San Antonio, TX – Congressman Charles Gonzalez (TX – 20) issued the following statement today after reports that Congresswoman Gabriella Giffords and others were shot at an event in Tucson, Arizona earlier today:

"Our main concern right now is for Gabrielle and the other victims to survive this incomprehensible attack. Congresswoman Giffords is a brave and strong person, my colleague and a dear friend. My request is that everyone pray for their recovery.  Our nation's prayers are needed now."