

Douglas A. Ducey
Governor

Office of the Governor

*** FIRST RESPONDER APPRECIATION DAY ***

WHEREAS, individuals, both career and volunteer, from 911 dispatchers, law enforcement, fire, emergency medical services, search and rescue, dive and other organizations in the public safety sector, come together as first responders to protect and aid the public in the event of an emergency; and

WHEREAS, every day first responders risk their own safety and personal property in the performance of their duties to protect our citizens; and

WHEREAS, first responders are our first and best defense against all emergencies that may threaten our communities, whatever their nature; and

WHEREAS, first responders are ready to aid the people 24 hours a day, seven days a week; and

WHEREAS, first responders are a vital part of every community who maintain safety and order in times of crisis, and volunteer in our cities and schools; and

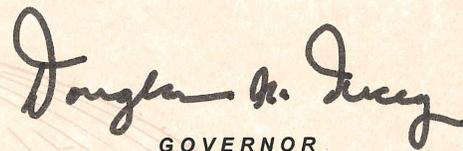
WHEREAS, first responders are highly trained, specialized workers who contribute their excellent skills for the public good and often for no pay; and

WHEREAS, the members of the first responder organizations undergo significant education, training and personal sacrifice in order to achieve the expertise required to respond to every type of emergency situation.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Douglas A. Ducey, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 27, 2015 as

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


GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fourteenth day of July in the year Two Thousand and Fifteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Fortieth.

ATTEST:



Secretary of State

