

Senator Jeff Flake
Senate Russell Office Building 413
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Flake,

As an Arizona voter, I strongly encourage you to vote NO on the Supreme Court nomination of Brett Kavanaugh. Judge Kavanaugh's testimony before the Senate Judiciary Committee has revealed that while he "believes in the law," and professes to believe in "equality," he does not believe in using the law to ensure equality for women or for religious, ethnic, and language minority groups. Sadly, he also seems to reject legal remedies that ensure voting rights and that protect against voter suppression.

Furthermore, his relative silence on the issue of LGBT civil rights showed that he may be poised to roll back protections already in place.

His devotion to the sanctity of executive power is extremely troubling.

Equally serious are the issues of honesty/dishonesty that emerged in the confirmation hearing. During his years as a political appointee in the Bush White House, he left a paper trail of eagerness to use stolen documents for political purposes. Had he come clean about this during his earlier nomination hearings, this could have been put to rest. As they say, it's the coverup that gets you.

From the moment he made false claims of being "the most vetted candidate in history," he has revealed that he is willing to lie, cheat, and steal to attain a lifelong dream. I encourage you to use your truth-telling instincts to block this unfortunate nomination.

Sincerely,

Caroline Tompkins
Arizona native