PIMA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS



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MEMORANDUM

DATE:

June 17, 2019

TO:

Julie Castañeda, Clerk of the Board

FROM:

Richard Elías, Chairman and District Five Supervisor

REGARDING: Item for the July 2, 2019 agenda

Please add the following to the July 2, 2019 agenda:

Proclamation

Proclaiming July 21 through July 27, 2019, to be "Pretrial, Probation and Parole Supervision Week." (District 5)

Thank you

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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Pima County community corrections agencies are an essential part of the county's criminal justice system; and

WHEREAS, Pretrial, Probation and Community Corrections Professionals uphold the law with dignity, while recognizing the right of victims and the public to be safeguarded from criminal activity; and

WHEREAS, Pima County Community Corrections Professionals are responsible each year for evaluating and supervising 8,000 adult offenders, 3,000 juvenile offenders and 4,000 defendants on pretrial release in the community; and

WHEREAS, Pima County Community Corrections Professionals save taxpayers thousands of dollars every year as the cost of standard probation is \$3.10 per offender per day while the Arizona State Prison costs \$71.13 per inmate per day and the Pima County Adult Detention Center costs \$97.79 per detainee per day; and

WHEREAS, Pima County Community Corrections Professionals work in partnership with community agencies and groups to provide professional and effective referrals, guidance and services for offenders to help them become productive members of the community; and

WHEREAS, these experts also provide tailored services, support and protection for crime victims and advocate for community and restorative justice; and

WHEREAS, community corrections professionals in Pima County are a true force for positive change in their communities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims the week of July 21 through July 27, 2019, to be:

"PRETRIAL, PROBATION AND PAROLE SUPERVISION WEEK"

and encourages all Pima County residents to honor these community corrections professionals and recognize their achievements.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 2nd day of July 2019.

	Richard Elías, Chairman ard of Supervisors
ATTEST:	
Julie Castañeda, Pima County Boa	Clerk ard of Supervisors