

MEMORANDUM

To: Melissa Manriquez, Clerk of the Board
Pima County Board of Supervisors

Date: June 13, 2023

Re: Agenda Item for August 21, 2023 Meeting

From: Rex Scott
District 1 Supervisor
Pima County Board of Supervisors

Please place the following item on the agenda for the Board of Supervisors meeting August 21, 2023.

Proclamation for United States Submarine Service Veterans Week in Pima County

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the United States Submarine Veterans Inc. (USSVI) will hold its national convention in Pima County from August 28 to September 3, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the convention will be hosted by the 80 members of the USSVI-Tucson Base for 500 to 600 of the more than 11,000 group members nationally; and

WHEREAS, the 2020 USSVI convention was supposed to be held in Pima County but was cancelled because of the pandemic; and

WHEREAS, the creed of submarine veterans is, in part, "to perpetuate the memory of our shipmates who gave their lives in the pursuit of their duties while serving our country;" and

WHEREAS, today the U.S. submarine service plays a critical role as a first-strike force and ballistic missile submarines roam the oceans as a deterrent against enemy attack; and

WHEREAS, nearly 4,000 submarine sailors have given their lives while defending this great country; and

WHEREAS, Pima County welcomes the 2023 United States Submarine Veterans convention and all those who attend.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims August 28 through September 3, 2023, to be:

"UNITED STATES SUBMARINE VETERANS WEEK IN PIMA COUNTY"

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 21st day of August, 2023.

The Honorable Adelita S. Grijalva, Chair
Pima County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Melissa Manriquez, Clerk
Pima County Board of Supervisors