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TUCSON DRAINAGE PROJECT
ARROYO CHICO PHASE II
MULTI-USE PROJECT

Pima County, Arizona - On Thursday October 14, 2010, Pima County and the Regional Flood Control District, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, in cooperation with the City of Tucson will be breaking ground for Phase II of the Tucson Drainage Project, Arroyo Chico. This project is a multi-phase flood control project that includes environmental restoration. This groundbreaking ceremony is scheduled for October 14, 2010, at 9:00 am, at 15th Street and Cherry Avenue, at the northwest corner.

The Honorable Ramón Valadez, Pima County Board of Supervisors, District 2, will be the Master of Ceremonies for this project which is located in District 2. Speakers at this event will include: Colonel R. Mark Toy, District Commander, Los Angeles District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Chris Kaumo, Legislative Director, Representative for Congressman Raúl Grijalva, Gabe Zimmerman, Representative for Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords, The Honorable Richard Elías, Pima County Supervisors District 5, The Honorable Richard Fimbres, Councilmember, City of Tucson, Ward 5, The Honorable Molly McKasson, Retired City of Tucson Councilmember, Ward 6, C. H. Huckelberry, Pima County Administrator and Judy Burns, Board President, Tucson Unified School District.

For information on the project, visit http://rfcd.pima.gov/projects/arroyochico/.

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