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Page 2: CAMPAIGN INFORMATION

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Page 3: BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Q8

Have you ever been involved in any animal protection issues?

YES,

Comments:

I sponsor Sheltie Rescue. I have two rescued Shelties. I also have 3 rescued cats.

Q9

Do you have, or have you had in the past, any companion animals that have had an impact on you?

YES,

Comments:

When I was young, I went through a long time where I had no friends - except my dwarf Norwegian Elkhound. When we got him at the pound it was love at first sight. We did everything together from Snow adventures where he was plowing under the snow to swimming in lakes and rivers - he was an amazing swimmer. He helped me get by some of the hardest times in my life.

Q10

Do you financially or philosophically support any local or national animal protection organizations?

YES,

If so, which ones?:

Sheltie Rescue.

Q11

If elected, would you be interested in sponsoring or working on legislation to protect animals?

Yes,

Comments:

Absolutely! My house is a zoo, and that's the way I like it. And I'm wildly allergic to both cats and dogs, but I can't live a life without my furry companions.

Page 4: BAN ON CAT DECLAWING

Q12

Do you support legislation to prohibit non-therapeutic declawing of cats?

YES,

Comment:

Cats use their claws to relieve stress. Declawed cats literally can go insane. I am absolutely against declawing cats. Don't have cats as pets if you want to declaw them. Get a stuffed animal.

Page 5: ARIZONA GAME & FISH COMMISSION

Q13

Do you oppose a process that limits the voice of a majority of Arizonans to participate in the Arizona Game & Fish Commission appointment process?

YES,

Comments:

I had no idea this happened. This is a catastrophe. The anti-science and misogynistic attitude of these right wing thugs needs to be stopped. This is EXACTLY why I am running.

Q14

Do you believe that the AZ Game and Fish Commission Appointment Recommendation Board should be repealed?

YES,

Comments:

Only fully-vetted environmentalists and conservationists should be on this board.

Page 6: CITIZEN INITIATIVE PROCESS AND ANIMAL PROTECTION

Q15

Do you support Arizona's public initiative process?

YES

Q16

If YES, what steps would you take to protect citizen initiatives?

If I win, Democrats will take the senate for the first time. No longer will the will of the people be overridden by greedy sociopaths. They did the same thing with 208.

Page 7: PUPPY MILLS

Q17

Would you support repealing the law that preempts cities from banning the sale of dogs from puppy mills?

YES,

Comments:

I would say I am shocked that this happened, but we have seen the trend. Common sense and wisdom are not traits of our current republican legislature. Puppy farms are cruel and inhumane.

Page 8: ENDANGERED MEXICAN WOLVES

Q18

Do you support keeping Mexican gray wolves in Arizona to help maintain healthy herds of deer and elk?

YES,

Comments:

Seriously, I can't believe this nonsense. John Kavanagh says on his site your group endorsed him 9 times? This can't be true because he literally was involved in each one of these issues on the wrong side of your organization. I really don't think you should support him. He is a terrible human.

Q19

Do you support the protection of endangered species?

YES,

Comments:

I've donated to Greenpeace for more than 20 years, I used to be quite active when whales were being hunted to extinction. I am an avid conservationist and animal lover, and humans have no right to exterminate thousands of species because of their greed.

Page 9: FARM ANIMALS

Q20

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

YES,

Comments:

Every animal deserves to live the best life they can. I am against factory farming and a proponent of free range cultivation.
