GOVERNOR KATIE HOBBS

ARIZONA PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Arizona's Constitution and statutes establish county governments to implement state policies and programs at the regional level, overseen by locally elected county officials in order to promote effective, responsive constituent services; and

WHEREAS, county governments provide an essential role in keeping communities safe, deploying emergency response, building infrastructure, conducting secure elections, promoting public health and welfare, supporting community and economic development, and strengthening resilience; and

WHEREAS, county elected officials provide leadership in serving their constituents and strengthen Arizona through collaboration with local, state, federal, and tribal partners to meet community needs; and

WHEREAS, county governments proudly employ more than 35,000 hard working Arizonans who diligently serve our communities; and

WHEREAS, Arizona's fifteen counties serve as trusted stewards of public resources and community institutions; and

WHEREAS, Arizona counties reflect the wide diversity of people, culture, and landscape in our State; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of the outstanding public service of county employees and the leadership of county elected officials across Arizona.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Katie Hobbs, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim, April 2026, as,

ARIZONA COUNTY GOVERNMENT MONTH



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 eighteenth day of March in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-Six and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Fiftieth.

ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE