



**BY THE PINAL COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
PROCLAMATION
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WEEK
MAY 6-10, 2024**

WHEREAS, economic development promotes the well-being and quality of life in our communities by assisting in creating, retaining, and expanding jobs that enhance wealth, stimulate additional economic activity and provide a stable tax base, and

WHEREAS, economic development stimulates entrepreneurship in order to help establish the next generation of new businesses, which is a hallmark of the American economy, and

WHEREAS, economic development is conducted in a wide variety of settings, including by governments at the local, county, state and federal level, chambers of commerce, universities and other institutions, and it has components of public-private partnerships that support both rural and urban development, workforce development and tourism, and

WHEREAS, economic development seeks to grow and diversify the retail business base in municipalities in order to serve the needs of residents and to help retain local sales tax dollars, which are crucial in providing the services expected by residents, and

WHEREAS, economic development helps to bring significant business investment, develops vibrant communities and improves overall quality of life by having jobs located here in Pinal County, enhancing economic well-being and reducing commute times.

NOW, THEREFORE WE, the Pinal County Board of Supervisors, hereby proclaim the week of May 6TH through May 10TH, 2024, as “**Economic Development Week**,” and remind individuals of the importance of this community endeavor which supports expanded career opportunities and makes lives better throughout Pinal County. Proclaimed this 1ST day of May, 2024.

Mike Goodman, Chairman, District 2

Jeffrey McClure, Vice-Chairman, District 4

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