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**Georgia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce endorses  
Jason Anavitarte for Georgia Senate seat**

Atlanta, GA – (November 1, 2019) The Georgia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce (GHCC) has endorsed and strongly supports Jason Anavitarte’s application for appointment to the open U. S. Senate seat being vacated by Senator Johnny Isakson at the end of this year.

Anavitarte is the right person to continue in the legacy of Senator Isakson. He’s an experienced politician and an influential member of the Hispanic community.

Anavitarte is the Chairman of the Board of Trustees for Chattahoochee Technical College, the largest technical college in the state of Georgia. He serves on the Paulding County Board of Education and is a director at Caresource.

Since joining the Chattahoochee Technical College board, Anavitarte has helped expand development opportunities and has helped raise funds to increase scholarship awards for merited students in its seven-county service area.

Anavitarte is a native Georgian and in 2003 became the youngest Latino ever elected to public office in the state of Georgia.

Anavitarte was named one of the GHCC’s 50 Most Influential Latinos in Georgia and honored as a recipient of the Georgia Trend top 40 under 40. Jason has devoted his personal, professional, and political life, time and resources to support the lives of all Georgians.

“The importance of having someone like Jason Anavitarte in consideration for the open Senate seat is crucial for our state, especially when considering that the Hispanic community is expected to make up about a quarter of all Georgians by the year 2050,” said Santiago Marquez, GHCC President & CEO.

It is for these reasons that the Hispanic Chamber fully supports and endorses Jason Anavitarte’s application to become the next U.S. Senator from the state of Georgia.

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*About the GHCC*

*Established in 1984, the GHCC is one of the largest Hispanic Chambers in the United States, with over 1,000 members. Its primary focus is on business formation, business growth, and civic and leadership development and engagement. It serves entrepreneurs and business owners through consultations, workshops and seminars and partners with organizations such as the Small Business Development Center to bring quality programming to the Hispanic business community.*