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Senator Mark Kelly Endorses Kirsten Engel for Congress

(Tucson) – Today Kirsten Engel was endorsed by U.S. Senator Mark Kelly.

"Kirsten has proven she will put Arizonans first and is focused on what matters, like how we build an economy that creates more great-paying jobs in our state," Kelly said in a statement. "And a year after the *Dobbs* decision took our country backward, southern Arizona needs her in Congress to stop a national abortion ban and fight to restore the rights of women to make their own health care decisions. Kirsten has my support and I look forward to working with her in Congress."

"I'm humbled, grateful and thrilled to have Senator Kelly's support," said Engel. "I've long admired both his and his wife's commitment to service, and I look forward to working with Mark to win back this seat.."

Kelly joins a growing list of local and national endorsements including EMILYs List, Arizona Attorney General Kris Mayes, and former Congresswoman Ann Kirkpatrick and former Congressman Ron Barber.

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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.