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# 53<sup>rd</sup> Legislature Second Regular Session Overview

# A Session to Remember





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# Arizona Legislature

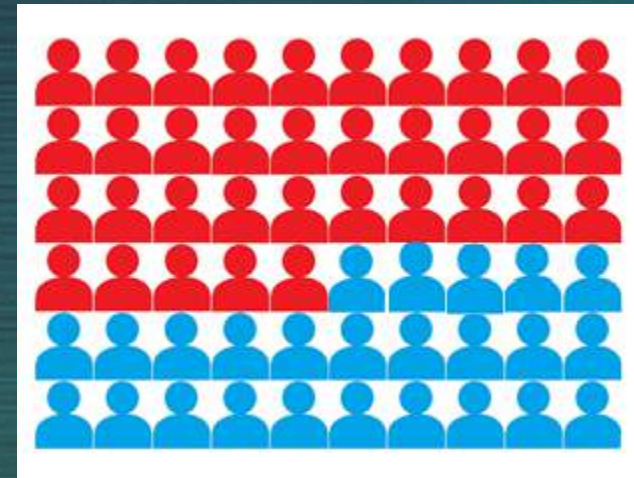


# Arizona Legislature

## House of Representatives

Republicans – 35

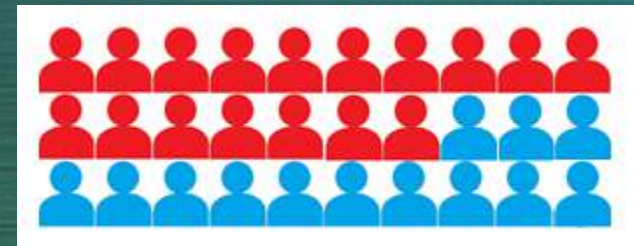
Democrats – 25



## Senate

Republicans – 17

Democrats – 13



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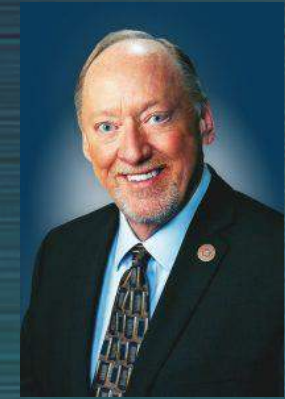
Days – 116  
Bills Introduced – 1,166

19 True Freshmen in the House  
J.D. Mesnard (R – Chandler) Speaker  
Steve Yarbrough (R – Chandler) President

General Effective Date – August 3

# Turnover

- Senator Debbie Lesko
- Senator Steve Montenegro
- Senator Sine Kerr
- Senator Rick Gray
- Representative Phil Lovas
- Representative Jesus Rubalcava
- Representative Don Shooter
- Representative Tim Dunn
- Representative Geraldine Peten
- Representative Ben Toma



