

Getting our economy
MOVING again...



Inside:

How **Congresswoman Linda Sánchez** is fighting to bring jobs to our communities.

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Congresswoman Linda Sánchez is working to bring jobs and economic growth to our communities

Improving the economy—a real plan

Our most urgent domestic challenge is to put the economy back on track, and to create good jobs. That's why Linda Sanchez supports the Democratic Economic Plan. This plan promotes economic growth by putting money into the pockets of average Americans through tax cuts. It creates over 1 million new jobs, and is fiscally responsible because it will not increase the debt.



Congresswoman Linda Sanchez tours a local plant and discusses labor and economic issues.



Linda Sanchez talks with area families about community issues.

Since the beginning of 2001:

- 3.3 million jobs have been lost
- Unemployment has reached over 6%
- 9 million Americans are currently out of work
- \$3.6 trillion has been added to the national debt

Helping families through tough times

Our country is in the worst recession since the Great Depression. That's why Congresswoman Sanchez is a sponsor of the "Emergency Unemployment Compensation Act," H.R. 3244, which increases the length of unemployment benefits from 13 to 26 weeks. Unemployment benefits not only help those still looking for work, but also improve economic growth and create jobs—pumping \$1.73 into the economy for every \$1.00 spent.

Helping our communities

The plan Linda supports also provides \$44 billion in aid to states for homeland security, highways, education, and health care. If we can afford to spend \$87 billion overseas, then we can certainly afford to fund key priorities at home. Which is critical in this time of budget shortages.

Additionally, to help our local economy, Linda secured \$1.7 million in federal funding for the following projects in our district:

- \$300,000 for a library in our region
- \$200,000 for local after-school centers
- \$1.2 million for road improvements

Tax relief for children and families

Instead of tax cuts for the wealthiest 1% of all Americans, it's time to give tax relief to those who really deserve it! That's why Linda is sponsoring "the Working Families Tax Credit Act of 2003," H.R. 2286. Under this bill, more families would be eligible for the child tax credit including many military families, and the marriage penalty tax would be completely eliminated.

Congresswoman Linda Sánchez is a founder of the new "Congressional Labor and Working Families Caucus." To learn more about the Caucus, visit Linda's website at www.house.gov/lindasanchez

Congresswoman Linda Sánchez
Working hard for hard-working families

