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MEMORANDUM

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DATE:

April 15, 2024

TO:

Melissa Manriquez, Clerk of the Board

FROM:

Adelita Grijalva, Chair and District Five Supervisor

REGARDING:

Item for the May 7, 2024 Agenda

Please add the following to the May 7, 2024 Agenda:

Proclamation

Declaring Saturday, May 11, 2024 to be "National Association of Letter Carriers Food Drive Day." (District 5)

Thank you

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the National Association of Letter Carriers (NALC) Branch 704 represents all letter carriers in Tucson and those of many other post offices in Southern Arizona; and

WHEREAS, NALC Branch 704, the United States Postal Service, and the AFL-CIO have partnered with local community food banks for the past sixteen years for the annual Letter Carriers Food Drive; and

WHEREAS, the annual Letter Carriers Food Drive was initiated in 1991 to assist the many community food banks, food pantries and homeless shelters throughout the nation; and

WHEREAS, the annual Letter Carriers Food Drive effort is a community-based endeavor and all food items donated remain within each local community to serve that community's needs; and

WHEREAS, in 2023 NALC Branch 704's letter carriers collected nearly 300,000 pounds of food and \$20,000 in cash in Southern Arizona.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims Saturday, May 11, 2024, to be:

"NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LETTER CARRIERS FOOD DRIVE DAY"

and encourages all Pima County residents to join in this important effort by leaving food items near tier mailboxes on Saturday, May 11, 2024, for letter carriers to pick up as they make their rounds.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 7th day of May 2024.

The Honorable Adelita S. Grijalva, Chair Pima County Board of Supervisors
ATTEST:
Melissa Manriquez, Clerk Pima County Board of Supervisors