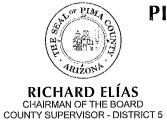
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MEMORANDUM

DATE:

April 11, 2019

TO:

Julie Castañeda, Clerk of the Board

FROM:

Richard Elías, Chairman and District Five Supervisor

REGARDING: Item for the April 16, 2019 agenda addendum

Please add the following to the April 16, 2019 agenda addendum:

Proclamation

Proclaiming Sunday, April 28, to be "Workers' Memorial Day" (District 5)

Thank you

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, each April we observe Workers' Memorial Day as a day to remember those who have suffered and died from preventable workplace incidents; and

WHEREAS, there were 90 preventable workplace fatalities in Arizona in 2017, up from 77 in 2016; and

WHEREAS, we need to remember these workers who died in workplace catastrophes, suffered diseases because of toxic-substance exposures, or were injured fatally because of dangerous workplace conditions; and

WHEREAS, the core theme for Workers' Memorial Day is "Mourn for the Dead, Fight for the Living," as we rededicate ourselves to the fight for safe workplaces; and

WHEREAS, Workers' Memorial Day is celebrated in nearly 100 countries; and

WHEREAS, this April 28 is the 48th anniversary of the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims Sunday, April 28, 2019, to be:

"WORKERS' MEMORIAL DAY"

and urges all County residents to join in remembering workers who have perished as a result of preventable workplace incidents, and their families who mourn them.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 16th day of April 2019.

The Honorable Richard Elías, (Pima County Board of Supervi	
ATTEST:	
Julie Castañeda, Clerk Pima County Board of Supervi:	sors