## Assyrian Democrats of the Bay Area



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## **Endorsement Statement for Congresswoman Anna Eshoo**

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The Assyrian Democrats of the Bay area is a grassroots progressive political organization that was chartered and accredited by the Santa Clara Democratic Party in July 2021. As we get closer to our anniversary and ahead of the June 7th, 2022 Statewide Direct Primary Election, we are proud to endorse the only member of the Congress of Assyrian ancestry. Representation matters and we are hoping more members of our community will get involved in national, state, and local politics and be elected to political offices. This is what our organization strives for.

Congresswoman Eshoo serves as a senior member on the House Energy and Commerce Committee and as Chair of the House Subcommittee on Health. She is the first woman in the history of the U.S. Congress to serve in this influential leadership role.

In addition, Anna is the senior-most member of the Subcommittee on Communications and Technology. She is the author of over 50 bills that have been signed into law. Prior to her election to the U.S. House of Representatives, she was elected to and served on the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors for ten years. Anna is a first-generation American whose parents fled their homelands for freedom from religious and ethnic persecution, and for the promise of America. They instilled in Anna a deep love and respect for America, our Constitution, and our democratic ideals of equality and justice for all.

Today, our democracy, the rule of law, and ideals are under assault. Anna is running to protect our democracy, help heal our nation, strengthen our economy, defend our rights, and more.