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Planned Parenthood Action Fund Members Protest Trump's Immigration Speech

Phoenix, AZ – Today, Planned Parenthood Action Fund members protested Donald Trump's disastrous, hateful immigration speech in Arizona as well as John McCain's continued support and endorsement of Trump, making clear that now, more than ever, Arizona women and families demand a champion like Ann Kirkpatrick in the U.S. Senate. During the speech, Trump doubled down on the dangerous, hateful rhetoric and policies that would tear families apart that have become central to his campaign, all of which have gone unchecked by McCain.

Both Trump and McCain share an anti-women's health agenda that would harm Arizonans who need care the most, many of whom are immigrant families or the children of immigrant parents. Ann Kirkpatrick knows that these anti-immigrant and anti-women's health policies are a matter of life or death for many, and supports steps toward comprehensive immigration reform because it improves access to basic health care.

Statement from Antonio Valdovinos, Arizona DREAMer

"John McCain has turned his back on taking a principled stand for Arizona families, choosing the politically expedient route of supporting Donald Trump, a party nominee who is deeply unfit to be president and opposes comprehensive immigration reform. We demand a leader who will be consistent, like Ann Kirkpatrick. A leader that will stand with the Latino community and Arizona families all the time."

Statement from Bryan Howard, President of Planned Parenthood Advocates of Arizona

"Trump's hateful policies – which would rip Arizona families apart – have earned an endorsement from John McCain, making it clear Arizona women and families need Ann Kirkpatrick as their champion in the Senate. While McCain fails to do his job in Congress, Ann Kirkpatrick will fight for women's health, equal pay, and protecting patient access to care at Planned Parenthood's health centers. There's little daylight between Trump and McCain – and Arizona women and families deserve better."

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Planned Parenthood's advocacy and political arm in Arizona, Planned Parenthood Advocates of Arizona (PPAA), is the state's largest nonpartisan advocacy organization dedicated to protecting access to women's health care. PPAA is fighting for every woman's freedom and right to make reproductive choices, enjoy sexual health and wellbeing, and build healthy, strong families. Advocatesaz.org