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Kirsten Engel Raises \$431,000 in Q2

Engel posts impressive fundraising number, gains critical endorsements in 11 weeks since launch

TUCSON — Today Kirsten Engel announced she will report raising just over \$431,000 just 11 weeks after launching her campaign on April 12.

“I’m incredibly grateful to everyone who chipped in to power our movement to send Juan Ciscomani packing,” said Engel. “Our early success is due to our grassroots supporters. We don’t take corporate PAC money — we have the people of Arizona. And they’re ready to take back their district.”

“Last cycle, Kirsten came within 1.5 points of beating anti-abortion extremist and McCarthy lackey Juan Ciscomani in one of the closest contests of the nation,” said spokesperson Wes Share. “In just 11 weeks since her launch this cycle, we’ve won early support from organizations like EMILY’s List, Elect Democratic Women, and Moms Fed Up, and leaders like Senator Mark Kelly, Attorney General Kris Mayes, and Congressman Ruben Gallego. Kirsten’s impressive first filing this cycle shows we will raise the resources to win in November.”

Last cycle, Engel nearly defeated Republican Congressman Juan Ciscomani despite Republican-aligned groups overwhelming Democratic efforts by a 6-1 margin. Engel faces Ciscomani again in one of top flip opportunities for Democrats in the nation. The race, [as reported by the Arizona Republic last week](#), is seen as a referendum on Ciscomani’s anti-abortion extremist record.

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Kirsten Engel is a seasoned legislator with experience working across the aisle. She is a lawyer and law professor specializing in environmental law. She and her husband have a college-aged daughter. Kirsten has a record of drive and determination and she'll



bring those qualities to the fight to make our communities better, safer, and more equitable for every family and child.