

Adelita S. Grijalva, District 5

MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 28, 2022

TO: Melissa Manriquez, Clerk of the Board

FROM: Adelita Grijalva, District Five Supervisor

REGARDING: Item for the May 3, 2022 agenda addendum

K. Bezaual, for

Please add the following to the May 3, 2022 agenda addendum:

Proclamation

Proclaiming the month of May as a time to recognize and celebrate: "The 51st Anniversary of Mariachi Cobre." (District 5)

Thank you

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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Tucson's Mariachi Cobre has played a key role in the mariachi education movement in the United States and education has always been central to its work and has guided its musical philosophy; and

WHEREAS, Mariachi Cobre was instrumental in founding the Tucson International Mariachi Conference in 1983 and played vital roles in founding the Las Cruces International Mariachi Conference and the San José International Mariachi Conference; and

WHEREAS, Mariachi Cobre, many of whose original members were in the first youth mariachi in the United States, Los Changuitos Feos, is celebrating 40 years of performing for the Walt Disney Company and has performed at Walt Disney World's Epcot since its opening; and

WHEREAS, Mariachi Cobre has performed at every major mariachi conference in the United States, with 50 symphony orchestras in the U.S. and Mexico, and with several youth orchestras; and

WHEREAS, Mariachi Cobre has toured, made television appearances and performance recordings with the Boston Pops; and

WHEREAS, Tucsonans and local educators have populated the ranks of Mariachi Cobre since its inception.

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

“THE 51st ANNIVERSARY OF MARIACHI COBRE”

and recognizes and celebrates Mariachi Cobre's anniversary as well as encourages everyone to enjoy the 2022 Tucson International Mariachi Conference, which will take place primarily at the Tucson Convention Center through May 8, 2022.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 3rd day of May 2022.

The Honorable Sharon Bronson, Chair
Pima County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Melissa Manriquez, Clerk
Pima County Board of Supervisors