

**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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*** ARIZONA BIOSCIENCE DAY ***

[M10-387]

WHEREAS, bioscience is one of the fastest growing sectors of Arizona's economy, providing economic development and employment opportunities across our state; and

WHEREAS, bioscience research is leading to the availability of new medical treatments for citizens of Arizona and beyond; and

WHEREAS, Arizona is home to an ever-increasing number of researchers and entrepreneurs at universities, businesses and other organizations that span the spectrum of innovation in bioscience research, development and commercialization; and

WHEREAS, researchers, entrepreneurs and business and government leaders from across Arizona are working cooperatively to accelerate the development and commercialization of technologies that will lead to new medical treatments and economic development; and

WHEREAS, Arizona researchers have been awarded millions of dollars in government and private grants to further their work, and businesses have raised millions of dollars in investment capital to commercialize that research; and

WHEREAS, on October 27, 2010, the Arizona Bioindustry Association will assemble individuals from across the state to celebrate past achievements and consider current challenges.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 27, 2010 as

*** ARIZONA BIOSCIENCE DAY ***

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 thirtieth day of September 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

*** PERIOPERATIVE NURSES WEEK ***

[M10-388]

WHEREAS, surgery today is highly technical, sophisticated, and exacting; and

WHEREAS, the perioperative registered nurse is highly skilled in providing nursing care and managing the perioperative environment; and

WHEREAS, the surgical patient and family are experiencing a major event in their lives and the perioperative registered nurse is an expert in allaying the patient's fears, preparing the patient for what will happen during surgery, providing family support, and discussing how the patient will feel during the entire surgical experience; and

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WHEREAS, perioperative registered nurses have a long tradition of working toward patient safety and improving the quality of patient care; and

WHEREAS, the surgical patients rely on the skills, knowledge, and expertise of perioperative registered nurses.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 8-14, 2010 as

*** PERIOPERATIVE NURSES WEEK ***

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*** RED RIBBON WEEK ***

[M10-389]

WHEREAS, substance abuse prevention efforts can be a catalyst for creating healthier communities and promoting an improved quality of life; and

WHEREAS, the consequences of drug abuse and addiction continue to have a profound effect on individuals, families and communities nationwide; and

WHEREAS, Red Ribbon Week is the nation's oldest and largest drug prevention program, reaching millions of Americans; and

WHEREAS, celebrating Red Ribbon Week is a unified way for communities to take a stand against drugs and show intolerance for illicit drug use and the consequences to all Americans; and

WHEREAS, Arizona communities, businesses, government, law enforcement, tribal communities, military, schools, national programs, citizens young and old, and various organizations will demonstrate their commitment to enforcing a drug free environment and healthy lifestyle by wearing and displaying a red ribbon; and

WHEREAS, participation in drug awareness and education activities create the opportunity for communities to make a visible statement of strong commitment to wellness and healthy lifestyles.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 21-31, 2010 as

*** RED RIBBON WEEK ***

and encourage Arizonans to demonstrate their ardent opposition to drugs by wearing a red ribbon and participating in community anti-drug events.

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*** TURKISH REPUBLIC DAY ***

[M10-390]

WHEREAS, October 29, 1923 is the date of the founding of the Republic of Turkey by Mustafa Kemal Ataturk; and

WHEREAS, Turkey is a secular democracy which has made significant contributions to the United States foreign policy in the Balkans, the Middle East, Central Asia, and the Caucasus and has played a critical role in international efforts for peace, prosperity, and stability; and

WHEREAS, Turkey has become an integral part of Europe through its membership in NATO, the Council of Europe, and its impending membership to the European Union; and

WHEREAS, Turkey was one of the first allies to show unconditional solidarity with our Nation in the war against terrorism and has thrice commanded the International Peacekeeping Forces in Afghanistan; and

WHEREAS, Americans of Turkish descent in Arizona have played a significant role in the educational, cultural, economic and civic development of our community through sharing their rich cultural heritage and through their dedication to the responsibilities of good citizenship.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim –October 29, 2010 as

*** TURKISH REPUBLIC DAY ***

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*** UNITED NATIONS DAY ***

[M10-391]

WHEREAS, the United Nations was founded in 1945, and the anniversary of the day on which the U.N. Charter came into force is observed each year on October 24th; and

WHEREAS, the central role of the United Nations is to promote peace and security, development and human rights around the world, and is vital now more than ever; and

WHEREAS, in September 2000, all United Nations member states, including the United States, agreed upon eight Millennium Development Goals to meet the needs of the world's poorest countries; and

WHEREAS, the Millennium Development Goals provide a common development strategy for the international community, allowing for improved coordination, coherence, and effectiveness at all levels; and

WHEREAS, the Goals address universal issues from poverty and access to education, to improving health care and environmental sustainability, and to enjoying unprecedented political support because they are specific and measurable, with a deadline and indicators for monitoring progress attached to each goal; and

WHEREAS, the United States has a long tradition of leading international efforts to improve health, education, and economic growth in developing countries, and has shown its commitment to the Millennium Development Goals through foreign assistance, progressive trade initiatives, and debt relief measures; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations Association of the United States of America (UNA-USA), in cooperation with other orga-

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nizations, has declared "Engaging America in the Millennium Development Goals" as its theme for the 2010 United Nations Day commemorations; and

WHEREAS, Kathy Schwarz and Paula Cullison have been appointed Chair of U.N. Day in the state of Arizona to work with local UNA-USA members and community leaders to organize events and activities to educate citizens about the continuing need for the United Nations, and the importance of undertaking efforts on the local and international levels to promote global cooperative initiatives toward a more healthy and sustainable world.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 24, 2010 as

