

February 15, 2016

Gila County Board of Supervisors
Attn: Chairman Michael Pastor
1400 E. Ash Street
Globe, AZ 85501

Dear Sir,

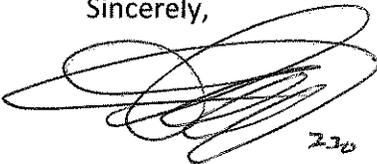
This is a letter of notification to inform you that I am considering retirement and I am currently awaiting approval by the Retirement Board.

This board will meet and make a decision February 24, 2016. If approved, February 29, 2016, will be my last day on the job. The purpose of sending this letter prior to the retirement board's decision is to allow the Board of Supervisors the opportunity to make a decision, in a timely manner, towards a qualified applicant for my replacement. Upon approval by the retirement board, I will notify the Gila County Board of Supervisors on February 24, 2016. By doing this, I hope to eliminate down-time and the extra burden that it places on the Sheriff's Office. At this time, I have a mutual agreement with Sheriff Adam Shephard to assist in the services and arrests normally performed by my office. All other processes and work will continue to be performed by my clerk.

It has been a pleasure serving the people of Gila County in the capacity of law enforcement and in particular, as Constable of the Payson Regional Constable's Office.

It has truly been a pleasure working with this board and county manager and all other elected and appointed officials and their staff. Working as a team, we have accomplished many goals and objectives to have a better, smoother-running, complete county government, of which I am proud to be a part. It is with mixed feelings that I take this step, but life has a way of dictating some of the things we must do. I am hoping that sometime in the future, I can again be a part of this great organization to assist in whatever capacity I may. Thank you to all.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "C. White", with a small "2.16" written below it.

Constable Colt White
Payson Regional Constable's Office (PRCO)

cc: Tommie Martin, District 1 Supervisor
John Marcanti, District 3 Supervisor
Don E. McDaniel Jr., County Manager