



What Voters Need to Know About the Race for Harris County Judge

Voters across Harris County need to know that Alexandra del Moral Mealer is a far-right Republican who will be a rubber stamp for the far-right's agenda.

- Lina Hidalgo believes abortion is a matter left up to the woman, her doctor, and her faith, NOT politicians, while Alexandra Mealer's Republican Party wants to BAN abortion even in cases of rape and incest and supports Governor Abbott's extreme law that bans abortions as early as six weeks. Mealer identifies as "[very pro-life](#)" and [supports the arrest of doctors](#) who perform abortions.¹
- Mealer is a far-right Republican endorsed by Senator Ted Cruz. She calls Donald Trump "[the boss](#)," and she's campaigning with an activist who was arrested for bringing a gun to children's story time at the library. And she's fully embraced the 'Big Lie'-- [refusing to admit Trump lost](#) the election.²

All voters, but particularly white women under 49 and Latino voters ages 35-75, should understand Lina Hidalgo's personal story and commitment to public safety.

- Lina Hidalgo was born in Colombia when the drug war still raged. Her parents moved to America to carve out a new life and get their family to a safer place. Hidalgo knows from personal experience the importance of protecting public safety and promoting opportunity. That's why she invested historic levels of funds for public safety, including more money to hire more officers and raise their pay.
- She led the successful response to disasters from floods, to chemical fires, to the winter freeze and COVID-19. While Texas Republicans told us everything would be fine, Lina Hidalgo predicted the grid could fail--and she was right.
- Under Lina Hidalgo's leadership, Harris County has invested the highest amount of funding for public safety in the County's history -- over one billion dollars this coming year alone. In fact, roughly sixty-five percent of the latest county budget is focused on public safety, including initiatives to fix our criminal justice system, pay raises for police, and targeted efforts to address gun violence.

¹ https://www.listennotes.com/podcasts/ken-webster-jr/lina-hidalgo-is-houstons-ZlRi_xiNpBo/,
<https://twitter.com/AlexMealer4HCTX/status/1567272162033111044>

² https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f1233gmygo0&t=420s&ab_channel=DocGreeneSR,
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