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2018 is off to a busy start! Thank You to All Who Supported Our Junior League Luncheon



Executive Director Kelly Litvak with Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton



Kelly Litvak with Congressman Pete Olson



Katrina Katsarelis, Katy Magazine with Kelly Litvak

Cinco Ranch Ladies Club, Congressman Pete Olson, Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton



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FOSTA – Allow States and Victims to Fight Online Sex Trafficking

House Sends a Trafficking Signal

February 27, 2018

Sex trafficking may be one of the oldest forms of slavery in America, Rep. Ann Wagner writes, but our government still doesn't have a great track record fighting it. Her legislation aims to change that. Although both sides of the aisle have joined forces to crack down on a practice that's robbed children of full and healthy lives, Congress has had a tough time keeping up with the online side of the trade.

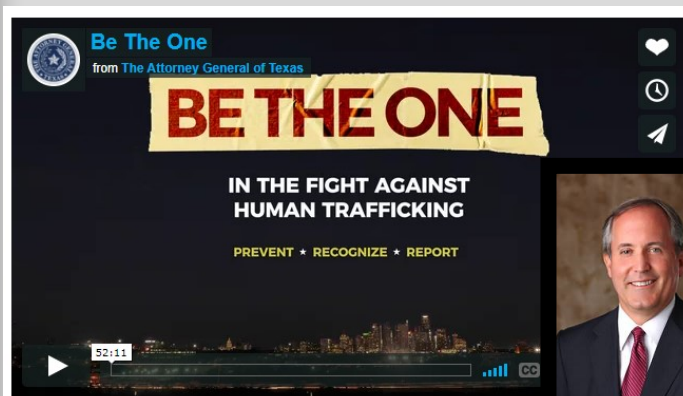
Under Wagner's Allow States and Victims to Fight Online Sex Trafficking (FOSTA), prosecutors (and victims) would finally have the tools to punish anyone who uses the internet to support or facilitate this kind of prostitution. FOSTA, Wagner explains, "will create a new crime that targets how websites are engaging in the online sex trade." Over the past several years, the underground business of sex slavery has exploded online, where people's identities are protected. "New research shows that underage victims are increasingly likely to first meet their trafficker online, and the majority of underage victims have been advertised or sold online. How is it that America's children can be sold online like a t-shirt or take-out?" Wagner asks. "It's because websites... have beaten the system and created sophisticated marketplaces where traffickers and buyers can anonymously post and respond to ads selling victims."

Tired of seeing the loopholes of the current law exploited, House members are working to get a vote on a tougher law that will make it easier for states to act. As part of the measure, victims would also have a private right of action to sue if these online operators helped to create these services. "I find it hard to imagine that if a neighborhood business hosted a slave auction, the auctioneer would not be held criminally liable. But that's exactly what is happening with websites like Backpage.com today... Congress never intended," Wagner pointed out, "to create a lawless internet where businesses can commit sex trafficking crimes online that they cannot commit offline."

Last night, the House Rules Committee gave FOSTA the green light. While there are still some issues to iron out, including the differences between Wagner's language and the Senate's, most people expect the legislation to be one of the more popular items on Congress's schedule this year. And why not? Too many predators lurk in dark corners of the internet, waiting to destroy innocent lives. It's time to make sure justice is done.

Tony Perkins' Washington Update is written with the aid of FRC (Family Research Council) senior writers
Article located here: <http://www.frc.org/updatearticle/20180227/trafficking-signal>

Ken Paxton – Be The One In The Fight Against Human Trafficking



"This video walks the audience through actual cases prosecuted in the state of Texas, identifies the tools of traffickers and how they are typically utilized to obtain and maintain victims, and equips viewers with red flags and a reporting protocol. Most of all, it challenges Texans to change the culture in which we live from one that identifies with and honors perpetrators to one that provides safety, security, and genuine reintegration for the survivors of trafficking."

To read more and watch the video [click here](#).

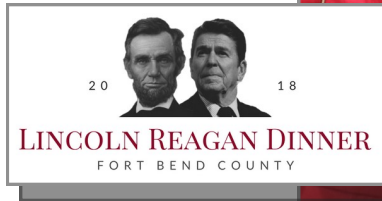


Childproof America has been invited to the Texas Capitol on March 22nd to meet with Governor Abbott to discuss strong policy changes regarding sex trafficking in Texas. These potential proposals would change the face of this public health crisis in Texas!

Lincoln Reagan Dinner - Hosted by the Fort Bend County Republican Party

Childproof America Executive Director, Kelly Litvak, attended the annual Lincoln Reagan Dinner last month.

