

GOVERNOR DOUGLAS A. DUCEY

STATE OF ARIZONA  
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PROCLAMATION

**Governor of the State of Arizona  
Calling a First Special Session  
of the Fifty-fifth Legislature of the State of Arizona**

By the power vested in me by the Arizona Constitution, Article IV, Part 2, Section 3, and Article V, Section 4, I, Douglas A. Ducey, Governor of the State of Arizona, call the Fifty-Fifth Legislature to meet in the first special session at the Capitol on the 15th Day of June, 2021 at 10:15 a.m.

The subject to be considered at the Special Session shall be to enact legislation and make appropriations for wildfire assessment, mitigation, preparedness response and recovery, including:

1. Enacting a supplemental appropriation in FY 2021, exempted from the provisions of A.R.S. § 35-190, related to lapsing of appropriations until FY 2022, to fund the Arizona Department of Corrections, Rehabilitation and Reentry (ADCRR) crews to help with hazardous vegetation removal (HVR) and increase funding for HVR grants with additional appropriations for FY2023 and FY2024.
2. Enacting a supplemental appropriation in FY 2021, exempted from the provisions of A.R.S. § 35-190, related to lapsing of appropriations for wildfire emergency response efforts that include the following:
  - a. Fire suppression and pre-positioning of fire suppression equipment and staff.
  - b. Capital and equipment associated with fire suppression and pre-positioning activities for fire suppression.
  - c. Mitigation projects to address post-fire flooding and other damages that may occur as a result from fires or fire suppression activities.
  - d. Financial assistance for a state or local government agency's emergency liabilities related to emergency sheltering, wrap around services, and support activities.
  - e. Financial assistance to public and private landowners for emergency repairs for infrastructure damages resulting from fire or fire suppression activities.
  - f. Reimbursement to a state agency or political subdivision for cost share of eligible claims under a state declaration of disaster or a federal declaration of emergency or major disaster.
  - g. Reimbursement to a state agency or political subdivision for claims associated with a fire or fire suppression activities not eligible for reimbursement under A.R.S. § 35-192.

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 14th day of June in the Year Two Thousand and Twenty-one and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Forty-fifth.

ATTEST:



Secretary of State

