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MEETING NOTICE and AGENDA
Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes §38-431, et. seq.
and amendments thereto, the
GREENLEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
hereby gives notice that a

Special Meeting

will be held on Thursday, June 25, 2020 – 10:30 a.m.
Zoom Video Conferencing. To join the meeting enter the following URL into your
browser:

**[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85334574770?pwd=RUhOZ2I4Q2xLVkxJWIA4aHJFN1N
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Meeting ID: 853 3457 4770
Password: 785906

**Board of Supervisors Meeting Room, 2nd floor Courthouse Annex, 253 5th Street,
Clifton, Arizona**

AGENDA

- 1.) Call to Order
 - A. Pledge of Allegiance
 - B. Call to the Public
- 2.) Derek Rapier, County Administrator
 - A. Discussion and possible action regarding proposed Greenlee County "Statement on Mask Wearing in Public". Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(3), the Board may go into executive session to receive legal advice from the Board's attorney.
- 3.) Adjournment

All agenda items are for discussion and/or action as deemed necessary. The Board reserves the right to consider any matter out of order. The Board may retire into Executive Session for any of the purposes that are allowed by law, including but not limited to legal advice and/or personnel matters; as authorized by A.R.S. §38-431.et.seq. Persons with a disability may request accommodation for special assistance by contacting Bianca Figueroa at 928-865-2072 (TDD 928-865-2632). Requests should be made as soon as possible to allow time for arrangement of the accommodation.

**GREENLEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA INFORMATION FORM**



MEETING DATE: June 25, 2020
DEPARTMENT: Co. Admin.

REQUESTED BY: D. Rapier
TELEPHONE #: 928-865-2072

1. Insert brief description of proposal and requested Board action:

Discussion and possible action regarding proposed Greenlee County "Statement on Mask Wearing in Public".

2. Continued from meeting of: _____ N/A

Discussed in meeting of: _____ N/A

3. Publication requirements:

Does this require publication in the official county newspaper? Yes No
This department to cause publication Clerk of the Board to cause publication

4. Financial Impact:

Expenditure: Is this a budgeted expense? Yes No Project Code #: _____
Fund _____ \$ _____ Actual Not to exceed
Fund _____ \$ _____ Actual Not to exceed

If not budgeted, how will this expense be funded? _____

Grants/Contracts:

Federal State Other _____
CFDA # (Federal grants only) _____ State # _____
Fund _____ \$ _____
Matching funds required? Yes No Fund _____ \$ _____

5. Legal Review: Does this item require County Attorney review and approval as to form and within powers granted under the laws of the State of Arizona to the Greenlee County Board of Supervisors?

Yes No

Date of County Attorney approval: _____

6. Board of Supervisors action taken:

Approved Amended Disapproved Tabled

Original backup documentation must accompany this form!

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Statement on Mask Wearing in Public

On June 17, 2020, Governor Doug Ducey issued Executive Order #2020-40 granting authority to local governments including cities, towns and counties, to adopt policies regarding the wearing of face coverings in public for the purpose of mitigating the spread of COVID-19 based on local conditions. The order also encouraged education and the promotion of best practices to accomplish mitigation.

Recent studies including a study published on June 12, 2020 by Texas A&M University, demonstrate that mask wearing while in public is an effective way to slow the spread of COVID-19. If you happen to be infected, wearing a mask helps you protect others, especially if you aren't showing any symptoms and do not know you are infected.

Fortunately, here in Greenlee County, we have had very few cases of COVID-19. Our citizens are to be commended on their efforts to help keep each other safe. As members of a close-knit community, we have a long history of caring for each other, especially our most vulnerable. It is in that spirit that Greenlee County issues the following encouragement to practice smart and wise behavior. Greenlee County hereby strongly encourages all citizens:

1. To wear face coverings while in public and particularly in settings where social distancing of at least six feet will be difficult to observe.
2. To be aware of your surroundings and practice social distancing of at least six feet.
3. To wash your hands frequently with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
4. To please stay home if you are sick and if necessary, seek medical advice and treatment.

Greenlee County asks that you do these things not because anyone has mandated it, but rather because we care about each other and we want to do our part to help keep each other safe. If a business or other entity asks that you wear a mask in their building or on their premises, please respect their choices. When we take our responsibilities to each other seriously and we are as concerned for the wellbeing of others as much as we are for our own, there is no desire or need for mandates. Thank you for your continued commitment to the health and welfare of our community. Greenlee County has been the leader in Arizona in slowing this potentially deadly disease and our numbers show it. Let us continue to be leaders.

Dated this ____ day of _____, 2020

Richard Lunt, Chairman
Greenlee County
Board of Supervisors