



A graphic featuring a photograph of Rep. Paul Gosar on the left, wearing a dark blue suit jacket over a light blue shirt, holding a microphone. To the right of the photo is a red and white banner with the text "TAKING BACK the POWER OF THE PURSE". Below this banner is a white box with the text "Rep. Gosar Leads GOP in Appropriations Submissions". Underneath that is the text "including..." followed by a list of five items, each preceded by a right-pointing arrow: "Defunding Obama's Executive Amnesty", "Blocking EPA's WOTUS Rule", "Preventing Bonuses for IRS Employees", "Prioritizing Resources for Veterans", and "Prohibiting Funds for Sanctuary Cities". At the bottom right of the graphic is a small logo for "GOSAR" with "AZ 04" below it.

I firmly believe that it is time for the House of Representatives to take back our Constitutional “power of the purse”. The way we do that is by returning to regular order and utilizing the annual appropriation's process.

This year, I am proud to have submitted more conservative appropriations submissions than any other Republican in the House. That shouldn't come as a surprise to anyone though as I have established a reputation as one of [the most effective members in Congress](#). Eliminating waste, fraud and abuse has been one of my top priorities and in 2015, I led the House in total appropriations amendments passed and cut millions of dollars of wasteful federal spending.

**This process is how we defund Obama's lawlessness**, eliminate wasteful spending and prioritize resources for what's really important like supporting our nation's veterans and securing the border. It's just that simple. The House is given this power to act as a check against a lawless executive branch and hold bureaucrats accountable for their actions.

In total, I personally led **47 different appropriations submissions** in fiscal year 2017 which you can learn more about by clicking [HERE](#).

**\*\*\*YOU ARE INVITED!\*\*\***

## **Rep. Paul Gosar to Host Public Listening Session in Kingman, AZ: “Government Land Grabs, Exposing the Truth”**

Radical special-interest groups are attempting to lock up 1.7 million acres of land in the Grand Canyon Watershed. Under the guise of creating national monuments, the Obama Administration and its environmental allies are sabotaging important energy development, grazing rights, water rights and other recreational activities with the stroke of a pen, regardless of input from communities affected by these designations.

To block this misguided effort, it is crucial to show significant local opposition. Please join me in Kingman, Arizona **TOMORROW Monday April 11, 2016**, to hear testimony and share how this potential designation could negatively impact you!

The entire listening session will be available to watch live on my Facebook page ([www.facebook.com/repgosar](http://www.facebook.com/repgosar)). All the important details are listed below:



# CONGRESSMAN PAUL GOSAR

is hosting a public listening session:



## GOVERNMENT LAND GRABS: EXPOSING THE TRUTH

**WARNING!**  
FEDERAL PROPERTY  
KEEP OUT!



While originally created in good faith, the Antiquities Act of 1906 has been repeatedly abused in order to appease special-interest groups and bypass the legislative process. President Obama has exceeded the intent of this law more than any other American president, designating or expanding 22 national monuments and locking up more than 3 million acres of land. National monument designations under the Antiquities Act typically have significant consequences that negatively affect grazing rights, water rights, wildfire prevention and other land management activities. Our nation's public resources are best managed when the public is intimately involved in the process.



**WHERE** KINGMAN, ARIZONA  
**WHEN** Monday April 11  
**TIME** 8:00-11:00 AM  
**LOCATION** Beale Celebration Center  
201 N. 4th Street, Kingman, AZ

For more information visit  
[www.GOSAR.house.gov](http://www.GOSAR.house.gov)  
or call  
(928) 445-1683





One of my favorite traditions is my annual Easter Card Competition. This year, we had over 1,032 entries this year from students all across the state. The contest was judged by the Buckeye Chamber of Congress, led by Executive Director Deanna Kupcik and the Pinal County Clerk of Courts office, led by Amanda Stanford. I can't wait to personally visit all of the finalists over the next few months to present them with a certificate of recognition. The winners are listed below:

**1st Place Overall - 8 and under**

Kaylyn Ward, Florence Elementary School

**1st Place Overall - 9 and older**

Amara Jeske, Florence Elementary School

**2nd Place Overall - 8 and under**

Natalia Norton, Bales Elementary School of Buckeye

**2nd Place Overall - 9 and older**

Selena Baker, Bales Elementary School of Buckeye

**3rd Place Overall - 8 and under**

Jaden McQuay, Florence Elementary School

**3rd Place Overall - 9 and older**

Amerie Boni, Florence Elementary School

**People's Choice (tie)**

Seth Guthrie, Kingman Boys and Girls Club

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Carrie Moss, Bullhead City Boys and Girls Club

**Best Bunny**



Alyssa Rey, Yuma Boys and Girls Club (*pictured below left*)

**Best Chick/Peep**

Brielle Gleesan, Yuma Boys and Girls Club (*pictured below right*)



**Most Original**

Annika Meyers, Calvary Christian Academy of Lake Havasu City

**Most Colorful**

Emily Rodriguez, Calvary Christian Academy of Lake Havasu City

**Best Easter Basket**

Kya Michaelson, Clarkdale-Jerome Elementary School

**Best Friendship Card**

Jasmine Miller, Peralta Trail Elementary School of Gold Canyon (*pictured below*)



