



Rep. Kenny Marchant to announce Retirement from Congress TX-24

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Republican Incumbent Rep. Kenny Marchant will reportedly announce that he will not be seeking re-election in 2020.

After winning the district by double digits in 2016, Rep. Marchant's margin of victory fell to only 3 points in 2018. Rep. Marchant announces his retirement on the heels of Democratic challenger Kim Olson's historic fundraising quarter in which she raised over \$300,000 and received more individual contributions than Rep. Marchant over the same period. Kim also outraised her Democratic Primary opponents 3:1 during the period.

On Rep. Marchant's retirement Kim says, "He saw the writing on the wall. The momentum this campaign has received over the past few months is a reflection of the district's desire for strong, no-nonsense leadership. While the game has certainly changed, it is far from over. I look forward to continuing to run a strong campaign that is accountable to the people of TX-24."

Kim is a 25-year combat veteran who accomplished many firsts during her career in the Air Force. She was the first woman to go to pilot training at her base and one of the first female flight instructors, flight evaluators, squadron commanders, and Colonels. After nearly three decades serving our country and the state of Texas in uniform, she's running to continue her service as a member of Congress.

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