

Your YES vote on May 18th is crucial to the health, safety and well-being of all Arizonans.

Proposition 100 is a temporary, three-year, one-cent sales tax that will constitutionally repeal on May 31, 2013.

If Proposition 100 doesn't pass, we all lose:

- K-12 education will face additional teacher lay-offs, larger class sizes, the loss of all funding for textbooks, software and other curriculum materials the loss of music, art, PE, free high school sports, and more.
- Hospitals will be forced to lay-off staff, cut services and shift costs to insurance plans, causing private health insurance premiums to rise.
- The Department of Public Safety, which funds highway patrol officers, will receive a cut of \$10.9 million dollars, likely resulting in lay-offs of officers and staff, and increased response times.
- Jobs will be lost. According to a University of Arizona Eller School study, 20,500 people will lose their jobs in both the private and public sectors.
- The Department of Economic Security, which funds Child Protective Services, childcare, adoption services and foster care will sustain a ten percent cut.
- Our state universities and community colleges will lose an additional \$121 million. Universities will be forced to cut even more positions, reduce programs and limit financial aid at the same time they are being forced to raise tuition.
- State prison inmates will be transferred to county jails causing a permanent increase in county property taxes to pay for the increase in prisoners, possible housing of Pima County prisoners in vacant hotels and recently closed schools, the housing in county jails of prisoners convicted of far more serious crimes than those now held in county jails, and the potential early release of convicted felons.

We all love Arizona and want it to be a great place to live and a great place to relocate to. The first step is a YES vote on May 18th. Then, this fall we can vote to improve our legislature. We do have the power to change our future if we act now.

VOTE YES ON MAY 18TH!

If you have more questions about Proposition 100, please go to the Arizona Education Network's Q & A section about Proposition 100: <http://www.arizonaeducationnetwork.com>.