RECOMMENDATION TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

FROM:

President Jan Leighton

RECOMMENDATION:

To affirm the endorsement of Craig Sanford as a candidate for 2023-2024 NAR treasurer and approve up to \$150,000 for his campaign assistance pursuant to the Arizona REALTORS[®] bylaws and policies.

BACKGROUND:

Craig Sanford was endorsed by the Arizona REALTORS[®] NAR Directors as candidate for 2023-2024 NAR Treasurer at the October 2020 Board of Directors Meeting. NAR has been notified of Arizona's endorsement by President Mary Roberts in 2020 and President Jan Leighton in 2021. Craig is now an official candidate pursuant to the NAR process.

The Arizona REALTORS® Policies provide:

F.1 – ENDORSEMENTS AND NOMINATIONS OF CANDIDATES FOR NAR POSITIONS. . .

The Executive Committee and AAR National Directors, by majority vote, shall have the authority to select and endorse candidates from Arizona to seek NAR officer/positions to include NAR Treasurer, NAR First Vice President, NAR Regional Vice President and/or member of the NAR Nominating Committee representing NAR Region 11.

F.2 – NAR OFFICER CANDIDATE ASSISTANCE

The Association shall assist an Arizona or Region 11 REALTOR[®] who gains AAR support as provided in AAR Policy seeking one of the following NAR officer positions:

- AAR member seeking NAR Regional Vice President, Region 11.
- AAR or Region 11 member seeking NAR Treasurer or higher position.

Member must be an "official candidate" per NAR or Region 11 Nominating process. The maximum aggregate assistance per office sought shall be:

- AAR member seeking NAR Regional Vice President, Region 11 up to \$15,000
- AAR member seeking NAR Treasurer or higher position up to \$150,000
- Region 11 member seeking NAR Treasurer or higher position- up to \$20,000

BUDGET IMPACT:

None from Operating. UP TO \$150,000 FROM OPERATING RESERVES

MOTION:

TO AFFIRM THE ENDORSEMENT OF CRAIG SANFORD AS A CANDIDATE FOR 2023-2024 NAR TREASURER AND APPROVE UP TO \$150,000 FOR HIS CAMPAIGN ASSISTANCE PURSUANT TO THE ARIZONA REALTORS® BYLAWS AND POLICIES.

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