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# MEMORANDUM

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Date: June 14, 2022

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

From: Jan Lesner   
County Administrator

Re: **Appointment of Interim Chief Information Officer**

I am pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Mark Hayes as the Interim Chief Information Officer. This appointment is effective June 19, 2022.

Mr. Hayes has served as a Deputy Director of the Information Technology Department since July 2015. His responsibilities include Business Systems Management, Geographic Information Systems (GIS), Application Development and Database Administration. He formerly led the Client Services team, Network Operations Center (NOC) and Configuration Management. He has over 30 years Information Technology leadership experience in multiple industries, at organizations such as Lockheed Missile and Space Company, Dell and Sunquest Information Systems, in addition to his time at Pima County.

Mr. Hayes will fill the vacancy created by the retirement of Mr. Dan Hunt, retired on June 3, 2022. Mr. Hunt was a valuable member of the Pima County Information Technology (ITD) team for over a decade, in addition to serving for a period as the Director of IST for the Pima County Sheriff's Department. In his role as CIO, Mr. Hunt transformed service delivery to ITD's constituent departments and elected officials by implementing the Value Stream model, which engaged department leadership as active participants and dedicated resources to their priorities. He also oversaw the transformation of Pima County's data centers from Hewlett-Packard equipment to Dell servers and storage, greatly improving the efficiency and value of the County's investments. Mr. Hunt represented Pima County with distinction in numerous statewide and national IT organizations and is viewed within these as a thought leader and visionary.

We have begun the process of conducting a national search to hire a Director of the Information Technology Department.

Please join me in congratulating Mr. Hayes and in wishing Mr. Hunt the very best in his retirement.

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c: Carmine DeBonis, Jr., Deputy County Administrator for Public Works  
Francisco García, MD, MPH, Deputy County Administrator for Health & Community  
Services and Chief Medical Officer  
Mark Napier, Assistant County Administrator  
Mark Hayes, Deputy Director, Information Technology