RESOLUTION SUPPORTING SUPERVISOR CHRISTY’S PLAN FOR FUNDING ROAD PRESERVATION AND REPAIR IN PIMA COUNTY

Board of Representatives
Resolution No. 2017-3

WHEREAS, the Board of Representatives knows the roads in Green Valley are in dire need of preservation and repair; and

WHEREAS, the present $0.25 increase in the property tax rate will not produce enough revenue to bring all of Green Valley’s roads into good condition in a reasonable length of time; and

WHEREAS, the repair of Green Valley’s roads is a high priority matter because our poor roads adversely affect property values and are detrimental to the wellbeing of our people and their vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Representatives recognizes that Supervisor Christy’s Road Plan which: (a) repeals the $0.25 property tax increase for roads, and (b) imposes a ½ cent increase in sales tax for all of Pima County for 10 years, and (c) which funds will be administered by the Regional Transportation Authority, represents the only feasible method of obtaining sufficient funds to bring the roads of Green Valley and Pima County, in general, into good condition within a reasonable period of time; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Representatives is aware that the Regional Transportation Authority has a long history of administering road funds prudently and effectively; and

WHEREAS, the Council’s Traffic & Arroyos Committee and Executive Board have voted to support Supervisor Christy’s Road Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Representatives of the Green Valley Council hereby supports Supervisor Christy’s Road Plan and strongly encourages the other members of the Pima County Board of Supervisors to vote in favor of Supervisor Christy’s Road Plan and enact it into law so that the roads of Pima County again become in good repair.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Green Valley Council, October 19, 2017

Don Weaver, President