















# **Reviving Our Local Economy**

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Dear Friend,

This week my legislation, the Southeast Arizona Land Exchange and Conservation Act of 2013 (H.R. 687), was considered by the House Natural Resources Committee. This legislation facilitates a land exchange, which will provide nearly 4,000 new jobs to the local area.



(Rep. Gosar delivers his opening statement at a hearing on his major jobs bill, 03/21/13. Click above or HERE to watch)

After the disappointment throughout Arizona last year, when this critical jobs bill passed the House only to die under Senator Reid's watch in the U.S. Senate, this week's hearing was an important first step toward its final passage this year.

On behalf of the people of Arizona who have waited too long for this piece of legislation, I look forward to bringing this bill back to the floor of the House and seeing the President sign it.

Click <u>HERE</u> to learn more about the bill and to <u>HERE</u> to read letters of support from county, state and organization leaders.

Rep. Gosar Hosts Business Roundtables and Listening Session in Mohave County

On Friday, I hosted a business roundtable in Kingman, as well as a business roundtable and Listening Session in Lake Havasu City.

At the roundtable events many local business leaders and residents expressed their concerns over changes under Obamacare, burdensome regulations and taxes. Thank you to everyone who participated and brought their ideas to the table.



(Rep. Gosar speaks to business owners at a roundtable in Kingman, 03/22/13)

I always encourage everyone to share their ideas with me on how we can find solutions to the problems that face our country. That is why last night's listening session in Lake Havasu was also a success. Those in attendance shared great ideas on everything from job growth to our nation's spending problem.

I look forward to hearing your ideas. If you would like me to come to your area to speak you can always <u>contact my D.C. office</u>.

## **Restore Growth and Opportunity in America**

This week, I voted for "The Path to Prosperity," House Budget Committee Chairman Paul Ryan's Fiscal 2014 budget, as well as the Republican Study Committee's (RSC) alternative budget.



(Rep. Gosar and House Budget Committee Chairman Rep. Paul Ryan)

Though neither plan is perfect, 'The Path to Prosperity' and the RSC alternative budget are better for the American people than the tax and spend proposals offered by President Obama, Senate Democrats and the Progressive Caucus. For more information on each budget read more <u>HERE</u>.

## **Welcoming Business to Arizona**

On Thursday, I invited ammunition magazine manufacturer Magpul Industries Corp. to relocate its plant and any of its willing employees to Arizona in response to the recent passage of stringent gun laws in Colorado.

Arizona is open for business. We invite Magpul executives to tour our beautiful state and relocate to a place that values both business and the Second Amendment.

Click **HERE** to read a copy of my letter to Magpul Industries Corp.

You can also read about the letter in **Townhall**.

Read more about the manufacturer's plans to leave Colorado "almost immediately" in the Denver Post.

Previously, I also invited Remington Arms Company to relocate to Arizona.

#### Arizona Students Visit Washington, D.C.

Students from Young Public School of Young, Arizona visited me on Capitol Hill this week as part of the Washington Workshops Foundation to learn about our legislative process and American government.



(Rep. Gosar poses for a photo with students from Young Public School of Young, Arizona on the Capitol steps, 03/20/13)

If you would like to visit and take a tour of the United States Capitol please visit my website <u>HERE</u>.

#### 3 Years After Obamacare

Today marks the three year anniversary of the government takeover of healthcare.

As I travel throughout my district and meet with constituents it has become difficult to find anyone who fully supports Obamacare.

In fact, in Arizona, those who have been on government healthcare the longest are now seeking private options. The Native American tribes do not want government run healthcare. Neither should we.

Supporting Obamacare is like a chicken supporting Colonel Sanders. This law was defiantly shoved down the throats of the American people and since its passage, the Obama administration wasted no time imposing oppressive and costly new rules upon us.

I will continue to fight against Obamacare and support reform until we have a patient centered healthcare system based on real free market principles.

This week the GOP Doctor's Caucus participated in a discussion focused on Obamacare. When it comes to your healthcare, what the Republicans offer is choice, where the Democrats offer control. Please read more about the discussion in Newsmax HERE.

## **Obamacare Malady of the Week:**

A survey from the Deloitte Center for Health Solutions found that 6 in ten physicians believe their colleagues will retire earlier than planned. Read more HERE.

Also, I recently started compiling on my website all of the Obamacare Maladies that I have shared in the past <u>HERE</u>.

#### MARK YOUR CALANDER

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27th

My staff will hold Constituent Service Hours in Mayer on Wednesday, March 27th.

## MAYER CONSTITUENT SERVICE HOURS

TIME: 1PM-4PM

LOCATION: Mayer Fire District Administrative Office

11975 S. Highway 69 Mayer, AZ 86333

\*Rep. Gosar will not be in attendance

Click **HERE** for more information.

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, or through <a href="facebook">Facebook</a> at Representative Paul Gosar.

Sincerely

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