

Virginia Delegate Elizabeth Guzman plans to introduce a bill expanding the state’s definition of child abuse and neglect to include parents who do not affirm their child’s gender identity; A parent reportedly could face a police investigation, a Child Protective Services charge, or even a felony:

- **GUZMAN:** “This is how we gonna push back.”
 - **REPORTER:** “Her bill would expand the state’s definition of child abuse and neglect to include parents who do not affirm their child’s gender identity or sexual orientation.”
 - **GUZMAN:** “There is an investigation also in place that is not only, you know, from a social worker but there also police investigation before we make the decisions that there’s going to be a CPS [Child Protective Services] charge.”
 - **REPORTER:** “What could the penalties be if, you know, the investigation concludes and has concluded that a parent is not affirming of their LGBTQ child? What could the consequences be?”
 - **GUZMAN:** “Well, we first have to have an investigation. You know, it could be a felony, it could be a misdemeanor. But we know the CPS charge could harm, you know, your employment. It could harm your education....”
 - **ANCHOR:** “Delegate Guzman tells 7 News that she is hoping to pass the bill in the upcoming legislative session.” (Nick Minock, ABC 7, 7Staff News, [WJLA](#), 10/13/22) ([NRCC YouTube Full Clip](#)) ([NRCC YouTube Trimmed Clip](#))
- **HEADLINE:** “Va. Parents could face abuse charges for not affirming their LGBTQ child under new bill.”



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Abigail Spanberger 
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 US House candidate, VA-07

.@guzman4virginia is a tireless leader in the the Virginia House of Delegates. I am proud to have Delegate Guzman's support for my campaign! #VA07

ENDORSEMENT: ELIZABETH GUZMAN



Virginia State Delegate



As soon as I heard from Virginians about the baby formula shortage, I learned that Abigail Spanberger was already on the phone with the White House, urging more action. I know that Abigail will continue fighting for the working families of Prince William – and all of Virginia – because she shows up, listens, and acts. She has my total endorsement in her reelection for Congress.

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(Abigail Spanberger Twitter, 07/29/22)

Elizabeth Guzman is a campaign supporter, and has campaigned with, of Abigail Spanberger:

- Elizabeth Guzman and Abigail Spanberger campaigning together.

Elizabeth Guzman is with **Andrea Bailey** Prince William County Supervisor and 3 others.
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 We've made the parade an annual family tradition and we've loved it every year!
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Yesterday, Prince William County Democratic Committee was fired up to knock on doors! From Woodbridge to Dale City and Dumfries, we were talking to voters about Abigail Spanberger. Great conversations about public health, Women's reproductive rights and public education. Thanks to our hosts Margaret Angela Franklin for Woodbridge Rozia Henson and Deanna Bayer and special thanks to our volunteers. Early voting starts September 23rd. #BlueWave2022



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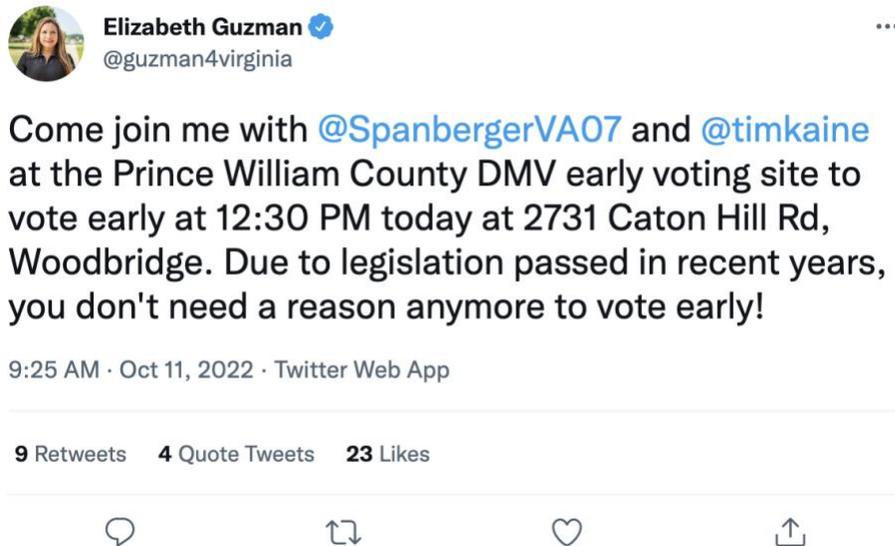
Join me with Abigail Spanberger and Margaret Angela Franklin for Woodbridge next Thursday for a Hispanic Community Meet and Greet!
Acompañenos para conocer y conversar con Rep. Spanberger y la Supervisora Franklin.
Sign up here: <https://www.mobilize.us/spanbergerforcongress/event/490615/>



(Elizabeth Guzman Facebook, 08/25/22)

Abigail Spanberger and Elizabeth Guzman campaigned together in October 2022:

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(Elizabeth Guzman Twitter, 10/11/22)

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