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Arizona Treasurer Kimberly Yee’s Statewide
Financial Literacy Task Force Meeting

WHO: Statewide Financial Literacy Task Force Meeting

WHAT: Meeting #10

WHEN: Thursday, September 9, 2021 at 1:30 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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