



Dear friend,

This past month, I've been traveling all throughout Arizona to discuss YOUR priorities for the coming year. If you have been to one of my town hall meetings before, you will know that I firmly believe the solutions to today's biggest challenges come from Main Street, not unelected Washington bureaucrats. We need to get back to basics and create an open dialogue between elected leaders and the American people. You have a right to be a part of the solution building process and this can only happen when the opinions and ideas of hard working Arizonans are reflected in decisions made by Congress.

So my challenge to you for this year is simple... make your voice heard. Join me at one of my upcoming events and be a part of the conversation. Your participation will help me better represent you in Congress. Just make sure you bring a smile and a constructive attitude and I promise you that we can tackle today's real problems with practical solutions. Visit <a href="https://www.gosar.house.gov/events">www.gosar.house.gov/events</a> to see when I'll be in your neck of the woods. Keep scrolling to see where I've visited so far this month...

We had a great crowd for the ribbon cutting ceremony on January 9th for the Skyline Regional Park in Buckeye, AZ. Lots of open spaces, 8700 acres and 6 miles of trails with 11 more miles planned by September.





Big shout-out to Boy Scout Troop 598 and Scoutmaster Brandt VanAusdal for participating in the ribbon cutting ceremony.



I had the opportunity to speak with the Gold Canyon Rotary Club where we discussed enforcing our immigration laws, improving the healthcare marketplace and how we are going to change the status quo in Washington D.C.



Had a great meeting last month with the Mayor and Vice Mayor of San Luis, the Mayor of Welton and Laura French with the State Tourism Council.



I've been meeting with teachers and students at Cibola High School in Yuma. These young men and women are doing great and our future is in good hands.



I had the honor of speaking at the opening of the Rose Garden Discovery-Kiosk at the Sharlot Hall Museum in Prescott, Arizona. The Discovery-Kiosk provides digital access to 175 biographies of Arizona women who are honored through the Rose Garden at the Museum. Fred Veil, the Museum Director, was able to give me a tour of this fantastic facility.





We had a great crowd for my first Congress, Cops & Coffee with Sheriff Wilmot, Chief Lekan & Imperial County Lt. Sheppard and our fabulous Yuma folks. Big thanks to our incredible Arizona law enforcement!





Amberly's Place, located in Yuma, Arizona, is a victim center with a crisis response team to assist victims of domestic violence, child abuse, adult sexual assault and elder abuse. State and local officials were in attendance at the grand opening this past month, including keynote speaker Attorney General Mark Brnovich, Yuma County Attorney Jon Smith, Mayor Douglas Nicholls and myself. Read more from the Yuma Sun HERE.



(Picture courtesy of the Yuma Sun)





I attended the open house of the DaVita Dialysis Facility in Cottonwood, AZ. It was great to meet with patients, nurses and administrators to learn about their experience with kidney disease and the life-sustaining dialysis care it requires. Access to high-quality dialysis services is critical to patients and I thank the health care team at DaVita for providing this valuable service in our community.





In January, my Washington D.C. staff escaped the historic east coast snow storms and traveled throughout Arizona's sunny 4th district to meet with constituents. Their trip included a tour of the copper mine in the town of Superior, Arizona. I'm incredibly proud and grateful to have the hardest working staff in Congress backing me up 24/7. Their tireless dedication to serving the people of Arizona embodies the greatest ideals our country was founded on.







# FREEDOMWORKS NAMES GOSAR "CONGRESSMAN OF THE MONTH"

I'm humbled and honored to have been named "Congressman of the Month" by FreedomWorks for the month of February. Click <u>HERE</u> to read more about FreedomWorks and the work they do to promote lower taxes and less government.







