

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS 198 S. Main Street Yuma, Arizona 85364

PROCLAMATION

Proclaiming Yuma County as

"A Purple Heart County"

WHEREAS:

The people of Yuma County have a great admiration and the utmost gratitude for the men and

women who selflessly serve their country and this County in the Armed Forces; and

WHEREAS:

Through the contributions and sacrifices of our veterans, our citizens and communities are

afforded the ability to maintain the freedoms and way of life guaranteed to all citizens; and

WHEREAS:

Many men and women in uniform gave their lives while serving our nation in the Armed Forces;

and

WHEREAS:

Many citizens in our community were wounded during combat and earned the Purple Heart

Medal in recognition of their meritorious acts of bravery and service to our communities and

Nation.

Now therefore, I, Russell McCloud, Chairman of the Yuma County Board of Supervisors, hereby proclaim:

Yuma County

As

"A Purple Heart County"

and in doing so, I call this observance to the attention of all of our citizens, to recognize and honor the service and sacrifice of our nation's men and women, who were wounded or killed, while in service to protect the freedoms enjoyed by our communities and nation.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Official Seal of the Board of Supervisors. Done at Yuma, the County Seat, this 16th day of March 2015.

Russell McCloud, Chairman of the Board

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