Treasurer Kimberly Yee’s Statewide Financial Literacy Task Force Meeting

WHO: Statewide Financial Literacy Task Force Meeting

WHAT: Meeting #8

WHEN: Tuesday, March 2, 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 529 College Savings Plans (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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