

## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, Pima County joins the nation in recognizing August as Child Support Awareness Month and reaffirms its commitment to strengthening Arizona's families by providing child-support services to improve the economic stability and well-being of children; and

**WHEREAS**, Pima County recognizes the State of Arizona's commitment to advocacy for our children, whose safety and security remains top of mind; and

**WHEREAS**, a child who receives emotional and financial support is more likely to feel safe and secure and is better equipped with the courage to be their very best in life; and

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Economic Security's Division of Child Support Services (DCSS) is robustly committed to putting Arizona's children first and to humbly serving Arizonans with excellence, respect, integrity and kindness, as well as being an overall champion for economic growth and opportunity; and

**WHEREAS**, DCSS is a strong advocate for shared parenting responsibilities because parents and children benefit when both parents are engaged with their child at every stage of life, regardless of marital status; and

**WHEREAS**, strengthening individuals and families with an emphasis on fiscal responsibility promotes the safety and well-being of children, provides stability, improves the lives of children and provides opportunities for families to be able to enhance their children's future; and

**WHEREAS**, Child Support Awareness Month salutes diligent parents who spend time with their children and make regular child-support payments to safeguard their children's future.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims the month of August 2022 to be:

### **“CHILD SUPPORT AWARENESS MONTH”**

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 2nd day of August 2022.

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The Honorable Sharon Bronson, Chair  
Pima County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

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Melissa Manriquez, Clerk  
Pima County Board of Supervisors