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A Note from AG Lynn Fitch

Anyone can be an extraordinary hero for a victim of trafficking; they just need to know what to look for and how to report what they see. That is one of the reasons the National Human Trafficking Hotline is so important. It can be a vital source of information that law enforcement can use to disrupt trafficking operations, put traffickers in jail, and set victims on the pathway to hope and healing.

Several years ago, <u>my office discovered</u> that the Hotline had stopped reporting those important third-party tips to state law enforcement, and we fought hard to recover this critical intelligence. I am excited that this week the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services announced that a new organization – Compass Connections - will soon operate the Hotline. With the National Human Trafficking Hotline under new management, I am hopeful that those important third-party tips will start coming back to states where we can take action.

I am committed to doing all I can to work with Compass Connections to stop human trafficking, and I am grateful for President Trump's efforts to make this Hotline a strong partner in this effort. You are also an important partner in the fight to end human trafficking. Remember: if you see something, say something. Learn how you can be a part of the solution here.

May God Bless You,

Lynn Jack



Empower Mississippi - Attorney General Lynn Fitch: Breaking Barriers & Defending Life

On this episode, host Grant Callen sits down with Mississippi's 40th **Attorney General Lynn Fitch**. A Holly Springs native, General Fitch has 35 years in public and private legal service, made history as the state's first female Attorney General, and earned national recognition for her leadership. We talk about her roots, her legal career, and her pivotal role in Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization, the landmark Supreme Court case that overturned Roe v. Wade.

She also shares insights on fighting human trafficking, protecting children online, preserving Title IX, and her support for school choice. Additionally, we preview the upcoming Mississippi Women's Summit and pose the question on many minds: Is a run for governor in her future? Tune In.



WHAT WE'RE READING

<u>Magnolia Tribune - Mississippi Child Protective Services partners</u> <u>with Sunnybrook Children's Home to license more foster parents</u>

In an effort to help license more foster parents, the Mississippi Department of Child Protective Services has partnered with Sunnybrook Children's Home to license at least 10 additional families annually.

"This contract represents more than expansion – it represents innovation and collaboration at a time when Mississippi needs it most," said Andrea Sanders, CPS Commissioner. "Sunnybrook's leadership and vision reflect the kind of forward-thinking partnership required to transform outcomes for our most

vulnerable children. Together, we are building a foundation of hope, healing and stability."

Fox San Antonio - Groundbreaking women's heart center opens in San Antonio to combat maternal deaths

Dr. Ildiko Agoston, a university health cardiologist, has launched a groundbreaking Women's Heart Center in South Texas, dedicated to diagnosing and treating heart disease in women of all ages.

As the founding director, Dr. Agoston aims to address the pressing issue of heart-related complications during pregnancy, a leading cause of maternal deaths in the United States.



ATTORNEY GENERAL LYNN FITCH IN THE NEWS

Magnolia Tribune - AG delivers overdose boxes to City of Jackson in hopes of saving lives

Mississippi Attorney General Lynn Fitch (R) delivered overdose boxes to the City of Jackson on Monday morning in an effort to save the lives of residents who mistakenly took drugs laced with deadly fentanyl.

Fitch said a few grains of fentanyl is deadlier than heroin. "It's real, it's here," **she said**. "We must fight it together."



<u>Darkhorse Press - Mississippi joins 22-state coalition urging FCC to allow cell phone jamming in prisons</u>

"Contraband cellphones are a problem in prisons in Mississippi and all over the country," **Attorney General Lynn Fitch** said in a statement. "These phones pose a real threat, allowing criminals to conduct criminal activity while sitting behind bars and coordinate violence within correctional facilities. I am encouraged that the FCC is addressing this important issue and giving states the tools to combat this security risk."

Supertalk Mississippi - AG Fitch Joins Supertalk Live from the 2025 Mississippi Women's Summit

Mississippi Attorney General Lynn Fitch joined us at the Women's Summit to talk about uplifting women, breaking barriers, and the power of mentorship. She shared how collaboration and leadership are shaping opportunities for women across Mississippi, as well as her vision for empowering

families and communities.



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