*** UNITED NATIONS DAY ***

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

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*** LITTER PREVENTION DAY ***

[M10-386]

WHEREAS litter free outdoor areas have a positive impact on our resident's and visitor's quality of life experience in the State of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, since the mid-1960's the KSB Litter Lifters have been removing litter from state highways, streets and roadways of land within Arizona; and

WHEREAS, hundreds of litter lifters volunteer their time removing and disposing tons of litter every year; and

WHEREAS, other volunteers have contributed their talents and time, assisting many organizations in their efforts to benefit the State of Arizona through various programs; and

WHEREAS, these services represent a significant value to the State of Arizona.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 28, 2010 as

*** LITTER PREVENTION DAY ***

and urge all citizens to recognize the outstanding volunteer work of KSB Litter Lifters of Keep Sedona Beautiful and to support these efforts by not contributing to litter and by removing litter near their residence or business as part of their daily activities.

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*** MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WEEK ***

[M10-394]

WHEREAS, mental health is critical for the well-being and vitality of our families, business, and communities; and

WHEREAS, one in four Americans will experience a mental health disorder in a given year regardless of age, gender, sexual orientation, race, ethnicity, religion, or economic status; and

WHEREAS, one in five children suffer from a diagnosable mental or emotional disorder, and one in ten have a serious disorder which, if untreated, can lead to school failure, addiction, and even suicide; and

WHEREAS, mental disorders, collectively, comprise the most prevalent health problem in America today – more common than cancer, and lung and heart disease combined; and

WHEREAS, the guiding principles of community mental healthcare have always been comprehensiveness, cost-efficiency, effective management, and high quality and consumer-responsive services, and those principles are now being adopted by private and public healthcare payors; and

WHEREAS the American Psychiatric Association, the National Alliance on Mental Illness, and the National Mental Health Association, and their partners celebrate Mental Illness Awareness Week each year in October to raise awareness of mental health, mental health disorders, and insurance discrimination against people with mental health disorders.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 3-9, 2010 as

*** MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WEEK ***

and call upon all citizens, government agencies, public and private institutions, businesses, and schools in Arizona to recommit our state to increasing awareness and understanding of mental illness and meeting the need for appropriate and accessible services for all people with mental health disorders.

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*** PATIENT-CENTERED CARE AWARENESS MONTH ***

[M10-395]

WHEREAS, Patient-Centered Care Awareness Month is a national awareness-building campaign to commemorate the progress that has been made toward a patient-centered healthcare system and to build momentum for further progress through education and collaboration; and

WHEREAS, consistent with the Institute of Medicine's identification of patient-centered care as one of the six national aims for a high quality healthcare system, healthcare providers in the State of Arizona are working to become more patient-centered; and

WHEREAS, patient-centered care recognizes patients as essential partners in their care, empowers patients with information, promotes effective communication between patients and providers, encourages involvement of family and friends, and promotes patient safety; and

WHEREAS, hospitals and healthcare organizations are encouraged to observe Patient-Centered Care Awareness Month by empowering patients, strengthening their patient-centered practices, and publicly proclaiming to their patients and communities their commitment to patient-centered care; and

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WHEREAS, citizens are encouraged to observe Patient-Centered Care Awareness Month by taking steps to become more active partners in their healthcare.

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

*** PATIENT-CENTERED CARE AWARENESS MONTH ***

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*** CREDIT UNION DAY ***

[M10-407]

WHEREAS, credit unions are not-for-profit financial cooperatives, democratically owned and operated, and founded by people working together toward economic advancement; and

WHEREAS, credit unions embrace a "people helping people" philosophy through the pooling of personal resources and leadership abilities for the good of the cooperative, empowering members to improve their financial futures and uniting to help those in need; and

WHEREAS, credit unions have demonstrated outstanding leadership throughout the communities in which they have served since they were founded more than 150 years ago; and

WHEREAS, credit unions have championed the idea that people from all walks of life should have access to affordable financial services offered by credit unions; and

WHEREAS, in Arizona, 53 credit unions empower people to improve their economic situations for 1.6 million credit union members associated through local, state, and regional organizations sharing a commitment to serving credit union members; and

WHEREAS, credit unions are developing strong alliances that make financial democracy possible in many countries such as Afghanistan, Kenya, Mexico, Ukraine and throughout the rest of the world.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 21, 2010 as

*** CREDIT UNION DAY ***

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

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*** LIFE WITHOUT LIMITS WEEK ***

[M10-408]

WHEREAS, United Cerebral Palsy's (UCP) mission is to advance the independence, productivity, and full citizenship of people with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, UCP provides vital services annually to more than 3,000 children and adults with a range of disabilities including cerebral palsy, autism, down syndrome, developmental delays, and learning disabilities; and

WHEREAS, UCP brings hope and promise to children and adults with disabilities who are contributing to society, striving to attain independence, fully utilizing their intellect, talents and abilities, and fulfilling their dreams; and

WHEREAS, Life Without Limits Week promotes community awareness of UCP's mission, programming and services, and offers opportunities to learn inspiring lessons from people with disabilities so that we are all encouraged to work toward goals without placing limits on ourselves or others; and

WHEREAS, Life Without Limits Week encourages all citizens of Arizona to recognize the enormous potential of people with disabilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 22-29, 2010 as

*** LIFE WITHOUT LIMITS WEEK ***

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

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