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## VICTORIA NEAVE CRIADO

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TEXAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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## DALLAS STATE REPRESENTATIVE VICTORIA NEAVE CRIADO APPOINTED CHAIR OF TEXAS HOUSE COMMITTEE

Neave Criado continues as the 6th Latina in Texas History to be appointed as Committee Chair

AUSTIN, TX- State Representative Victoria Neave Criado (HD-107) has been appointed to serve as Chair of the Texas House Committee on County Affairs and as a member of the Business and Industry Committee. Chair Neave will serve as *one of four* women appointed to a committee Chairmanship this session, and remains the sixth Latina in Texas history to serve as a Committee Chair.

## Chair Victoria Neave Criado released the following statement:

"With billions of dollars in our state coffers, we must keep Texas ahead of the game. Our 254 counties, from metropolitan ones like Dallas County, to those in the rural Texas countryside, are the beating heart of our state. As Chair, I am ready to collaborate with my fellow Committee Members to move the ball forward for Texas families. I am also excited about serving on the Business and Industry Committee which can help ensure Texas workers, unions, and businesses thrive."



State Representative Victoria Neave Criado represents Texas House District 107, which includes parts of Dallas, Mesquite, and Garland. She was born and raised in Dallas and was first elected in 2016. State Representative Victoria Neave Criado also serves as Chair of the Mexican American Legislative Caucus, the oldest and largest Latino caucus in the country. Chair Neave Criado is an attorney and has represented a broad range of clients from multinational corporations and small businesses to women and children in civil litigation, family, and employment law. In 2021, she became the 6th Latina in Texas history to be appointed as a Committee Chair in the Texas House of Representatives.

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