

# ADDENDUM MATERIAL

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ITEM NO. ADD 5

**Melissa Whitney**

**From:** Jim Murphy [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Monday, November 15, 2021 2:40 PM  
**To:** COB\_mail  
**Subject:** Pima County Fair Commission

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I would like to speak to this item, but have a doctor's appointment at 8:45 am and may not be available to speak in person. I am a member of the Southwestern Fair Commission and Pima County Fair Commission. I was a member of the Pima County Board of Supervisors when the county acquired the property and began construction to have the fair conducted upon said property

In my over 28 years as an elected official and public administrator, a partner in three small businesses, in leadership positions on nonprofit boards and as the former CEO/President of Pima Council on Aging, I have learned many things.

Prime among them is, if you are affecting others, you give them "due and timely notice" and opportunities to have reasonable conversations before making major policy and business decisions.

In the case of actions that may affect the Pima County Fair Commission and the operation of the fair grounds on a year round basis, time should be granted to have meaningful discussion in terms of the intent and justification for these proposed actions.

Garrett Ham, Southwestern Fair Commission, Inc. President and member of the Pima County Fair Commission, has written to you of the work and status of the operation of the Pima County Fair and the stewardship of the property on a year round basis.

We merely ask the reasonableness of the Supervisors in granting time for discussions in terms of any issues you have with the policies we have established and activities of the fair and operation of the other facilities on an on-going basis.

Thank you for your consideration.

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