

Arizona Teachers Association

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Honorable Lori Klein,

Arizona Teachers Association ("ATA"), is an organization of Teachers, Parents and concerned citizens. We envision a vibrant productive future, defined by a growing economy, strong and healthy family values and educational superiority for all Arizonans.

While we are new to the political scene it is our desire to identify and support candidates who share our values and principles, among them school choice which is in the best interest of the student, the classroom, and the teacher. We advocate for positive educational policies and effective reforms. Empowering parents to make choices regarding their child's education is a valuable tool because it encourages schools to compete and offer the best product to the community. No parent should be forced to leave their child in a failing school.

Our political committee has reviewed numerous candidates to determine compliance with our legislative goals. We are pleased to announce through our evaluation process, we favor your educational positions and hereby notify you of our support in the upcoming election.

Respectfully,



Caroline B. Condit

Treasurer: Arizona Teachers Association