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**Texas Office of the Attorney General Names Region 3 Child Support
Employee Assistant Attorney General of the Year**

Joshua Shamburger singled out as region's top attorney for dedication to Texas children

Laredo – The Office of the Attorney General recognized Joshua Shamburger, an Assistant Attorney General (“AAG”) in the Child Support Division’s Laredo office, for his commitment to Texas children. Shamburger was named Assistant Attorney General of the Year for the Child Support Division’s Region 3. He was presented with the award at the 2025 Statewide Assistant Attorneys General Conference.

One Assistant Attorney General was selected for this honor from each of the state’s ten child support regions, along with an Assistant Attorney General from the Child Support Division headquarters office in Austin. Honorees are chosen based on recommendations from their peers and supervisors, focusing on employees willing to go beyond their normal duties to serve Texas children. Each recipient demonstrates a desire to serve Texas families, help their colleagues, and enhance the Attorney General’s Child Support Division.

Shamburger, who joined the Office of the Attorney General in 2014, represents the State of Texas in legal actions to establish paternity between children of unmarried parents and their biological fathers. He also works to establish, enforce, and modify court orders that require parents to provide child support, medical support, and dental support.

A graduate of the Texas Tech University School of Law, Shamburger was chosen to be the region’s Assistant Attorney General of the Year for being an exemplary attorney, a willing trainer, and a strong leader. He has demonstrated the willingness to take on any task and provide wise legal direction to his co-workers, earning the reputation as a reliable leader.

“It has been wonderful to see Josh’s strong leadership skills assist in the growth and improvement of our Laredo office. He has provided consistency and guidance to the legal team and has worked hard to ensure they feel connected and supported,” said Ana Hansen, Region 3 Senior Regional Attorney.

The Attorney General’s Child Support Division offers an array of services to help families, including locating absent parents; establishing paternity for children born to unmarried parents; establishing, enforcing, and modifying child and medical support orders; and collecting and distributing child support payments. For more, call (800) 252-8014 or visit the agency’s website at www.texasattorneygeneral.gov.

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