

## PIMA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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# **MEMORANDUM**

DATE:

December 5, 2013

TO:

FROM:

**REGARDING:** 

Richard Elías, District Five Supervisor Item for the December 10, 2013 agenda addendum

Please add the following to the December 10, 2013 agenda addendum:

#### **Proclamation**

Declaring December 10, 2013 to be "Dr. Alvin Lewis Day." (District 5)

Thank you



# **PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Alvin Lewis is retiring from Pima Community College after 17 years of outstanding service teaching Social Services there; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Lewis has gone far beyond his teaching duties at Pima Community College to work part time as a substance-abuse counselor at Pima County Juvenile Court Center, to chair the Social Services Department from 1998 to 2007, to teach summer school each of the last 15 summers, to serve on the PCC Faculty Senate, to serve on several PCC Faculty Search Committees, and to serve on other ad hoc committees associated with the college; and

**WHEREAS**, the community has benefited from the outside work of Dr. Lewis as a therapist at Las Familias and at Southern Arizona Mental Health Center, as an adjunct professor for the University of Arizona, Arizona State University and University of Phoenix, and as a participant on several advisory boards; and

**WHEREAS**, he has been a member and officer of the National Association of Social Workers, the Arizona Counselor Association, the Arizona Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, and the American Psychological Association; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Lewis goes out of his way to help students find employment and obtain professional licenses; and

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Lewis holds a doctorate in Child Development, is the author of three books, and is nearing completion of a fourth book;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims Tuesday, December 10, 2013, to be:

### "DR. ALVIN LEWIS DAY"

and congratulates him on his retirement after an excellent and memorable career at Pima Community College in its Social Services Department.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 10th day of December 2013.

	Chairman, Pima County Board of Supervisors
ATTEST:	
Clerk of the Board	