



MEMORANDUM

Date: May 24, 2017

To: The Honorable Chair and Members
Pima County Board of Supervisors

From: C.H. Huckelberry
County Administrator

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Re: **Appointment of Health Department Director and Deputy Director**

I am pleased to announce the appointment of Ms. Marcy Flanagan to the position of Health Department Director, which has been vacant since Dr. Francisco Garcia was named Assistant County Administrator for Health Services and Chief Medical Officer.

Ms. Paula Mandel has been appointed to the position of Health Department Deputy Director.

The process of identifying a new Health Department Director was conducted with the assistance and support of the Pima County Board of Health President, Dr. Paul Horwitz; the Pima County Medical Examiner, Dr. Greg Hess; and the Pima County Environmental Quality Director, Ms. Ursula Nelson. The position was disseminated to the public health community in Arizona; and through that process, 25 highly qualified candidates from across Arizona and the country applied for the position.

Ms. Flanagan and Ms. Mandel have a combined 33 years of public health and administrative experience in complex programs development and implementation, leadership of large teams, and extensive experience in delivering quality clinical and supportive services.

Please join me in congratulating Ms. Flanagan and Ms. Mandel on their appointment to the positions of Health Department Director and Deputy Director, respectively.

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c: Jan Leshar, Chief Deputy County Administrator
Dr. Francisco Garcia, Assistant County Administrator for Health Services and Chief Medical Officer