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## House Committee on Federalism, Private Rights, and Public Policy Passes Article V Legislation Sponsored by Majority Whip Townsend

**STATE CAPITOL, PHOENIX** – House Majority Whip Kelly Townsend (R-16) applauded the House Committee on Federalism, Property Rights, and Public Policy's passage of her resolution (HCR 2010) calling for a constitutional convention for the purpose of proposing amendments to the U.S. Constitution regarding fiscal restraint, limited federal power, and term limits on members of Congress.

"Arizona sits poised to join the increasing number of states seeking to call an Article V convention to propose amendments to the Constitution," said House Majority Whip Townsend. "I am pleased that HCR 2010 has passed out of committee and thank the grassroots supporters for their tireless efforts on the advancement of this resolution."

In order to convene a constitutional convention, the U.S. Congress must receive applications from the legislatures of two-thirds of the states.

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