

☐ Confidential?

☐ EW Interest?

☐ ID Required to Vote

☐ Fed Elections Only

☐ Photo Id Seen

Photo ID Type

Districts

Precinct	Con	Anc	Smd	Wrd
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Operator = jquintana

Smith, Tyler J (Activity)

Smith, Tyler J

1901 C St SE 546, Washington, 20003

Last Voter Activity Date

Aug/14/2021

System ID

Date Last Voted

Date Last Voter Card Printed

Aug/14/2021

Date of Last Status Change

Aug/14/2021

Number of Times Voted

2025

0

2024

0

2023

0

Record Creation Date

Aug/14/2021

2022

0

Registration Date

Aug/14/2021

Last Transaction

Operator

Date

08/14/21 02:03:02 PM

Smith, Tyler J (Elections)

		Smith, Tyler J	1901 C St SE 546, Washington, 20003
Elec#	Date	Name	Status/History
128	6/16/2026	2026 Primary/Special Election	Mail Election (D7)

, Smith, Tyler J (Audit)

Smith, Tyler J		1901 C St SE 546, Washington, 20003		
Date	Operator	Field	New Value	Old Value
4/30/2026 3:38 AM	mmaeruf	Abs-Mail	128 2026 Primary/Special Election	Ballot=(D7)39607
4/30/2026 3:38 AM	mmaeruf	Abs-Request	128 2026 Primary/Special Election	
2/28/2025 1:31 PM	mmaeruf	Comm-Out	Address Confirmation Request	Sch'd by mmaeruf
9/20/2024 3:45 AM	mmaeruf	Abs-Mail	126 2024 Presidential General Election	Ballot=(7F07)2497
9/19/2024 7:44 AM	mmaeruf	Abs-Request	126 2024 Presidential General Election	
4/16/2024 1:44 AM	mmaeruf	Abs-Mail	125 2024 Presidential Primary Election	Ballot=(D7)38510
4/16/2024 1:44 AM	mmaeruf	Abs-Request	125 2024 Presidential Primary Election	
7/10/2023 6:33 PM	mmaeruf	Comm-Out	Address Confirmation Request	Sch'd by mmaeruf
9/24/2022 5:48 PM	Vrsadm	Abs-Mail	124 2022 GENERAL ELECTION	Ballot=(7F07)1310
9/24/2022 5:48 PM	Vrsadm	Abs-Request	124 2022 GENERAL ELECTION	
5/4/2022 6:13 PM	mmaeruf	Abs-Mail	123 2022 PRIMARY ELECTION	Ballot=(D7)42132
5/4/2022 6:13 PM	mmaeruf	Abs-Request	123 2022 PRIMARY ELECTION	
9/14/2021 12:00 AM	VRConv	Comm-In	Office note	CANCELLATION NOTICE - IN OTHER STATE
8/16/2021 12:00 AM	VRConv	Comm-In	Office note	VOTER ID CARDS
8/14/2021 12:00 AM	DMV_WS	Sttus	ACTIVE	(STATUS)DMV PENDING
8/14/2021 12:00 AM	DMV_WS	Tel		(TELEPHONE)(BLANK]
8/14/2021 12:00 AM	DMV_WS	Voter	3100 CLEBURNE ST	(PREVIOUS ADDRESS)(BLANK]
8/14/2021 12:00 AM	DMV_WS	Voter	ENGLISH	(LANGUAGE)(BLANK]
8/14/2021 12:00 AM	DMV_WS	Voter	HOUSTON TX 77004	()(BLANK]
8/14/2021 12:00 AM	DMV_WS	Voter	NEW REGISTRATION	(NEW RECORD)(BLANK]

, Smith, Tyler J (* Vote-by-Mail)

Smith, Tyler J		1901 C St SE 546, Washington, 20003	
Precinct	Party	Vote-by-Mail Status	Comment
80.02	DEM		
Military ☐	Mil Dep ☐	Supervised Voting ☐	Email Date of Birth

#	Election Name	How	Req Date	Request Status	Style	Add
128	2026 Primary/Special Election	Mail	Apr/30/2026	Delivered May/11/2026	D7	
126	2024 Presidential General Election	Mail	Sep/19/2024	Delivered Sep/30/2024	7F07	
125	2024 Presidential Primary Election	Mail	Apr/16/2024	Delivered Apr/29/2024	D7	
124	2022 GENERAL ELECTION	Mail	Sep/24/2022	Delivered Oct/03/2022	7F07	
123	2022 PRIMARY ELECTION	Mail	May/04/2022	Delivered May/16/2022	D7	

