



PROCLAMATION
National Economic Development Week
May 4 – 9, 2020

WHEREAS, the Town of Queen Creek is an active member of the International Economic Development Council, (IEDC) a non-profit, non-partisan membership organization serving economic developers; and

WHEREAS, Queen Creek is a resilient Arizona community that is working to strengthen the community during the COVID-19 pandemic through innovation and collaboration; and

WHEREAS, during these uncertain times, economic developers are working harder than ever to provide the necessary resources to support the business community and assist businesses with recovery plans moving forward; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Queen Creek's Economic Development Department is an accredited economic development organization through IEDC; and

WHEREAS, economic developers promote economic well-being and quality of life for their communities by creating, retaining, and expanding jobs that facilitate growth, enhance wealth, and provide a stable tax base; and

WHEREAS, economic developers stimulate and incubate entrepreneurship in order to help establish the next generation of new businesses, which is the hallmark of the American economy; and

WHEREAS, economic developers are engaged in a wide variety of settings including rural and urban, local, state, provincial, and federal governments, public-private partnerships, chambers of commerce, universities, and a variety of other institutions; and

WHEREAS, economic developers attract and retain high-quality jobs, develop vibrant communities, and improve the quality of life in their regions.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Gail Barney, Mayor of the Town of Queen Creek, Arizona, do hereby proclaim May 4 – 9, 2020 as

National Economic Development Week

In Queen Creek, and remind individuals of the importance of this profession in expanding career opportunities and improving quality of life.

WITNESS MY HAND this 6th day of May 2020.


Gail Barney, Mayor


ATTEST: Maria E. Gonzalez, Town Clerk