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

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* ARIZONA CONSTRUCTION CAREER DAYS *

[M10-400]

WHEREAS, the U.S. Bureau of Labor statistics reports that the construction industry, which currently employs 7 million people, needs to attract 240,000 workers each year to replace the workers retiring or leaving the industry; and

WHEREAS, the Association for Construction Career Development's mission is to support and promote the construction industry through education and employment; and

WHEREAS, this event reaches out to high school students throughout the State of Arizona and provides hands-on construction experience; and

WHEREAS, through this event, the construction industry is leading the way in providing young people career opportunities while increasing the quality of the future workforce.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 19-22, 2010 as

* ARIZONA CONSTRUCTION CAREER DAYS *

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

Janice K. Brewer
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this seventh day of October in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

* ARIZONA FAMILY CAREGIVER MONTH *

[M10-401]

WHEREAS, each year the month of November is set aside to pay tribute to Arizona's family caregivers by recognizing the value of the service they provide; and

WHEREAS, the need for family caregivers is growing and will continue to grow as Arizona's population of aging citizens continues to expand; and

WHEREAS, family caregivers can be found throughout Arizona and their efforts reflect family and community values at the highest levels; and

WHEREAS, unpaid caregivers are the underpinning of the long-term care system, providing approximately three-fourths of Arizona's long-term care; and

WHEREAS, individuals engaged in family caregiving need support as they face challenges affecting their own health, finances, and job security; and

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WHEREAS, family caregivers deserve our lasting gratitude and respect.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim the month of November 2010 as

*** ARIZONA FAMILY CAREGIVER MONTH ***

and call on all citizens throughout Arizona to acknowledge the invaluable contributions made by family caregivers during this special month and throughout the year.

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

Janice K. Brewer
G O V E R N O R

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this seventh day of October in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

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*** FAMILY ENGAGEMENT MONTH ***

WHEREAS, family engagement in a child's learning is critical to student success in school and in college which is key in attaining a good job; and

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WHEREAS, creating an environment for learning is important in classrooms and as a central part of family life with parents actively supporting their children's education; and

WHEREAS, research indicates that there is a direct correlation between high student achievement and the high expectations and positive contributions of a child's parents; and

WHEREAS, the role of parents in creating a successful pre-school through college education system for each Arizona child cannot be overstated; and

WHEREAS, Arizona's educational leaders are developing resources that offer concrete ideas for parents looking to engage more fully in their children's education as a way to develop stronger connections between parents and schools; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona State Parent Information Resource Center (Arizona State PIRC) and Arizona Congress of Parents and Teachers (Arizona PTA) are available to assist schools and families with ideas for getting more involved in the education and development of young students.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim the month of November 2010 as

*** FAMILY ENGAGEMENT MONTH ***

and encourage all citizens to take time this month to affirm their involvement in their child's learning and the resultant high expectations for their academic success.

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*** NURSE PRACTITIONER WEEK ***

[M10-404]

WHEREAS, there are more than 140,000 licensed Nurse Practitioners (NPs) in the United States with 4,168 Registered Nurse Practitioners in Arizona providing high-quality, cost-effective, comprehensive, patient-centered, personalized health-care; and

WHEREAS, NPs have been providing healthcare in the United States since 1965, with more than 9,000 NPs graduating from Nurse Practitioner programs in 2009; and

WHEREAS, NPs are graduates of master's, post-master's or doctoral NP programs with advanced clinical preparation to provide primary, acute and chronic care to patients of all ages and walks of life; and

WHEREAS, NPs diagnose acute and chronic conditions, prescribe medications and other treatments, treat illnesses and counsel patients on healthcare issues; and

WHEREAS, the high level of satisfaction and confidence that patients have in NPs is evidenced by the approximate 600 million visits that are made to NPs each year; and

WHEREAS, more than 20 percent of NPs practice in rural settings with populations of less than 25,000, and of the 62 percent who work in cities with populations of more than 50,000, more than 39 percent work in inner-city areas; and

WHEREAS, NPs provide healthcare to people of all ages and in diverse healthcare settings such as private office practice, hospitals, long-term care facilities, schools, retail clinics, state and local health departments, and managed care facilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 7-13, 2010 as

*** NURSE PRACTITIONER WEEK ***

and recognize the many contributions this dedicated group of healthcare professionals make to the health and well-being of the people in the communities they service in this great State of Arizona and throughout the country.

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*** SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY AWARENESS WEEK ***

[M10-405]

WHEREAS, all children and youth can learn with the proper supports and have the right to an education that meets their individual needs; and

WHEREAS, children's mental health is directly linked to their learning and development; and

WHEREAS, school psychologists facilitate collaboration and help parents and educators identify and reduce risk factors, create effective and caring schools, access needed community resources, and implement research-driven prevention and intervention strategies; and

WHEREAS, school psychologists are trained to assess barriers to learning, utilize data-based decision making, evaluate outcomes, and improve accountability; and

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WHEREAS, citizens of Arizona recognize the vital role that school psychologists play in the personal and academic development of our nation's children.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 8-12, 2010 as

*** SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY AWARENESS WEEK ***

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*** VALLEY FEVER AWARENESS WEEK ***

[M10-406]

WHEREAS, Valley Fever is the third most commonly reported infectious disease in Arizona, with 60% of all reported Valley Fever infections in the United States occurring in Arizona; and

WHEREAS, Valley Fever infections have tripled in Arizona over the last decade, having serious impacts on the health of our citizens and on Arizona's healthcare system; and

WHEREAS, through educational campaigns, the Arizona Department of Health Services, governmental entities, corporations, and organizations are united in bringing awareness to the public and healthcare providers about Valley Fever in Arizona; and

WHEREAS, through public outreach, the seriousness of the disease may be reduced, and early diagnosis promoted; and

WHEREAS, Arizona is the focal point of quality clinical care and research for Valley Fever.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 6-13, 2010 as

*** VALLEY FEVER AWARENESS WEEK ***

in recognition of the outstanding treatment and research conducted by the Valley Fever Center for Excellence at the University of Arizona and of the advances in Valley Fever education and public health by the Arizona Department of Health Services.

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