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**Arizona Treasurer Kimberly Yee's Statewide  
Financial Literacy Task Force Meeting**

**WHO:** Statewide Financial Literacy Task Force Meeting

**WHAT:** Meeting #9

**WHEN:** Tuesday, June 8, 2021 at 1:00 P.M.

**WHERE:** Webex Virtual Meeting, Register [HERE](#)

**WHY:** The State Treasurer's Financial Literacy Task Force will examine the landscape of financial literacy across Arizona's communities and identify opportunities for improvement.

**DETAILS:** The [Task Force](#) is the next step in Treasurer Yee's longstanding advocacy to increase financial literacy in Arizona. As Treasurer, she has led initiatives to: require Arizona high schools to teach financial education before graduation ([Laws 2019, Chapter 84](#)); establish the Treasurer's Financial Literacy Fund and require the Treasurer to promote financial literacy to Arizona residents ([Laws 2020, Chapter 76](#)); allow families in the TANF program to use financial education to help meet their work requirements ([Laws 2020, Chapter 23](#)); and advance opportunities for families to access AZ529, Arizona's Education Savings Plan ([Laws 2020, Chapter 88](#)). As a member of the Arizona Legislature, she passed laws requiring the state's K-12 academic standards to include financial literacy and established a seal of financial literacy on diplomas that may be earned by graduating high school seniors.

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