

Greetings all you amazing and strong Indivisibles!!

Congress is on recess from Apr. 12 to Apr. 27, please see the attached "Stop the Cuts" call to action from Indivisible, and two Ciscomani-related events in the upcoming week.

OUTLINE

1. Upcoming Events

Sun. Apr. 13, 6:00 p.m. People's Town Hall CD6

Tue. Apr. 15, 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Ciscomani's Office

Tue. Apr. 15, 1 p.m. Hands Off Social Security Rally

Thu. Apr. 17, 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. Ciscomani's Office

Thu. Apr. 17, 3:00 p.m. Contact Your State Legislators at Beyond Bread

2. Minutes from previous Ciscomani meeting 4/7, zoom link for next Ciscomani meeting 4/21

3. Stop the Cuts! April Recess Playbook from Indivisible

4. Ezra & Leah "What's the Plan?" Indivisible weekly video

5. Ways to prepare in case the Insurrection Act is invoked.

6. Next monthly ITAA all-membership meeting, Mon. May 5, 3:30 p.m.

DETAILS

6 announcements this Sunday.

1. Upcoming Events this week. These events plus those in the week beyond the upcoming week can be found on the website: <https://www.indivisibleucson.org/itaa-events.html>

A. **Sun. Apr. 13, 6:00 p.m. People's Town Hall CD6 with Sen. Kelly** and others -- THIS EVENT IS ALREADY FULL (<https://democrats.org/peoples-town-halls/>)

B. **Tue. Apr. 15, 9:00 - 11:00 a.m., protest outside Rep. Ciscomani's office**, 1636 N Swan Road. Organized by Honest Arizona. <https://www.honestarizona.org/>

C. **Tue. Apr. 15, 1 p.m. Hands Off Social Security Rally**. Tuesday, April 15, 2025 1:00 PM, Social Security Office, 3808 N 1st Ave, Tucson, AZ 85719. RSVP https://actionnetwork.org/event_campaigns/hands-off-social-security

D. **Thu. Apr. 17, 9:00 - 11:00 a.m., protest outside Rep. Ciscomani's office**, 1636 N Swan Road. Organized by LD18 Democrats. <https://ld18dems.org/>

E. **Thu. Apr. 17, 3:00 p.m. in-person gathering on the topic of "Contact Your State Legislators" at Beyond Bread.**

Join your fellow ITAA members for a “**Contact Your State Legislators**” day on Thursday, April 17 at 3:00 pm at Beyond Bread, 3026 N. Campbell. Bring your phones and laptops or tablets, and we'll provide some sample scripts addressing appropriation bills and other legislative issues. ***Have a drink (non-alcoholic) and pastry on ITAA.*** Hope to see you there. Limited to first 25 who RSVP due to space limitations. RSVP to indivisibletucson@proton.me

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2. Minutes from previous Ciscomani meeting 4/7, zoom link for next Ciscomani meeting 4/21

Unrepresentative Ciscomani Team Meeting Synopsis, Apr 7, 2025, by Paula

The team met via Zoom on April 7. Potential co-lead Billie Jo would like to have ITAA be a clearinghouse for *all* federal issues. Paula Hartgraves will also take a leadership role.

We heard reports from two subgroups: the **Unseating Ciscomani group**, working on holding CD6 primary candidates' town halls for the 2026 election, and the **Ciscomani Voting Record group** working to get the word out about his disastrous voting record. Ciscomani will likely vote in favor of the Save Act. Call your reps & senators! You can use: 5 Calls app (<https://5calls.org/getting-started/>)

Jim Lewison is working on his excellent "**two-faced Ciscomani**" flyers to highlight Ciscomani's duplicity and voting record. To be distributed in the future at rallies, tabling events, etc.

Bernadette Ruiz, who worked on Kristin Engel's campaign, spoke at length about the **2024 CD6 election**, post-election analysis, and Kristin Engel's decision to not run again for the CD6 seat.

Guest speaker **Chris Donat** spoke to the team about his campaign for CD 6 in 2026. Chris is an engineer who seeks to use highly technical solutions for our most pressing issues, ie. AI, automation, and infrastructure. Issues of concern for him include funding high speed rail, a strong focus on water policy including desalination and innovative agricultural systems, and an increase in solar and nuclear energy to help combat the rising need for more energy due to a warming climate. For more info: <https://donat4az6.com/>

The next Unrepresentative Ciscomani ITAA Team Meeting is scheduled for Monday, April 21 at 4 pm.

The Zoom invite will be repeated in the Apr. 20 Announcements.

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3. Stop the Cuts! April Recess Playbook from Indivisible

Indivisible.org is calling on us to turn up the heat on our Republican representatives in Congress during their extended April recess.

The recess provides an opportunity to step up our efforts to weaken Rep. Juan Ciscomani's support of Trump's toxic agenda. In particular Indivisible suggests we focus on challenging likely votes for the Republicans' proposed slash-and-burn budget. Because Ciscomani will probably be in Tucson, it's imperative that he sees that his constituents are continuing to show up at his 1636 N. Swan Road office in Tucson in protest.

Two Swan Road demonstrations have been scheduled for next week: on Tuesday, April 15, from 9 to 11; and on Thursday, April 17, starting at 9.

Let's swell the numbers who are there to demand that Ciscomani STOP THE CUTS. Please come and bring a friend, so that we can remind Ciscomani that the ranks of his fed-up voters are growing.

If you are not able to participate in one or both of these protests, Indivisible.org has prepared a playbook outlining a number of "Stop the Cuts" activities you undertake during the congressional recess.

["Stop the Cuts" playbook attached as a pdf to this email.](#)

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4. Ezra & Leah "What's the Plan?" Indivisible weekly video

Tricia, AZ Indivisible leader, says, "Almost all the questions in my inbox can be answered by Thursday's What's the Plan Leah/Ezra recording:"

<https://youtu.be/g9xwNQMyV1k?si=ShDvJ3RkUx6UWLcy>

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5. Ways to prepare in case the Insurrection Act is invoked.

a. Could Trump Invoke the Insurrection Act? What to Know—and How to Prepare

<https://indivisible.org/resource/could-trump-invoke-insurrection-act-what-know-and-how-prepare>

b. What to do if the Insurrection Act is invoked

<https://wagingnonviolence.org/2025/04/what-to-do-if-the-insurrection-act-is-invoked/>

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