



Outstanding Woman

Jessica Self

Jessica Self has been an active member of the Stanislaus County community since 2013. As the Vice President of the MoPride board, she advocated for the LGBT community, promoting events and sensitivity training county-wide. She is active in local politics, creating the Blue Wave movement, seeking to recruit and encourage people to run for elected office. She has been particularly effective in recruiting women candidates, especially in areas with little to no representation. Her efforts have increased interest and action in the local political scene as she has hosted free Congressional debates for democratic candidates. Jessica has a J.D. From Western State College of Law and works as a Deputy Public Defender for Stanislaus County.