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## **THREE MORE MEMBERS OF CONGRESS ENDORSE JESSE GABRIEL**

*Congressmembers Brad Sherman, Karen Bass, and Grace Napolitano join Julia Brownley and Jimmy Gomez in endorsing Gabriel's campaign*

**ENCINO, CA** -- Building on his strong position in the race for Assembly District 45, today Jesse Gabriel announced that Congresswoman Karen Bass, Congresswoman Grace Napolitano, and Congressman Brad Sherman have endorsed his campaign.

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Sherman – whose Congressional District covers 94% of the 45th Assembly District and who routinely prevails there by huge margins – issued the following statement upon announcing his endorsement:

“Jesse Gabriel understands our community's needs and will work hard every day to represent our interests in Sacramento. We can count on him to make sure that the Valley gets its fair share of transportation funding and he will be an outstanding partner in working to build a subway through the Sepulveda Pass. I am proud to endorse Jesse Gabriel for State Assembly.”



Upon endorsing Gabriel earlier in this campaign, Congresswoman Julia Brownley issued the following statement:

“Jesse Gabriel is highly qualified to serve in the State Assembly. He has the background, experience, and values necessary to be an extremely effective advocate for the Valley. I’m proud to endorse Jesse Gabriel for State Assembly.”

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Upon endorsing Gabriel earlier in this campaign, Congressman Jimmy Gomez issued the following statement:

"Jesse Gabriel is a principled leader who knows how to bring people to the table to solve big problems. In his law practice, Jesse stood up to Donald Trump and defended DREAMers in two landmark lawsuits. I have no doubt Jesse will fight hard for those most in need, because he already has. I'm proud to endorse Jesse Gabriel for State Assembly."



Gabriel is the officially endorsed candidate of the Democratic Party of the San Fernando Valley and the Los Angeles County Young Democrats – the two largest Democratic groups that have weighed in on this campaign.

Gabriel currently leads the race in fundraising, having raised over \$500,000 in less than three months.

Jesse Gabriel is a Los Angeles County Commissioner and Constitutional Rights Attorney who has represented clients before the United States Supreme Court. He is currently suing the Trump Administration in two landmark lawsuits which seek to protect undocumented children known as Dreamers. Through his legal work and legislative advocacy, Jesse has assisted Holocaust survivors, victims of domestic abuse, and communities facing the threat of hate-motivated violence. Jesse has also helped to resolve complex business disputes through his work with a major law firm. Prior to beginning his law practice, Jesse worked to advance the Democratic Party agenda in the United States Senate, where he served as a senior advisor to former United States Senator Evan Bayh.

A committed environmentalist and longtime community activist, Jesse also serves on the board of directors of the Los Angeles League of Conservation Voters and the Jewish Federation of Greater Los Angeles, and as a Commissioner on the Los Angeles County Commission on Local Government Services.

Jesse lives in Encino with his wife Rachel Rosner, an affordable housing attorney, and their sons Ethan and Joshua. He is a graduate of Harvard Law School and UC Berkeley.

To learn more about Jesse Gabriel's campaign visit [www.JesseForAssembly.com](http://www.JesseForAssembly.com)

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