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**SHARON BRONSON
CHAIR**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Robin Brigode, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
FR: Sharon Bronson, Chair, Board of Supervisors-District 3 
DT: June 30, 2015
RE: Addendum item for July 7th meeting

Please place the following item on the Addendum for the Board of Supervisors meeting on July 7, 2015.

New Business

Resolution No. 2015-_____ of the Pima County Board of Supervisors supporting the request of the Girl Scouts of Southern Arizona to the Pascua Yaqui Tribe for a portion of its annual contribution to cities, towns, and counties.

Discussion/Action

RESOLUTION NO. 2015 – _____

**RESOLUTION OF THE PIMA COUNTY BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS SUPPORTING THE REQUEST OF THE GIRL SCOUTS OF SOUTHERN
ARIZONA TO THE PASCUA YAQUI TRIBE FOR A PORTION OF ITS ANNUAL
CONTRIBUTION TO CITIES, TOWNS AND COUNTIES**

The Board of Supervisors of Pima County, Arizona finds:

1. The Pasqua Yaqui Tribe is required by A.R.S. §5-601.02(H)(4) to distribute twelve percent (12%) of its total annual contribution to cities, towns or counties for government services that benefit the general public, including public safety, mitigation of impacts of gaming, and promotion of commerce and economic development.
2. The Girl Scouts of Southern Arizona has created Camp Fury, which provides girls an opportunity to join the ranks of Tucson's women firefighters and police offers for an exclusive multi-day training experience. Under the guidance of professionals from Northwest Fire District, Tucson Fire Department, and Tucson Police Department, girls learn search and rescue skills, crime scene investigation techniques, and perform physical fitness drills. Camp Fury promotes teamwork, respect and self-confidence. Now in its sixth year, Camp Fury embodies all elements of an effective leadership development program by providing girls with access to strong and confident women professionals that reflect their own diversity and gender and who treat them as equals with dignity and respect.
3. Camp Fury places girls on track to pursue educational and career goals that will lead to economic self-sufficiency. Exposing girls to the option of fire and police services during their high school years allows them time to inform their education choices. It is critical that girls are empowered to finance their basic needs. Most women live longer and earn less than men; single women are more likely to become first-time homeowners and single parent head of households than single men; and 90% of women are responsible for their own financial self-sufficiency at some point in their lives. Camp Fury provides girls life skills and tools that will help them choose a path to allow them to become financially independent. This helps to reverse the cycle of generational poverty and prevents girls from staying in abusive relationships because they lack financial resources.
4. The Girl Scouts of Southern Arizona is submitting a proposal to the Pasqua Yaqui Tribe for revenue sharing in the amount of \$21,125 to purchase equipment and supplies for Camp Fury which will sustain the program for years to come; and

5. The Girl Scouts of Southern Arizona provides a clear and definite public benefit.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Pima County Board of Supervisors supports the Girl Scouts of Southern Arizona's submittal of the accompanying Pasqua Yaqui Tribe Revenue Sharing Application requesting funding from the Pasqua Yaqui Tribe's annual twelve percent (12%) local revenue-sharing contribution.

PASSED and adopted this _____ day of _____, 2015.

Chair, Board of Supervisors

Attest:

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors


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Deputy County Attorney