Smith, Tyler J (Comms)

Smith, Tyler J

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#	Date	I/O	Operator	Type
4	2/28/2025 1:31 PM	O	mmaeruf	Address Confirmation Request
3	7/10/2023 6:33 PM	O	mmaeruf	Address Confirmation Request
2	9/14/2021 12:00 AM	I	VRConv	Office note:CANCELLATION NOTICE - IN OTHER STATE
1	8/16/2021 12:00 AM	I	VRConv	Office note:VOTER ID CARDS

Smith, Tyler J (Eligibility Maint)

Smith, Tyler J

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Rec Type	Number	Current Status	Status Date
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Smith, Tyler J (Files)

Smith, Tyler J

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Date	File Type	File Size(kb)	Remarks	File Name
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Personal Financial Statements

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Campaign Filings

APPOINTMENT OF CAMPAIGN TREASURER

APPOINTMENT OF A CAMPAIGN TREASURER BY A CANDIDATE		FORM CTA PG 1	
See CTA Instruction Guide for detailed instructions.		1 Total pages filed:	
2 CANDIDATE NAME	MS / MRS / MR FIRST MI Tyler	OFFICE USE ONLY	
	NICKNAME LAST SUFFIX Smith	Filer ID # 89653	
3 CANDIDATE MAILING ADDRESS	ADDRESS / PO BOX; APT / SUITE #; CITY; STATE; ZIP CODE P.O. Box 56386, Houston, TX 77256	Date Received RECEIVED 4.21.25 Texas Ethics Commission	
		Date Hand-delivered or Postmarked by email	
4 CANDIDATE PHONE	AREA CODE PHONE NUMBER EXTENSION (713) 942-5800	Receipt #	Amount \$
		Date Processed prc'd: 4.22.25	
5 OFFICE HELD (if any)		Date Imaged	
6 OFFICE SOUGHT (if known)	State Representative District 138		
7 CAMPAIGN TREASURER NAME	MS/MRS/MR FIRST MI NICKNAME LAST SUFFIX Kernard Jones		
8 CAMPAIGN TREASURER STREET ADDRESS (residence or business)	STREET ADDRESS; APT / SUITE #; CITY; STATE; ZIP CODE 3272 Las Palmas St, Houston, TX 77027		
9 CAMPAIGN TREASURER PHONE	AREA CODE PHONE NUMBER EXTENSION (210) 426-4722		
10 CANDIDATE SIGNATURE	I am aware of the Nepotism Law, Chapter 573 of the Texas Government Code. I am aware of my responsibility to file timely reports as required by title 15 of the Election Code. I am aware of the restrictions in title 15 of the Election Code on contributions from corporations and labor organizations.  Signature of Candidate 04/21/2025 Date Signed		
GO TO PAGE 2			
Forms provided by Texas Ethics Commission		Reset Form	D:101580708 Revised 1/1/2025

Form CTA received 04/21/2025, Treasurer, Kernard Jones

Election Results

2026

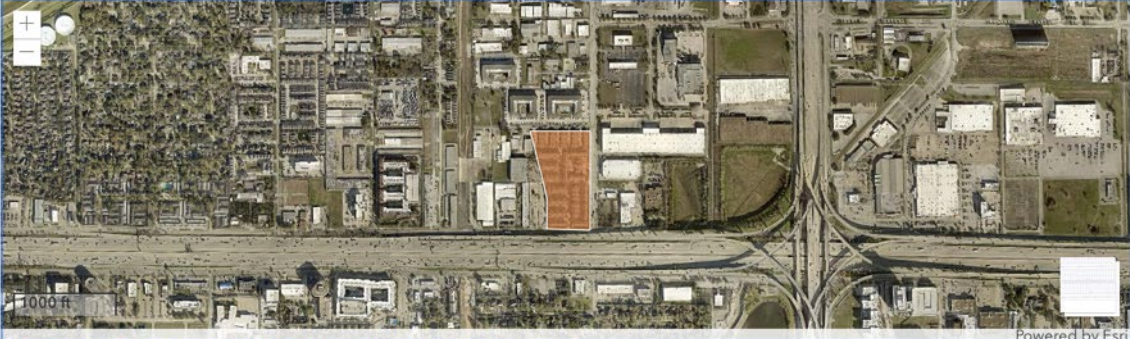
Texas House of Representatives District 138; Democratic Primary Election 03/03/2026		
Tyler Smith	11,698	100.00%

Texas Secretary of State Election Results

Property Records

HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

◆ Residence (Rental): 10902 Katy Fwy Apt 1406 Houston TX, 77043



Click on any property on the map to view values and property information.

