



December 4, 2019

To: The Honorable Lisa Murkowski, Chair  
The Honorable Joe Manchin, Ranking Member  
US Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

**Re: Nomination of Ms. Kate MacGregor for Deputy Secretary of the Interior**

Arizona Sportsmen for Wildlife Conservation (AZSFWC) is a 501c-3 non-profit organization dedicated to wildlife conservation, habitat work, youth recruitment and retention, as well as educating sportsmen and women on issues important to their passions.

AZSFWC consists of 41 member, affiliate, and associate groups that reach across the spectrum of hunting, angling, shooting, outdoor recreation and businesses from all across Arizona. Our member groups represent in excess of 10,000 sportsmen and women from Arizona.

AZSFWC and twenty seven (27) of our member and affiliate organizations join the Congressional Sportsmen's Foundation and other groups voicing support for Ms. MacGregor's nomination for the Deputy Secretary of the Interior.

AZSFWC believes her past experience, coupled with her work on access opportunities on both federal lands and waters are particularly important for Arizona sportsmen and women. Arizona has 23.5 million acres of publicly accessible National Forest and Bureau of Land Management lands which provide fish and wildlife with irreplaceable habitat. Enhancing access to those lands and waters are critical in continuing to provide sportsmen and women with opportunities to hunt, fish and recreate.

Thank you for considering our input on this nomination!

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Executive Director

AZSFWC letter supporting Kate MacGregor for Deputy Secretary of the Interior – 12-4-19

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