**Why I ran in 2020**

After decades of one-party rule, Texas had huge problems. Ignored by our Legislature for years, we had sunk to the bottom rung of states in so many areas: health, education, child protection, infrastructure, the electric grid. Against the wishes of 60%-90% of Texans, the Legislature had passed a permitless open carry bill, anti-abortion bill without rape and incest exceptions, and had refused to expand Medicaid or pass any gun safety measures. We were #1 in uninsured citizens and child deaths by gun violence.  Could it get worse? Yep!

**Texas is now #1 on the CNN list of the "Worst States to Live and Work."**

The cruelty and chaos continue in this 88th Session of the Texas Legislature. Public schools are at risk from vouchers and teachers' low pay. The renewable energy industry of the future is undermined while oil and gas companies are enriched. Women's healthcare, especially in rural areas, has been wrecked and maternal and infant mortality rates have grown.

**The Awful 88th**

Named by the *Texas Observer*, this Republican-dominated legislature has proved they care nothing about the health, safety, security - *or opinions* - of the people of Texas. This one-party rule can only be eliminated at the ballot box. You have the power to elect a Legislature that will solve *real* problems for the people of Texas!

**Save Texas Now**

**Vote Democratic in 2024**

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