



MEMORANDUM

Date: August 31, 2022

To: Melissa Manriquez, Clerk of the Board

From: Dr. Matt Heinz, Supervisor, District 2

Re: Addendum Item for BOS Agenda September 6, 2022

Please place the following item on the addendum for the Board of Supervisors meeting on September 6, 2022.

NEW BUSINESS

Proclamation stating that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims September 17, 2022 to be "International Peace Day in Pima County."

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the International Day of Peace, or “Peace Day,” was established in 1981 by the United Nations and has focused on many issues related to peace over the years, including human rights; disarmament; peace and democracy; youth and education; sustainable development; fighting climate change; and more; and

WHEREAS, every year on or near the 21st of September, communities around the world commemorate International Peace Day with celebrations, volunteering, educational activities and other ways to come together with our neighbors and recommit to peace and dignity for all; and

WHEREAS, here in Tucson, community organizers have put together the third annual “Drum-Up for Peace” on the evening of Saturday, September 17, at Silverlake Park on South Kino Parkway just north of the Quincie Douglas Center – which will bring together our diverse Pima County community for a free, family-friendly event to commemorate International Peace Day; and

WHEREAS, everyone is encouraged to participate in “Drum-Up for Peace,” which will include food vendors, dance troupes, poetry readings, inspirational speakers, singing, dancing, drumming and more.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims Saturday, September 17, 2022, to be:

“INTERNATIONAL PEACE DAY IN PIMA COUNTY”

and urges all members of our community to recommit on that day and the days that follow – in our homes, neighborhoods, schools, businesses and places of worship – to peace and dignity for all.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 6th day of September 2022.

The Honorable Sharon Bronson, Chair
Pima County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Melissa Manriquez, Clerk
Pima County Board of Supervisors