

GOVERNOR DOUGLAS A. DUCEY

STATE OF ARIZONA
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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, it is vital that all residents be aware of the challenge of living with extreme heat, limited water resources, severe weather, and floods; and

WHEREAS, the extreme summer heat may cause life-threatening conditions among our vulnerable populations, for those who work outside, take part in outdoor activities, or lack refuge from the heat; and

WHEREAS, limited water resources may cause hardships and possible life-threatening conditions for people and livestock in drought-stricken areas; and

WHEREAS, severe storms threaten the safety of people who live and travel in Arizona with damaging high winds, dangerous dust storms, destructive hail, and hazardous lightning; and

WHEREAS, these storms, along with floodwaters that inundate our land, cause property damage, jeopardize our food supply, and threaten the health and safety of the people in our State; and

WHEREAS, dust storms impact the safety of people who travel in Arizona due to near-zero visibility and also expose residents to the effects of hazardous air quality; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona Departments of Emergency and Military Affairs, Agriculture, Homeland Security, Insurance, Public Safety, Transportation, Water Resources, and Environmental Quality have joined with the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's National Weather Service and The Salvation Army to recognize the need to provide periodic urban hydration support, and public education on the advantages of being prepared for drought, dust storms, extreme heat, flash flooding, and severe weather in Arizona.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Douglas A. Ducey, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim June 9 – 14, 2019, as

ARIZONA MONSOON AWARENESS WEEK



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

Douglas A. Ducey
GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-eighth day of May in the year Two Thousand and Nineteen and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Forty-Third.

ATTEST:

[Signature]
SECRETARY OF STATE