



# 2006 General Election Voter Guide

## Statewide Candidate Endorsements

## Vote No on Prop 107

Office	Candidate Name	Political Party	Status
Governor	Janet Napolitano	Democrat	Endorsed
	Len Munsil	Republican	Not Endorsed
Attorney General	Terry Goddard	Democrat	Endorsed
	William Montgomery	Republican	Not Endorsed
Superintendent of Public Instruction	Jason Williams	Democrat	Endorsed
	Tom Horne	Republican	Not Endorsed

Prop 107 would outlaw gay marriage and ban any domestic partnerships. Families where the partners are not legally married, gay or straight, would lose medical and other benefits if they work for the state, any Arizona city or town, school district, etc.

The exact language of Prop 107 states: "To preserve and protect marriage in this state, only a union between one man and one woman shall be valid or recognized as a marriage by this state or its political subdivisions and no legal status for unmarried persons shall be created or recognized by this state or its political subdivisions that is similar to that of marriage."

The constitutional ban on domestic partnerships goes too far and creates unnecessary harm, particularly for children and families. It is a mean-spirited effort that perpetuates harmful stereotypes about gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people. **Vote NO on Prop 107!**

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 ★ **Election Day is Tuesday, Nov 7th!** ★  
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### About the Arizona Human Rights Fund, the Endorsement Criteria and Choice

AHRF is the only organization in Arizona that advocates exclusively for lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) issues at both the Legislature and the voting booth. As a membership organization, AHRF is supported by the generous contributions of its members.

AHRF volunteer leaders consider these factors when endorsing candidates: candidate questionnaire responses, past voting records, personal and/or professional leadership on LGBT issues, documented public statements, political landscape in the district and candidate interviews (if necessary). AHRF does not endorse based on a candidate's position on choice but does disclose this information. In the 2006 General Election, all AHRF-endorsed candidates are pro-choice, with the following notations:

- (1) Kelleher responded that she supports abortion restrictions such as "third trimester abortions only to save life of mother."
- (2) Monroe did not respond to the Reproductive Freedom question on the AHRF candidate questionnaire.
- (3) Desimone responded that he supports abortion restrictions such as "24-48 hour waiting period that can be circumvented in emergency cases. In general, I think it [abortion] needs to remain legal, safe and available."
- (4) Miranda has a mixed voting record on abortion.

Leg District	Office	Candidate Name	Political Party	Status
1	Senate	Jo Kelleher (1)	Democrat	Endorsed
		Tom O'Halleran	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Wes Edmonds	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Lucy Mason	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Andy Tobin	Republican	Not Endorsed
2	Senate	Albert Hale	Democrat	Endorsed
		Royce Jenkins	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Ann Kirkpatrick	Democrat	Endorsed
		Albert Tom	Democrat	Endorsed
		Preston Korn	Republican	Not Endorsed
3	Senate	Luis Lopez	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Ron Gould	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Trish Groe	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Nancy McLain	Republican	Not Endorsed
4	Senate	Ed Gogek	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Jack Harper	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Debra Boehlke	Democrat	Endorsed
		Tom Boone	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Judy Burges	Republican	Not Endorsed
5	Senate	Phillip Cobb	Democrat	Endorsed
		Jake Flake	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Jack Brown	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		William Konopnicki	Republican	Not Endorsed
6	Senate	Jim Larson	Democrat	Endorsed
		Pamela Gorman	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Doug Clark	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Sam Crump	Republican	Not Endorsed
7	Senate	Lisa Black	Democrat	Endorsed
		James (Jim) Waring	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Marilyn Fox	Democrat	Endorsed
		Jeanne Lunn	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Ray Barnes	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Nancy Barto	Republican	Not Endorsed
8	Senate	Dan Oseran	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Carolyn Allen	Republican	Endorsed

