



## **AZ Green Chamber Endorses Anna Tovar for Arizona Corporation Commission**

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The Arizona Green Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce its endorsement of Anna Tovar for Arizona Corporation Commission in the 2020 General Election. This endorsement is based on Ms. Tovar's answers to a survey electronically sent each candidate in June 2020. The quotes below are selections from Ms. Tovar's response to the survey. The survey included a broad swath of sustainability issues, from water and waste, to renewable energy and sustainable food systems.

When asked what policies, strategies or incentives would she pursue or support to encourage the growth of renewable energy jobs, Ms. Tovar commented: *"I am a strong supporter of renewable energy and will actively work to create policies that will lead Arizona to a 100% renewable energy portfolio. It makes both economic and environmental sense to pursue this goal."*

Ms. Tovar added, *"As an elected official, I will work with the public and private sectors to pursue realistic solutions to create a mix of grid and distributed generation based renewable energy and storage solutions that will sustainably meet our needs for the future. It will be one of my top priorities as a Corporation Commissioner."*

Responding to a question about carbon emissions and air pollution in Arizona, Ms. Tovar was strongly aligned with the Arizona Green Chamber, commenting: *"I fully support a carbon neutrality goal, and would ideally like to see a Clean Energy Standard of net zero carbon emission by 2045. Furthermore, I would like to extend and expand our current Energy Efficiency Standards, as well as increase our Renewable Energy Standard and Tariff."*

For more than a decade, the Arizona Green Chamber has worked hard to...

- Promote innovative green business ideas
- Publicize green businesses
- Enable and educate businesses how to become green or greener
- Advocate for and organize green businesses to impact public policy in a non-partisan way
- Connect green businesses with customers.

The Arizona Green Chamber is a non-partisan 501(c)6 organization that serves as a portal of information, resources and connectivity, aligning companies of all sizes and other community organizations, agencies and municipalities to address the need for economic growth in Arizona that is sustainable and environmentally responsible. We envision Arizona as a leader for socially responsible and diverse "green" businesses and industries that create a stronger and more resilient state economy.

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