PIMA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS



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MEMORANDUM

DATE:

January 15, 2020

TO:

Julie Castañeda

Clerk of the Board

FROM:

Steve Christy

District 4 Supervisor

SUBJECT:

Addendum Item

Please place the following item on the Addendum to the Agenda for the Board of Supervisors meeting on January 21, 2020.

Proclamation

Presentation of a Proclamation to Green Valley Recreation Foundation Board President Jim Counter and Kent Blumenthal, Green Valley Recreation CEO, on the occasion of the GVR Foundation's inaugural Green Valley Recreation Week.

Thank you.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Green Valley Recreation, Inc.'s (GVR) membership constitutes 80% of all residents of Green Valley, Arizona, and contributes to the quality of life of the Green Valley community, Pima County and Southern Arizona beyond GVR's membership through diverse recreational, sports, cultural and entertainment programs; and

WHEREAS, GVR supports the Southern Arizona Senior Games, which attracts approximately 1,000 participants annually by providing extensive recreation and sports facilities along with volunteers and staff; and

WHEREAS, GVR supports the annual Southern Arizona CultureFest celebration, co-hosted by the GVR Foundation and Greater Green Valley Community Foundation by providing performing arts facilities, volunteers and staff; and

WHEREAS, GVR offers more than 1,000 leisure education classes annually for community residents and members that engage individuals in stimulating life-long learning; and

WHEREAS, GVR provides thousands of community members and guests opportunities to participate in concerts and lecture series; and

WHEREAS, GVR, in conjunction with the GVR Foundation, provides I-19 highway cleanup initiatives through ADOT's Adopt-a-Highway program; and

WHEREAS, GVR offers first-aid and CPR training monthly at no-cost to community residents and members; and

WHEREAS, GVR supports an annual health fair for community residents and members that promotes ideal living through healthy practices by providing facilities along with volunteers and staff; and

WHEREAS, GVR is a major economic development and tourism contributor to Green Valley and Pima County, Arizona, being recognized as one of the top places to retire in the U.S. by many reputable sources; and

WHEREAS, the competent and dedicated GVR staff and volunteers consistently strive to meet member needs through exceptional customer service and programs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Pima County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims the week of January 26 through February 1, 2020, to be the first annual celebration of:

"GREEN VALLEY RECREATION WEEK"

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 21st day of January 2020.

The Honorable Richard Elías, Chairman Pima County Board of Supervisors	
ATTEST:	
Julie Castañeda, Clerk	

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