

Tom Horne was a member of the school board for Arizona's third-largest district for 24 years, 10 as its president. He served in the Arizona Legislature and was chairman of the academic accountability committee. On July 11, 2000, the Arizona Republic wrote that Tom Horne, "raises the level of debate at the state Legislature by several notches all by himself." He was Arizona Supt of Schools from 2003-2011 and then Arizona Attorney General. He has been a Judge Pro-Tem and taught legal writing at the ASU Law School. He has served in every branch of government: executive, legislative, judicial, and local. He is a graduate of Harvard College magna cum laude and the Harvard Law School with honors.