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To: Interested Parties

Subject: Arizona Voters Support Reforming Senate Rules In Order To Pass Legislation To Protect The Freedom To Vote And Thwart Election Sabotage

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A new poll in Arizona, conducted by Public Policy Polling on behalf of End Citizens United/Let America Vote Action Fund, shows that Arizonans overwhelmingly support the Freedom to Vote Act and strongly support reforming Senate rules in order to pass it.

KEY SURVEY FINDINGS:

- Arizonans are already deeply concerned about the state of our democracy. 53% said there has been an active effort at the Arizona State Legislature to suppress people's freedom to vote, and 83% were concerned about election sabotage and partisan efforts to interfere in election results.
 - Election sabotage in particular was a major concern across all parties, with 79% of Democrats, 86% of Republicans, and 85% of Independents being concerned.
- After hearing a description of the Freedom to Vote Act, 66% of Arizonans supported the legislation.
 - This included 50% of Republicans and 54% of Independents.
 - Description: "The Freedom to Vote Act, which is currently being discussed in the U.S. Senate, is voting and elections legislation that ends dark money, stops partisan gerrymandering, thwarts election sabotage, and protects the freedom to vote for all Americans."
- By a 36-point margin (55%-19%), Arizonans—including 44% of Independents—would be more likely to vote for a senator that supported passing the Freedom to Vote Act than less likely.
- A significant percentage of Arizonans supported reforming the filibuster when framed in real-world, consequential terms. Voters were asked which of the following statements came closer to their point of view: "We need to reform Senate rules in order to get dark money out of politics and protect the freedom to vote. We cannot let politics and process stand in the way of protecting our democracy," or "We need to stick with tradition and preserve the rules of the Senate even if it means failing to pass important legislation to protect our democracy."
 - 57% of voters, including 48% of Independents and 39% of Republicans, said that the statement about needing to reform Senate rules came closer to their view.



- The threat of election sabotage was also a major motivator for Arizonans' support of reforming Senate rules to pass the Freedom to Vote Act. Voters were asked which of the following statements came closer to their point of view: "We need to reform Senate rules in order to stop election sabotage and partisan interference in election results. We cannot let politics or process stand in the way of protecting the integrity of our elections," or "We need to stick with tradition and preserve the rules of the Senate even if it means failing to pass important legislation to stop election sabotage and prevent partisan interference in election results."
 - 59% of voters, including 42% of Republicans and 45% of Independents, said that the statement about needing to reform Senate rules came closer to their view.

Public Policy Polling surveyed 523 Arizona voters from December 27-28, 2021. The margin of error for the poll is +/- 4.3%. 34% of interviews for the survey were conducted by telephone and 66% by text message.