

## **Resolution Against Fracking in Arizona**

WHEREAS, clean and safe water and air is essential to the environment, health, welfare and prosperity of Arizona and its residents;

WHEREAS, hydraulic fracturing, or fracking, to recover helium, oil, gas and any other substance would damage air and critical aquifers that provide water to Arizona residents;

WHEREAS, a bill regulating fracking was introduced in the Legislature during the 2017-2018 session and was bottled up in committee without hearing by the Republican majority;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the Arizona Democratic Party encourages the state Legislature and federal agencies to ban fracking within the state to protect the air and water supply;

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Reference: <https://www.scientificamerican.com/article/shallow-fracking-wells-may-threaten-aquifers/>