



**PROCLAMATION NO. 2015-10**

**A PROCLAMATION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF GILA COUNTY, ARIZONA, PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF AUGUST 2015 AS CHILD SUPPORT AWARENESS MONTH IN GILA COUNTY.**

**WHEREAS**, children need responsible parents who are engaged at every stage of their child's development; and

**WHEREAS**, to be engaged, both parents must be involved in providing for a child's emotional and financial needs, and encourage their interests; and

**WHEREAS**, community partnerships serve children and families through a variety of programs and targeted resources; and

**WHEREAS**, the Gila County Attorney's Office, Division of Child Support, is just one of the agencies that aid children and their parents and caretakers; and

**WHEREAS**, a parent can be actively and successfully engaged with their children regardless of marital status; and

**WHEREAS**, the Arizona Department of Economic Security, Arizona Attorney General's Office, Administrative Offices of the Court, County Attorneys, local law enforcement agencies, employers, workforce programs, parenting programs, and other stakeholders are dedicated to supporting the efforts of Arizona's parents to encourage engagement with their children; and

**WHEREAS**, both parent and child benefit when both parents are engaged at every stage;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that, we, the members of the Gila County Board of Supervisors do hereby proclaim August 2015 as Child Support Awareness Month in Gila County; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that Gila County reaffirms its commitment to support the Gila County Child Support Program during the month of August 2015 and throughout the year.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 17<sup>th</sup> day of August 2015.

**ATTEST:**

**GILA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

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Marian Sheppard  
Clerk of the Board

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Michael A. Pastor, Chairman