**Most Patriotic**

Shanya Mere, Avalon Elementary School of Apache Junction *(pictured below)*

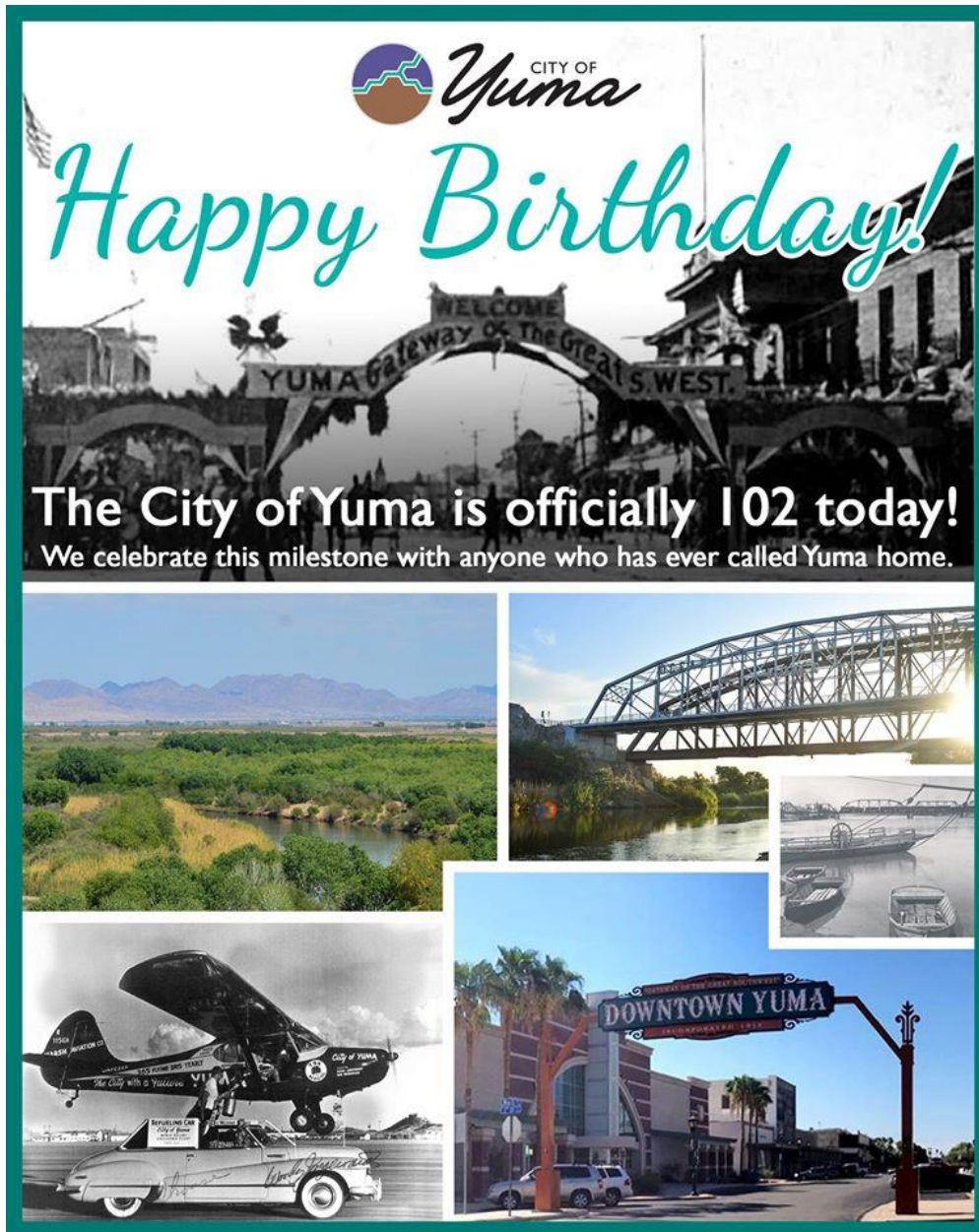


**Postcard Picture Perfect**

Elaina Lavin, Ron Watson Middle School of Yuma

Congratulations to everyone who participated and made this our biggest Easter Card Competition ever!

**PICTURES FROM THE ROAD**



Happy Birthday, Yuma! The City of Yuma officially celebrated it's 102nd birthday this past Thursday!





I'm very grateful for the invitation to speak Thursday with the young ladies of Spring Ridge Academy in Mayer, AZ. As a father of two daughters myself, I can assure you that these students are well prepared for the real world and recognize the importance of understanding civics.



If you ever want to feel humbled... spend some time with Marine Corps veterans. That's exactly what I was honored to do Wednesday morning where I met with these great Americans in Prescott, AZ to discuss solutions on how to deliver better healthcare for veterans living in rural communities.



We had a packed house last Thursday night where I had the opportunity to speak at the Concerned Citizens of America meeting in Sedona!



Spent Friday evening with the great folks from Las Fuentes Resort Village in Prescott discussing Congressional updates.

As always, you can follow everything I am working on in Arizona and Washington, D.C. through my website (<http://gosar.house.gov>) on Twitter @RepGosar, through Facebook at Representative Paul Gosar or on Instagram at RepGosar.

Sincerely,

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Member of Congress





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