

EXECUTIVE ORDERS, PROCLAMATIONS OF
GENERAL APPLICABILITY, AND STATEMENTS
ISSUED BY THE GOVERNOR
PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 41-1013(B)(3)

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*** JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY DAY ***

[M07-323]

WHEREAS, The international Justice and Public Safety Network 40th Anniversary celebration and new facility dedication; and

WHEREAS, Nlets, founded in 1967, now transmits over 91 million messages each month between and among 30,000 agencies, including 1 million users; and

WHEREAS, Nlets has represented in all 50 states and all federal agencies that deal with law enforcement, homeland security and public safety, as well as selected international organizations; and

WHEREAS, every law enforcement, justice and public safety agency in the nation relies on Nlet's secure network system to transmit mission critical information every day and, most notably, during national emergencies; and

WHEREAS, Nlets consistently delivers messages in sub-second response time; and

WHEREAS, the primary goal of Nlets is to save lives, protect property and improve security for America;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim June 18, 2007 as

*** JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY DAY ***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janet Napolitano
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-first day of May in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-first.

ATTEST:

Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State

*** WORLD REFUGEE DAY ***

[M07-322]

WHEREAS, the State of Arizona recognizes that refugees do not choose to leave their homes but are forced to flee from persecution and terror in their native countries; and

WHEREAS, the United States is a nation built by immigrants and refugees, individuals who have made countless contributions to our communities and our nation as a whole, and whose courage and perseverance are models for us all; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona resettlement agencies, the Betania Community Center, Catholic Social Services, International Rescue Committee, and Lutheran Social Ministry have provided critical services to newly arrived refugees and helped them become self-sufficient; and

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WHEREAS, grass roots community organizations and other private and public providers, Area Agency on Aging, Arizona Refugee Community Center, Arizona State Refugee Resettlement Program, and Association for Supportive Child Care have provided on-going support and assistance to our new residents; and

WHEREAS, as a state and a nation, we must continue to uphold the tradition of offering assistance to the most vulnerable and persecuted in this world; and

WHEREAS, the celebration of World Refugee Day 2007 is themed "A New Home, A New Life";

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim June 20, 2007 to be

*** WORLD REFUGEE DAY ***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janet Napolitano
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this thirtieth day of May in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-first.

ATTEST:

Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State

*** DES BREAKTHROUGH SERIES COLLABORATIVE ***

[M07-320]

WHEREAS, The DES Breakthrough Series Collaboration on Service Integration was created in 2006 as an effort to improve safety and self-sufficiency outcomes for the families DES serves; and

WHEREAS, The Breakthrough Series concept was developed in association with Casey Family Programs, a leading national organization in improving the lives of children and families; and

WHEREAS, DES leadership recognized right away that the success of Service Integration strategies depends on coordination among various DES programs, but also through collaboration with private, non-profit, faith-based and local government agencies to fill gaps in services and engage families in the process; and

WHEREAS, The primary focus of DES' Breakthrough Series Collaboration on Service Integration is to integrate and coordinate DES programs and services within local communities; and

WHEREAS, The Breakthrough Series methodology of using small tests of change to make a favorable impact on services and families has proven that front line staff, families and local community partners are in the best position to know what works well in their communities; and

WHEREAS, The efforts over the past year have gone beyond providing services, to help individuals and families recognize and build upon their strengths, helping to utilize tools to effectively and permanently escape poverty and overcome other barriers to achieving self-sufficiency; and

WHEREAS, Establishing this partnership between families, committed community organizations and state and local government has been essential to sustain these changes and positive improvements for individuals, families and for DES; and

WHEREAS, After 12-months of hard work, the 20 Breakthrough Series Collaborative teams from across Arizona have demonstrated the effect of this type of collaboration and the impact they can make to achieve a common goal: that every child, adult and family in Arizona will be safe and economically secure;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim June 5 – 6, 2007 as the

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*** DES BREAKTHROUGH SERIES COLLABORATIVE ***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janet Napolitano
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this thirty-first day of May in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-first.

ATTEST:

Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State

*** FOSTER YOUTH GRADUATION DAY***

[M07-332]

WHEREAS, the State of Arizona is proud to pay tribute to graduating seniors around the state who have successfully completed their high school education; and

WHEREAS, these youth that stand before us today, have overcome great obstacles and risen to the challenge before them; and

WHEREAS, there were over 3,000 high school age teens in foster care in Arizona last year, almost half of whom were faced with the reality of reaching adulthood with no permanent family for support; and

WHEREAS, these young adults, despite experiencing multiple changes in their living situations, friends, and schools; continue to achieve, alongside peers living in their own homes;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby recognize these young adults on their graduation and proclaim June 14, 2007 as

*** FOSTER YOUTH GRADUATION DAY***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janet Napolitano
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this first day of June in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-first.

ATTEST:

Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State

*** SOUTHERN ARIZONA ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT SOCIETY DAY ***

[M07-333]

WHEREAS, SAEMS is celebrating its 20th Anniversary this year. Formed in 1986, incorporated in 1991, it is a non-profit 501(c) corporation. Over the years, it has grown into one of the Arizona's leading professional environmental organizations. Currently, with over 200 members, SAEMS is continually striving to preserve and protect Arizona's environment; and

WHEREAS, SAEMS has diligently worked to actively promote awareness, education and understanding of environmental issues. They have continually provided a forum for the exchange of ideas and information between private enterprises, gov-

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ernment, industry, education and research institutions; and

WHEREAS, SAEMS has accomplished this by organizing and presenting the annual RCRA seminar to inform hazardous waste generators of the rules and regulations governing hazardous waste; and

WHEREAS, to reduce the amount of pollution generated in the state, SAEMS has been a cosponsor of the annual Pollution Prevention Seminar. A seminar designed to provide ideas for companies to reduce pollution at the source; and

WHEREAS, SAEMS is proactive outside of the business world by cleaning up illegal dumping sites, participating in the Adopt a Highway program, invasive glass removal projects, and the Santa Cruz River Clean Up project; and

WHEREAS, community efforts include spearheading the successful effort to create the two acre nature park with trails next to Agua Caliente Elementary School, participating in juried school science shows, and taking part in the annual Tucson Earth Day Festival and Parade; and

WHEREAS, SAEMS also provides scholarship funding for students pursuing an environmental career. Scholarships are awarded to graduate and undergraduate students annually;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim June 27, 2007 as

*** SOUTHERN ARIZONA ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT SOCIETY DAY ***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janet Napolitano
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this first day of June in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-first.