Kelly is pictured with Texas State Senator Joan Huffman and United States Senator Ted Cruz.



Fort Bend County Constable's Office, Precinct 3 - Hosts Press Conference on Sex Trafficking



L to R: Shawn McDonald, State Senator Joan Huffman, Childproof America Executive Director Kelly Litvak, Fort Bend Constable Wayne Thompson, Chief Deputy Robert VanPelt, Deputy Bryan Smink



In the NEWS

[Click here to view media coverage of Childproof America](#)

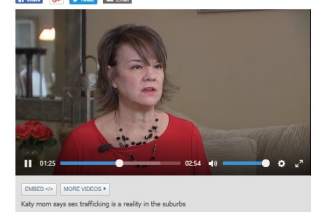


HOUSTON - Leaders said the biggest obstacle to stop human trafficking is to raise awareness and make sure families understand it's happening everywhere.



FORT BEND COUNTY, Texas - The Fort Bend County Precinct and Kelly Litvak with Childproof America held a press conference Friday to address child sex trafficking in and around the Houston area.

How to protect your child from sex trafficking predators in the suburbs



Kelly Litvak says sex trafficking is a reality in the suburbs

Safeguarding Families Against Sex Trafficking

Parent Education Community Meeting Richmond, TX

Date: Thursday, March 22nd

Time: 7pm - 9pm, doors open at 6:45pm

Location: Parkway Fellowship
27043 FM 1093, Richmond, TX 77406

Presenters: Kelly Litvak, Constable
Wayne Thompson, Fulshear Police Chief
Kenny Seymour, Jennifer Hohman

Appropriate for ages mature 12+

Free to the Public

Protecting Your Children from Sex Trafficking Predators and Recruiters in Our Schools and Churches:

This presentation will demonstrate the risk to you and the people you love. We will discuss the warning signs or protective measures you can take at home, in churches and schools. This is your opportunity to interact with victims, rescuers and experts that need your help solving this Houston problem. You will walk away with resources.

Register today to reserve your free seat! [Click here to register.](#)



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the
Conversation!*

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Sushi For A Good Cause! Japaneiro's Introduces New Childproof America Sushi Roll



Introducing the new Childproof America sushi roll by Japaneiro's Sushi Bistro in Sugar Land. All proceeds benefit the Childproof America mission! The roll includes spicy Hamachi, cucumber, kani, topped with avocado, torched jalapenos, torched truffle salmon and green onion. YUM! Watch for dates when this delicious roll will be available.

Japaneiro's
sushi bistro & latin grill



MISSING

CASE #: 18A021372
MISSING ENDANGERED CHILD
NAME MADISON RENEE JONES

PSR # 35-123492

DESCRIPTION: MADISON WAS LAST SEEN ON 01/22/2018 IN WILLIS IN CAPE MALIBU SUBDIVISION. SHE TOOK CLOTHING AND HER PHONE THAT SHE HAS OFF. SHE HAS HER EARS, BELLY AND UPPER EAR CARTILAGE PIERCED. SHE HAS NOT BEEN HEARD FROM SINCE SHE LEFT.

MADISON'S FAMILY IS CONCERNED FOR HER SAFETY PLEASE SHARE



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MONTGOMERY COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE @ 936-760-5800
Or 1st PRIORITY SEARCH & RECOVERY

@ 817-476-0313, 979-402-6020, 979-645-1177,

Bringing families back together is our 1st priority

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AGE: 16
D.O.B. 04/01/2001
HEIGHT: 5'6"
WEIGHT: 126
SEX: FEMALE
HAIR: DARK BLONDE
EYES: BLUE
RACE: WHITE
COMPLEXION: FAIR
MISSING SINCE:
01/22/2018
MISSING STATE:
MONTGOMERY, TEXAS

Childproof America empowers families in the battle against sex trafficking. Our mission is to educate, equip and support America's parents in the protection and defense of their children, and improve the quality of aid to impacted families. As advocates, we provide legislative pathways for concerned Americans to enforce harsh penalties to those violating the innocence of our children.

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Current Needs: How you can help right now!

- ◆ Make sure to visit Japaneiro's Sushi Bar in Sugar Land and purchase the Childproof America roll to benefit Childproof America (coming soon).
- ◆ Sign up on Eventbrite for the Parent Community Meeting on March 22nd
- ◆ Follow us on social media to see our App of the Week articles, great information and current events! If you have a favorite post, please share it so others can have this useful information as well.
- ◆ Would you like to volunteer with Childproof America? Please visit our website [here](#) to find out how you can be a Family Guide.

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