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Support- Encourage a Yes Vote

SB 1194- Trauma training for teachers. This measure requires the Department of Ed to offer training for educators and to allow this to count towards ongoing professional development. **Not moving**

SB 1221- SNAP benefits incentivize produce- AZ markets. This would allow those using SNAP benefits to get more “bang for their buck” when purchasing produce.

SB 1323- Increased financial support to Kinship families. Supports children staying with family as opposed to foster care.

SB 1393- Expanded access for high school diploma education for those 18-21 in adult detention.

HB 2414- Diversion program funding- would allow counties to be able to divert non-violent offenders, especially those needing substance abuse support and treatment, from the Justice System.

HB 2422- Coordinated reentry effort for justice release to support substance abuse treatment and behavioral health. This would take what is successfully happening in Yavapai County to the rest of the State.

SCR 1002- One cent sales tax increase for education. CCC&Y recognizes that this will not fully fund the education needs in AZ, however, funds are needed immediately and we cannot wait for a more comprehensive measure to be developed. If this measure should pass, CCC&Y would view it as a starting point for the reversal of cuts to our education system- but not a final solution. **Stalling**

HCR 2001- If passed, measure would go to the voters. It would allow for greater flexibility for schools to educate English as a Second Language learners including allowing dual-language instruction. **Not moving**

Neutral

SB 1224- Voucher expansion for AZ funds to go outside of the State to support specific families on the Navajo Nation. CCC&Y is taking a neutral position so that we do not move against these specific families. However, we would like to note our overall concern with Voucher Expansion and the impacts it has on our general fund and our public education dollars. We continue to call for equal transparency and accountability across all forms of education using State Dollars. Further, we would like to call on both Federal and State leaders to witness the dramatic needs for high quality education in rural Arizona. This applies both on and off tribal lands. The children of Arizona should not need to go outside of the State to seek educational opportunities. **Scheduled for a hearing on 3/11**

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