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I am Sharon Fickes, legal resident of Pima County Contact [REDACTED]  
Following are my comments for the 10-17-23 Board of Supervisors meeting

**Agenda Item #29 HOPE Am#2 transitioning peer support services**

The goal of this organization appears necessary and appropriate for transitioning. BUT nothing makes this opportunity mandatory. Until a Judge puts this transitioning as a mandatory part of release with further evaluation, it will probably have few participants and nominal success. The old saying applies here: "you can lead a horse to water but can't make them drink." **VOTE NO** until mandatory participation is part of the plan.

God Bl\ess America  
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