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**To: Interested Parties**

**Subject: Arizona Voters Are Concerned About Voter Suppression, Support Reforming the Filibuster In Order To Pass Voting Rights/Anti-Corruption Legislation**

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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 are concerned about voter suppression in their state and support reforming the filibuster in order to pass a bill like the For The People Act that would get dark money out of politics and protect the freedom to vote.

**KEY SURVEY FINDINGS:**

- 50% of Arizonans, including 31% of Republicans, believe there is an active effort at the Arizona State Legislature to suppress people's freedom to vote and a majority of Arizonans (48%-40%) have an unfavorable view of the audit of Arizona's 2020 election results.
- After hearing a description of the For The People Act, 62% of Arizonans support the legislation, including 51% of Independents.
  - Description: "The For The People Act, which is currently being discussed in the U.S. Senate, is voting and elections legislation that ends dark money, enacts anti-corruption measures, stops partisan gerrymandering, and protects the freedom to vote for all Americans."
- By a 19-point margin (45%-26%), Arizonans would be more likely to vote for a senator that supported passing The For The People 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."
  - 55% of voters said that the statement about needing to reform Senate rules came closer to their view. And there was only a 6-point differential when it came to Republicans—37% said the statement about needing to reform Senate rules came closer to their view, compared to 43% who said the Senate should stick to tradition and preserve the rules.





Public Policy Polling surveyed 589 Arizona voters from July 7-8, 2021. The margin of error is +/- 4.0%. 58% of interviews for the survey were conducted by text message and 42% by telephone.

