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Dear Chair Scott and Members of the Board,

On behalf of the Metropolitan Pima Alliance (MPA), I am writing to express our strong support for the Pima Prospers 2025 Comprehensive Plan update, particularly the thoughtful and forward-looking approach to land use planning reflected in the Final Draft.

MPA commends the County's commitment to inclusive stakeholder engagement and evidence-based policy development throughout this process. The updated land use legend and map, along with the rezoning and special area policies, reflect a balanced vision that promotes sustainable growth, economic vitality, and regional collaboration.

We especially appreciate the integration of housing, energy, and water resource considerations supported by the Drachman Institute's research, which align with MPA's priorities for smart development and long-term resilience. The plan's flexibility in accommodating diverse community needs while maintaining clarity for developers and jurisdictions is a testament to the County's leadership.

We urge the Board of Supervisors to adopt the Final Draft as presented and continue fostering transparent, collaborative planning that honors the voices of our region.

Thank you for your dedication to this important work.

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