

October 29, 2011

**A RESOLUTION OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
OF THE ARIZONA STATE REPUBLICAN PARTY
STATE OF ARIZONA**

**STRONGLY CONDEMNING THE ACTIONS
OF
THE ARIZONA INDEPENDENT REDISTRICTING COMMISSION (AIRC)**

WHEREAS, the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission has knowingly violated its responsibilities for redistricting under Federal and Arizona law including, but not limited to, the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments to the United States Constitution, the Voting Rights Act, 42 U.S.C.A. 1973, *et seq.*; and Article 4 of the Arizona Constitution; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission has failed to demonstrate a sincere commitment to performing its responsibilities in an honest, independent and impartial fashion and to upholding public confidence in the integrity of the redistricting process; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission has knowingly violated its responsibilities for conducting open meetings to the public under Arizona law including, but not limited to, Title 38 of the Arizona Revised Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission has knowingly violated its procurement responsibilities to the public under Arizona law including, but not limited to, Title 41 of the Arizona Revised Statutes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Executive Committee of the Arizona State Republican Party, State of Arizona, strongly condemns the partisan actions of the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission and recommends the following:

1. That Governor Jan Brewer, State of Arizona, remove the five members of the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission in accordance with Article 4 of the Arizona Constitution;
2. That Attorney General Tom Horne, State of Arizona, aggressively continue his criminal investigation and civil litigation against the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission;
3. That the Majority Leadership of the Senate and House of Representatives, State of Arizona, make written redistricting recommendations to the Arizona Independent Redistricting Commission in accordance with Article 4 of the Arizona Constitution that are in the best interest of the State of Arizona, not the Commission's *avored* special interest groups. Recommendations that eliminate the wholesale gerrymandering of Arizona and hijacking of the voters' Constitutional and Democratic Rights.

PASSED & APPROVED this 29th day of October 2011, by a vote of
_____(ayes) to _____(nays) to _____(abstentions) of the Executive Committee
of the Arizona State Republican Party, State of Arizona.

**ARIZONA STATE REPUBLICAN PARTY
STATE OF ARIZONA:**

**by: Tom Morrissey, Chairman
Arizona State Republican Party**

ATTEST:

**Linda White, Secretary
Arizona State Republican Party**

Special delivery to:

Governor Jan Brewer, State of Arizona

Senator Russell Pearce, President, State of Arizona Senate

Representative Andy Tobin, Speaker of the House, State of Arizona House

Attorney General Tom Horne, State of Arizona

Senator John McCain, U.S. Senator, State of Arizona

Senator Jon Kyl, U.S. Senator, State of Arizona

Congressman Paul Gosar, U.S. Congressional District 1, State of Arizona

Congressman Trent Franks, U.S. Congressional District 2, State of Arizona

Congressman Ben Quayle, U.S. Congressional District 3, State of Arizona

Congressman David Schweikert, U.S. Congressional District 5, State of Arizona

Congressman Jeff Flake, U.S. Congressional District 6, State of Arizona