

2013 FAMILY ISSUES VOTING RECORD

ARIZONA STATE SENATE



Legend: (Y) Voted With CAP's Position (N) Voted Against CAP's Position (NV) Did not vote

Senator	District	Party	Life		Education and School Choice			Religious Freedom				Judicial Reform
			[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6]	[7]	[8]	[9]	[10]
Ableser	26	D	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	NV	N	N	N
Barto	15	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Biggs	12	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bradley	10	D	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Burges	22	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cajero Bedford	3	D	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Crandall	16	R	Y	N	N	Y	Y	NV	NV	NV	NV	NV
Crandell	6	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Driggs	28	R	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Farley	9	D	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Gallardo	29	D	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Griffin	14	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Hobbs	24	D	Y	N	N	Y	NV	N	N	N	N	N
Jackson, Jr.	7	D	Y	N	N	NV	N	NV	N	NV	NV	N
Landrum-Taylor	27	D	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Lopez	2	D	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
McComish	18	R	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
McGuire	8	D	Y	N	Y	Y	NV	N	N	Y	N	N
Melvin	11	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Meza	30	D	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Murphy	21	R	NV	NV	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Pancrazi	4	D	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
Pierce, S.	1	R	Y	N	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Reagan	23	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Shooter	13	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Tovar	19	D	Y	N	N	Y	NV	N	N	N	N	N
Ward	5	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Worsley	25	R	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Yarbrough	17	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Yee	20	R	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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- [1] **Charitable Tax Credit; Itemizer Deduction (SB 1179)** –Allows taxpayers who do not itemize to qualify for the state’s charitable tax credit, receiving a dollar-for-dollar tax credit for donations to qualified nonprofit organizations. **Passed House 58-0. Passed Senate 29-0. Signed into law by Gov. Brewer on June 20, 2013.**
- [2] **Medicaid Expansion (HB 2010)** – Expands Arizona’s Medicaid program (the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System) to childless adults that make up to 133% of the Federal Poverty Level, with no incremental steps or additional safeguards to protect taxpayer dollars from funding abortion providers. **Passed House 33-27. Passed Senate 18-11. Signed into law by Gov. Brewer on June 17, 2013. (CAP-Opposed Bill)**
- [3] **Empowerment Scholarship Accounts; Expansion; Funding (SB 1363)** – Allows kindergarteners to participate in the Empowerment Scholarship Accounts program and increases the funding formula to provide families with access to more education resources. **Passed House 34-19. Passed Senate 16-13. Signed into law by Gov. Brewer on June 20, 2013.**
- [4] **Protecting Empowerment Scholarship Accounts From Fraud (HB 2458)** –Protects the Empowerment Scholarship Accounts from abuse, while ensuring families still have access to this important program. **Passed House 59-0. Passed Senate 28-0. Signed into law by Gov. Brewer on May 2, 2013.**
- [5] **School Tuition Organizations; Corporate Tax Credit Expansion (HB 2617)** – Expands the corporate scholarship tax credit to limited liability companies (LLCs) and S-Corporations. **Passed House 35-24. Passed Senate 17-10. Vetoed by Gov. Brewer on June 20, 2013.**
- [6] **Free Exercise of Religion; Definitions (SB 1178)** – Clarifies and updates state Religious Freedom Restoration Act to strengthen religious liberty protections. **Passed House 32-24. Passed Senate 16-12. Vetoed by Gov. Brewer on May 23, 2013.**
- [7] **Student Association Fees (HB 2169)** – Ensures university student fees are not used for political campaigns. **Passed House 35-24. Passed Senate 16-12. Signed into law by Gov. Brewer on April 5, 2013.**
- [8] **Property Tax Exemption; Religious Institution (HB 2446)** – Clarifies property tax exemptions to ensure that churches are protected from being unfairly assessed the tax. **Passed House 35-24. Passed Senate 17-11. Vetoed by Gov. Brewer on June 19, 2013.**
- [9] **Church Preschools; Unemployment Regulation Exemption (HB 2645)** – Places in statute previous state policy to enable educational and child care services that include religious instruction to be exempted from unemployment insurance regulations. **Passed House 36-23. Passed Senate 16-12. Signed into law by Gov. Brewer on June 19, 2013.**
- [10] **Judicial Nominees; Number Forwarded to Governor (HB 2600)** – Increases the number of judicial candidates that must be sent to the governor for consideration from three to five. **Passed House 34-24. Passed Senate 16-13. Signed into law by Gov. Brewer on April 5, 2013.**