ATTEST:

Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State

*** JONATHAN HORTON DAY ***

[M07-325]

WHEREAS, Jonathan Horton's three successive appearances in the National Spelling Bee have brought pride to his parents Michelle and Jeff, his sisters Deborah and Mary, the Town of Gilbert and the State of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, Jonathan has an amazing ability to **EXHILARATE** (invigorate, refresh or stimulate) us all by demonstrating there is no **LOGOGRIPH** (word problem or puzzle) too hard to handle; and

WHEREAS, his spelling talents are as rare as a **HALOBIONT** (an organism that flourishes in a salty environment) and his grace under pressure is as unique as **PTERIDOLOGY** (the branch of botany dealing with ferns); and

WHEREAS, Jonathan's spelling prowess causes all Arizonans to **SOLMIZATE** (to sing using syllables to represent tones of a musical scale) with pride and his national appearances will always be a source of **REMEMBRANCE** (an act of remembering); and

WHEREAS, for three years Jonathan's trips to the National Spelling Bee and his outstanding achievements have caused the East Valley Christian Home Educators to be so thrilled they have gone into **BEWUSSTSEINSLAGE** (a state of consciousness or a feeling devoid of sensory components); and

WHEREAS, as Jonathan and his family prepare to move to Sterling, Virginia, all **RESEAU** (a group of meteorological stations under common direction) forecast a bright future, filled with sunshine, few clouds and many rainbows;

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim June 6, 2007

*** JONATHAN HORTON DAY ***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janet Napolitano
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fifth day of June in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-first.

ATTEST:

Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State

*** BAY ISLAND SISTER AGENCY PROJECT FOR JUSTICE AND SERVICE DAY ***

[M07-334]

WHEREAS, on June 5, 2007, The Maricopa County Sheriff's Office launched the Bay Island Sister Agency Project for Justice and Service; and

WHEREAS, on June 5, 2007, delegates from the Honduras National Police including, Jorge Alberto Rodas Gamero, Jose Guido Gomez Chavez, Salomon Escoto Salinas and Julio Robert Benitez Avila representing the Honduras National Police arrived in Maricopa County to meet with Sheriff Joseph M. Arpaio to establish a liaison between the two agencies; and

WHEREAS, the establishment of the Bay Island Sister Agency Project for Justice and Service is defined as a mutual aide for the exchange of information, training ideas and knowledge that will mutually benefit the citizens of Honduras and the citizens of Maricopa County, Arizona; and

WHEREAS, recognizing the individual efforts, foresight and sacrifice of the members of the Honduras National Police, represented by Jorge Alberto Rodas Gamero, Jose Guido Gomez Chavez, Salomon Escoto Salinas and Julio Robert Benitez Avila; and

WHEREAS, recognizing the individual efforts, foresight and sacrifice of Joseph M. Arpaio, Sheriff of Maricopa County and individual members of the Maricopa County Sheriff's for their contributions and efforts in creating and developing the Bay Island Sister Agency Project for Justice and Service; and

WHEREAS, the culmination of this meeting resulted in the agreement to go forward with and establish the Bay Island Sister Agency Project for Justice and Service;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim June 5, 2007, as

*** BAY ISLAND SISTER AGENCY PROJECT FOR JUSTICE AND SERVICE DAY ***

a day of recognition for the Bay Island Sister Agency Project for Justice and Service in recognition for service, foresight and sacrifices put forth by these members of the Honduras National Police and the Maricopa County Sheriff's Office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Janet Napolitano
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this sixth day of June in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-first.

ATTEST:

**Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State**

*** MARINE CORPS LEAGUE WEEK ***

[M07-335]

WHEREAS, the Marine Corps League has been in existence since 1937 and comprised of members that are all volunteers; and

WHEREAS, all members of the Marine Corps League join together in camaraderie and fellowship for the purpose of preserving the traditions and promoting the interests of the United States Marine Corps; and

WHEREAS, this is accomplished by banding together those who are now serving in the United States Marine Corps and those who have been honorably discharged from that service and voluntarily aiding and rendering assistance to all Marines, former Marines, their widows, and orphans; and

WHEREAS, the Marine Corps League will perpetuate the history of the United States Marine Corps through fitting acts to observe the anniversaries of historical occasions of particular interest to Marines; and

WHEREAS, the "Old Breed" Detachment, Number 767, will welcome all Marines to the 36th Annual Marine Corps League, Department of Arizona, State Convention held in Phoenix, Arizona;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby call on our citizens to remember and honor those valiant men and women who served our country as a proud member of the United States Marine Corps and recognize the tireless efforts of the all-volunteer Marine Corps League and hereby proclaim June 17 - 23, 2007 as

*** MARINE CORPS LEAGUE WEEK ***

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano
G O V E R N O R**

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this sixth day of June in the year Two Thousand and Seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-first.

ATTEST:

**Janice K. Brewer
Secretary of State**