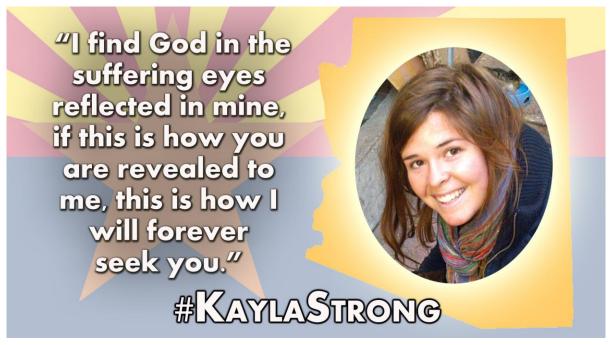
# **INVESTIGATING THE FLINT WATER CRISIS**

Whenever you hear me railing against "big government"...this is why: the incompetence and negligence at the EPA is responsible for not warning the residents of Flint, Michigan that their water was contaminated. Innocent families in Flint were exposed to unsafe levels of lead and copper while the EPA knew about it for almost 7 months and was twiddling their thumbs and downplaying the severity of this contamination. And after all this... no one at the EPA has been held accountable or claimed responsibility. This is the nature of big government. It breeds incompetence, negligence and corruption. Click <u>HERE</u> or the picture below to watch me grill the EPA in an Oversight hearing on Capitol Hill.



# REMEMBERING PRESCOTT'S KAYLA MUELLER... ONE YEAR LATER

It is with a heavy heart that we remember the eternal memory of Prescott's Kayla Mueller who was taken from us one year ago this week. Kayla's story of service, courage and love captured the hearts of people across the world. Kayla's parents have requested, rather than to mourn for Kayla, we should celebrate her incredible life and her commitment to serving the most vulnerable in truth for peace and with compassion and justice. Please click <a href="HERE">HERE</a> or the picture below to learn more about how you can celebrate Kayla's life, including giving your support to The Kayla's Hands Foundation and the Prescott Kiwanis Foundation's current effort to build a playground in her name.



### 2016 CONGRESSIONAL ART COMPETITION

Each spring, a nation-wide high school arts competition is sponsored by the Members of the U.S. House of Representatives. The Congressional Art Competition is an opportunity to recognize and encourage the artistic talent in the nation, as well as in our congressional district. The Congressional Art Competition is open to all high school students in the Fourth District. The over-all winner of our district's competition will be displayed for one year in the U.S. Capitol complex. The exhibit in Washington will also include artwork from other contest winners nation wide. Click <a href="https://example.com/hem2">https://example.com/hem2</a> are contest winners nation wide. Click <a href="https://example.com/hem2">https://example.com/hem2</a> are contest winners nation wide. Click <a href="https://example.com/hem2">https://example.com/hem2</a> are competition is sponsored by the Members of the U.S. Capitol complex in the Example.



# **EASTER CARD COMPETITION**

Let your child get creative this Easter season! The Easter Card Competition is open to all children 13 years old and younger. Submissions should be free-hand art celebrating Easter. Entries on paper no larger than 8.5"x11". Deadline for submission is MONDAY MARCH 7th. Winners will be announced in April. Submit entries via email to Teresa.Martinez@mail.house.gov



# **UPCOMING EVENTS**





# **CONGRESS, COPS & COFFEE**







Join Congressman Paul Gosar & Arizona law enforcement officers for a cup of coffee & a great discussion about today's important issues.

BUCKEYE, AZ - FEBRUARY 18 WICKENBURG, AZ - FEBRUARY 22

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MONDAY FEBRUARY 22ND 1:30-2:30PM WICKENBURG TOWN HALL BUILDING 155 N. TEGNER STREET WICKENBURG, AZ

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I bet you didn't know that I am on <u>Instagram!</u> That is the only place to see all the behind the scenes photos of everything happening on Capitol Hill.

As always, you can follow everything I am working on in Arizona and Washington, D.C. through my website (<a href="http://gosar.house.gov">http://gosar.house.gov</a>) on Twitter @RepGosar, through Facebook at Representative Paul Gosar or on Instagram at RepGosar.

Sincerely,

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Winning the playoff fantasy challenge is but a minor consolation for the excruciating pain of being a Bengals fan.