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8	House	Stephanie Rimmer	Democrat	Endorsed
		William Sandberg	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		John Kavanagh	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Michele Reagan	Republican	Not Endorsed
9	Senate	Steve Poe	Democrat	Endorsed
		Bob Burns	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Sheri Van Horsen	Democrat	Endorsed
		Rick Murphy	Republican	Not Endorsed
10	Senate	Martin James Monroe (2)	Democrat	Endorsed
		Linda Gray	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Lamont Lovejoy	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Jackie Thrasher	Democrat	Endorsed
		Doug Quelland	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Jim Weiers	Republican	Not Endorsed
11	Senate	Ann Wallack	Democrat	Endorsed
		Barbara Leff	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Mark Anthony Desimone (3)	Democrat	Endorsed
		Adam Driggs	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Don Hesselbrock	Republican	Not Endorsed
12	Senate	Bob Blendu	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	John Nelson	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Jerry Weiers	Republican	Not Endorsed
13	Senate	Richard Miranda (4)	Democrat	Endorsed
	House	Steve Gallardo	Democrat	Endorsed
		Martha Garcia	Democrat	Endorsed
14	Senate	Debbie McCune-Davis	Democrat	Endorsed
	House	Chad Campbell	Democrat	Endorsed
		Robert Meza	Democrat	Endorsed
		John Stevens	Republican	Not Endorsed
15	Senate	Ken Chevront	Democrat	Endorsed
		Andrew Smigielski	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	David Lujan	Democrat	Endorsed
		Kyrsten Sinema	Democrat	Endorsed
		Robert Lee Gear	Republican	Not Endorsed

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16	Senate	Leah Landrum Taylor	Democrat	Endorsed
		Daniel Veres	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Cloves Campbell, Jr.	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Ben Miranda	Democrat	Endorsed
		Daniel Coleman	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Robert McPeek	Republican	Not Endorsed
17	Senate	Meg Burton Cahill	Democrat	Endorsed
		Rose Crutcher	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Ed Ableser	Democrat	Endorsed
		David Schapira	Democrat	Endorsed
		Dale Despain	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Laura Knaperek	Republican	Not Endorsed
18	Senate	Karen Johnson	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Tammie Pursley	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Mark Anderson	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Russell Pierce	Republican	Not Endorsed
19	Senate	Steven Zachary	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Chuck Gray	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Lara Wibeto	Democrat	Endorsed
		Kirk Adams	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Rich Crandall	Republican	Not Endorsed
20	Senate	Donna Gratehouse	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		John Huppenthal	Republican	Not Endorsed
20	House	John McComish	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Bob Robson	Republican	Not Endorsed
21	Senate	Jay Tibshraeny	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Phil Hettmansperger	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Warde Nichols	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Steve Yarbrough	Republican	Not Endorsed
22	Senate	Glen Ray	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Thayer Verschoor	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Andy Biggs	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Eddie Farnsworth	Republican	Not Endorsed
23	Senate	Rebecca Rios	Democrat	Endorsed
		Cheryl Chase	Republican	Not Endorsed

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23	House	Barbara McGuire	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Pete Rios	Democrat	Endorsed
24	Senate	Amanda Aguirre	Democrat	Endorsed
		Russ Jones	Republican	Not Endorsed
	House	Lynne Pancrazi	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Theresa Ulmer	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Joseph Melchionne	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Ken Rosevear	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Marsha Arzberger	Democrat	Endorsed
25	Senate	Mary Ann Black	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Manuel Alvarez	Democrat	Endorsed
	House	Patricia Fleming	Democrat	Endorsed
		Jennifer Burns	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Gail Griffin	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Charlene Pesquiera	Democrat	Endorsed
		Al Melvin	Republican	Not Endorsed
26	House	Lena Saradnik	Democrat	Endorsed
		Pete Hershberger	Republican	Endorsed
		David Jorgenson	Republican	Not Endorsed
27	Senate	Jorge Luis Garcia	Democrat	Endorsed
		Olivia Cajero Bedford	Democrat	Endorsed
		Phil Lopes	Democrat	Endorsed
		Gene Chewing	Republican	Not Endorsed
28	Senate	Paula Aboud	Democrat	Endorsed
		David Bradley	Democrat	Endorsed
		Steve Farley	Democrat	Endorsed
		Bill Phillips	Republican	Not Endorsed
29	House	Victor Soltero	Democrat	Endorsed
		Linda Lopez	Democrat	Endorsed
		Tom Prezelski	Democrat	Endorsed
		Bruce Murchison	Republican	Not Endorsed
30	Senate	Jeffrey Chimene	Democrat	Endorsed
		Tim Bee	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Clarence Boykins	Democrat	Not Endorsed
		Marian McClure	Republican	Not Endorsed
		Jonathan Paton	Republican	Not Endorsed

