

Arizona Legislative Candidate Questionnaire

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PAGE 2: CAMPAIGN INFORMATION

Q1: Candidate Name	Bruce Wheeler
Q2: Party Affiliation	Democrat
Q3: Legislative Chamber	House
Q4: Legislative District	10
Q5: Campaign Website	www.brucewheeler2014.com
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PAGE 3: BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Q8: Have you ever been involved in any animal protection issues?	YES, Comments As a legislator I consistently voted to protect animals living in the wild and in our homes.
Q9: Do you have, or have you had in the past, any companion animals that have had an impact on you?	YES, Comments Practically all my life since early childhood. In fact, I just picked my dog Coley up from the vet hospital in Tucson following surgery. Am staying home 4 days to look after her. She's 10 years old.
Q10: Do you financially or philosophically support any local or national animal protection organizations?	YES, If so, which ones? Tucson Valley Animal Hospital

PAGE 4: FARM ANIMALS

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Q11: Do you support removing farm animals and horses from protection under Arizona's animal cruelty law and placing them under new, weaker laws in the agriculture code?

Comments I voted no on HB2587.

PAGE 5: COMPANION ANIMALS

Q12: Would you support legislation to require registration, oversight and/or standards of care for animals in boarding facilities and breeding kennels?

YES

PAGE 6: ANIMAL CONTROL

Q13: Do you believe that Arizona should have more uniform animal control laws to prevent inhumane treatment of animals?

YES

PAGE 7: WILDLIFE AND HABITAT

Q14: Do you support a process that includes less than 1% of hunters & anglers and limits the voice of a majority of Arizonans to participate in the Arizona Game & Fish Commission appointment process?

NO

Q15: Do you believe that SB 1200 should be repealed?

YES

PAGE 8: GREYHOUND RACING

Q16: Would you support legislation to repeal multi-million dollar tax breaks to dog tracks?

YES,

Comments

I voted to repeal millions in tax subsidies to dog tracks and have spoken out against them publicly.

PAGE 9: CITIZEN INITIATIVE PROCESS AND ANIMAL PROTECTION

Q17: Do you support Arizona's public initiative process?

YES

Q18: If YES, what steps would you take to protect our public initiative process?

As a private citizen and as a member of the State House of Representatives I have spoken out strongly in support of our initiative process and against all attempts to weaken it. It is one of the best provisions in our state constitution and ought to be protected!