10902 KATY FWY # 232
HOUSTON, TX 77043

Commercial [Related Accounts](#)

Account: 1345340010001
Name: CF ARRABELLA MULTIFAMILY DST
Mailing Address: 110 E 59TH ST NEW YORK, NY 10022-1304

2026

Valuation History

Grid



Year	Market Value	Appraised Value	Land Value	Improvement Value
2022	45,000,000	45,000,000	15,947,330	29,052,670
2023	45,000,000	45,000,000	15,947,330	29,052,670
2024	45,000,000	45,000,000	15,947,330	29,052,670
2025	45,000,000	45,000,000	15,947,330	29,052,670
2026	45,000,000	45,000,000	15,947,330	29,052,670

Valuations

Land:	\$15,947,330
Improvement:	\$43,050,104
Market:	\$58,997,434
Appraised:	\$58,997,434

[File a protest](#)
[Value Notice](#)
[Values on Same Street](#)

Compare Valuations

Jurisdictions/Exemptions

District	Jurisdictions	Exemption Value	2025 Rate	2026 Rate
025	SPRING BRANCH ISD		1.023100	0.000000
040	HARRIS COUNTY		0.380960	0.000000
041	HARRIS CO FLOOD CNTRL		0.049660	0.000000
042	PORT OF HOUSTON AUTHY		0.005900	0.000000
043	HARRIS CO HOSP DIST		0.187610	0.000000
044	HARRIS CO EDUC DEPT		0.004798	0.000000
061	CITY OF HOUSTON		0.519190	0.000000

Exemption Type : **None**

Property Details

Legal Description	RES A BLK 1 BRITTMORE AT INTERSTATE TEN APTS
Land	455,638 SF
Building Area	316,800 SF
Building Class	A
Units	232
Net Rentable Area	317,712

Fiduciary
FLANAGAN BILTON LLC - 00002

Status
Value Notice Date: Apr 17, 2026
Deadline to file a protest: May 18, 2026
ARB Status: Not Certified - Mar 13, 2026

Location

State Class Code	Neighborhood	Neighborhood Name	Market Area	Map Facet	Key Map
B1 -- Real, Residential, Multi-Family	9851	I-10 WEST (ENERGY CORRIDOR)	1706 -- Energy Corridor/ CityCentre/ Briar Forest	4958A	489C

Land Details

Line	Land Use	Unit type	Units	Size Factor	Site Factor	Appr O/R Factor	Appr O/R Reason	Tot Ad
Market Value Land								
1	8002 -- Land Neighborhood Section 2 4211 -- Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	SF	455,638	1.00	1.00	1.00	--	1.00

Additional Links

[Appraisal Review Board \(ARB\) Status](#)
[Property Owners Website](#)
[Property Tax Database](#)

Ownership History

Owner	Effective Date
CF ARRABELLA MULTIFAMILY DST	06/01/2022
ARRABELLA GARDENS LP ETAL	05/06/2019
HOUSTON TEXAS PROPERTIES I LP	01/01/2014

Building Summary

Expand All	Building	Year Build	Type	Style	Quality	Impr Sq Ft
Expand	1	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8311 Clubhouse	Good	5,912
Expand	2	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	11,242
Expand	3	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	9,704
Expand	4	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	9,704
Expand	5	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	12,466
Expand	6	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	11,242
Expand	7	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	15,358
Expand	8	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	15,358
Expand	9	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	15,358
Expand	10	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	15,358
Expand	11	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	22,826
Expand	12	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	19,656
Expand	13	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	15,358
Expand	14	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	22,576
Expand	15	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	15,358
Expand	16	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	11,242
Expand	17	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	11,242
Expand	18	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	15,358
Expand	19	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	19,656
Expand	20	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	19,656
Expand	21	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	12,466
Expand	22	2014	Apartment Garden (1 to 3 Stories)	8352 Multiple Res (Low Rise)	Good	9,704

Harris County Central Appraisal District, Property ID: 1345340010001