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MEMORANDUM

DATE: February 23, 2018

TO: Julie Castañeda, Clerk of the Board

FROM: Richard Elías, Chairman, District Five Supervisor

REGARDING: Item for the April 3, 2018 agenda

Please add the following to the April 3, 2018 agenda:

Proclamation

Declaring April 2018 to be "Fair Housing Month." (District 5)

Thank you

FED 23 (GWOGZY PC GLK (F. B))

PROCLAMATION

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

WHEREAS, April 2018 marks the 50th 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, familial status, or criminal histories; 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 proclaims the month of April 2018 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 3rd day of April 2018.

The Honorable Richard Elías, Chairman Pima County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: