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MEMORANDUM

DATE:

February 16, 2016

TO:

Robin Brigode, Clerk of the Board

FROM:

Richard Elías, District Five Supervisor

REGARDING:

Item for the March 15, 2016 agenda

Please add the following to the March 15, 2016 agenda:

Proclamation

Declaring April 2016 to be "Fair Housing Month." (District 5)

Thank you

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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (the Fair Housing Act) and the Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988 ensure full and fair access to housing opportunity; and

WHEREAS, April 2016 marks the 48th anniversary of the signing of the Fair Housing Act; and

WHEREAS, shelter is a basic human need and when shelter is denied, the quality of human life is greatly diminished; and

WHEREAS, people must not be denied equal access to and enjoyment of housing because of race, color, national origin, religion, gender, disability, or familial status; and

WHEREAS, Pima County recognizes and values the efforts of those who seek to reduce barriers to full and fair housing opportunity; and

WHEREAS, April is designated nationally as Fair Housing Month,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby declares the month of April 2016 to be:

"FAIR HOUSING MONTH"

and encourages all Pima County residents to work for tolerance and equal housing opportunity in our community.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of March 2016.

The Honorable Sharon Bronson, Chair Pima County Board of Supervisors
ATTEST:
Robin Brigode, Clerk Pima County Board of Supervisors