



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM REPORT

Requested Board Meeting Date: May 21, 2019

Title: Proclamation for Public Works Week in Pima County

Introduction/Background:

Public Works Week brings awareness to the community on the importance of public works to their daily lives and celebrates the professionals who provide and maintain our infrastructure and deliver public works services.

Discussion:

May 19-25, 2019 has been designated as American Public Works Week.

Conclusion:

Public Works Week has been designated since 1960 and Pima County recognizes the importance in bringing awareness to the citizens about public works services and honor the professionals who staff public works departments.

Recommendation:

Pima County Board of Supervisors proclaims the week of May 19-25, 2019 as Public Works Week in Pima County and recognizes the Pima County public works officials and professionals who plan, design, build, operate, and maintain our infrastructure and delivery of our public works services.


Fiscal Impact:

Board of Supervisor District:

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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, 2019 marks the 59th annual National Public Works Week, and this year's theme is "It Starts Here"; and

WHEREAS, infrastructure, mobility, growth and innovation begin with public works facilities and services, which sustain the health and well-being of the people of Pima County; and

WHEREAS, our parks, roads, watercourses, bridges and public services keep us linked together, and our air and water quality, natural and cultural resources, waste management and wastewater reclamation services keep us healthy, and our natural open spaces allow our community to sustainably grow and prosper; and

WHEREAS, all employees of Pima County government, the Public Works departments and administration acknowledge that the tireless work that "starts here" helps to strengthen the bond that keeps our community connected; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest of Pima County residents to gain knowledge, maintain interest, and understand the impact and importance of public works and public works programs in our daily lives.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims the week of May 19 through May 25, 2019 as:

"PUBLIC WORKS WEEK IN PIMA COUNTY"

and urges all Pima County citizens, business leaders and civic organizations to learn about the benefits of providing and maintaining public works infrastructure and to recognize the substantial and specialized contributions that our public works professionals make in sustaining and protecting our comfort, health and well-being in support of a quality life.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 21st day of May 2019.

The Honorable Richard Elías, Chairman
Pima County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Julie Castañeda, Clerk
Pima County Board of Supervisors