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**PIMA COUNTY**

**MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** September 25, 2017  
**TO:** Julie Castañeda, Clerk of the Board  
**FROM:** Richard Elías, District Five Supervisor   
**REGARDING:** Item for the October 3, 2017 agenda addendum

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Please add the following to the October 3, 2017 agenda addendum:

**Proclamation**

Declaring the month of October 2017 to be "Careers in Construction Month." (District 5)

Thank you

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## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, the construction industry is one of the largest industries in the United States, employing more than five million workers; and

**WHEREAS**, construction craft professionals play a critical role in Pima County's economy and in the development of the local workforce; and

**WHEREAS**, many local construction and engineering companies, utilities, workforce agencies and educational institutions – including the University of Arizona, Pima Community College and Joint Technical Education District – are organizing the Fourth Annual Southern Arizona Construction Career Days on October 25 and 26 at the Tucson Rodeo Grounds where high school students will learn that education and training can lead to good-paying jobs with advancement opportunities; and

**WHEREAS**, more than 1,000 high-school students from across Southern Arizona are expected to participate in hands-on demonstrations, to operate heavy equipment and to visit with local construction industry professionals at career and college booths; and

**WHEREAS**, recognition of this event will increase public awareness and appreciation of the local collaboration and the potential benefits to our community's young people, our economy and our way of life.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims the month of October 2017 to be:

### **“CAREERS IN CONSTRUCTION MONTH”**

and encourages all residents to seek information about the many benefits of a career in construction at Southern Arizona Construction Career Days, and to celebrate the contribution that construction professionals make to our infrastructure and economy.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 3rd day of October 2017.

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The Honorable Sharon Bronson, Chair  
Pima County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

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Julie Castañeda, Clerk  
Pima County Board of Supervisors