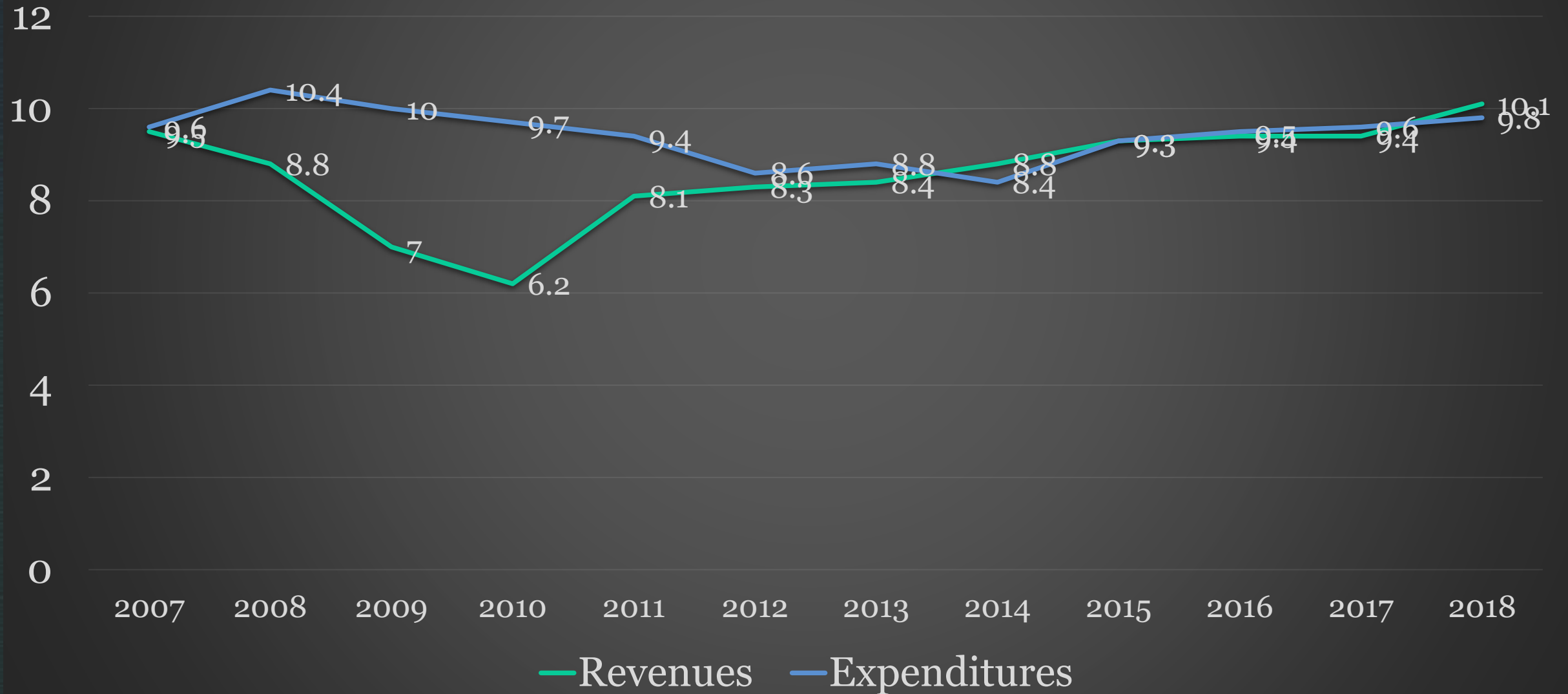
# 2019 Budget





# Arizona Budget

In Billions



# 20X2020

## K-12 EDUCATION

### **Arizona School for the Deaf and Blind**

89. As session law, allow Arizona Schools for the Deaf and Blind to use monies in the Telecommunications Fund for the Deaf to Support the expansion of the Birth to Three program.

### **Department of Education**

#### *Formula Requirements*

90. As permanent law, increase the base level (A.R.S. § 15-901B2), the transportation funding levels (A.R.S. § 15-945A5) and the charter school “Additional Assistance” amounts (A.R.S. § 15-185B4) by 1.80% for standard inflation.
91. As permanent law, increase the base level by an additional \$210.50 (5.72%) for FY 2019 to incorporate 1) \$65,419,100 for the 1.06% Additional Teacher Salary Increases for FY 2018 and FY 2019 combined (2.12% total) already funded in the FY 2019 Baseline, 2) an additional \$176,200,000 for teacher pay raises in FY 2019, and 3) an additional \$64,100,000 for teacher pay raises in FY 2019 as a bridge to higher Proposition 301 funding that will be available to schools in FY 2022 due to expiring SFB debt service.

#### *Funding Formula Changes*

92. As session law, reduce the \$352,442,700 District Additional Assistance suspension and \$18,656,000 Charter Additional Assistance suspension to \$257,469,900 and \$13,628,800, respectively, in FY 2019, and phase out the remaining suspensions by FY 2023.

- Teachers receive a 20% pay increase
- Phased in over a three-year period
- Ongoing
- Funded by economic growth

# Business Legislation



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HB 2005 – Municipal Economic Development; Sale; Lease	(Became Public Service Co. Bill)
HB 2017 – State Land Department Continuation	(SIGNED)
HB 2126 – Government Property; Abatement; Slum and Blight	(SIGNED)
HB 2153 – Campaign Finance; Non-Profits; Disclosure	(SIGNED)
HB 2166 – Vehicle Fees; Alternative Fuels VLT	(SIGNED)
HB 2167 – Arizona Commerce Authority; Continuation Requirements	(SIGNED)
HB 2280 – Universities; Lease-Back Financing	(FAILED)
HB 2603 – Corporations; Blockchain Technology	(SIGNED)
HB 2434 – Financial Products; Regulatory Exemption Program	(SIGNED)
SB 1147 – County Excise Tax; Transportation	(FAILED)
SB 1392 – TPT; Digital Goods and Services	(FAILED)
SCR 1005 – Initiatives Requiring Expenditures; Ten-Year Repeal	(FAILED)

# Upcoming Issues



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Education Funding

Transportation Funding

State Retirement

Disruptive Industries

Water

Clean Energy



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