



PROCLAMATION
Recognizing Ora Mae Harn as a Marana Local Legend

WHEREAS, Ora Mae Harn (1932-2010) played a vital role in shaping Marana through her dedication to improving the quality of life for its residents by helping establish essential services, including the Marana Health Center, Marana Food Bank, Marana Affordable Housing Project, and the Marana Heritage Conservancy; and

WHEREAS, Ora Mae Harn served in a political capacity for the Town of Marana for 16 years serving as a member of the Marana Town Council, Vice Mayor, and two terms as Mayor; and

WHEREAS, Ora Mae Harn was a fierce advocate for the protection of Marana's residents, leading such efforts as the Santa Cruz River Bank Protection Program, and

WHEREAS, she was recognized locally, statewide, and nationally for her leadership and service, receiving numerous awards, including the Trico Electric Commitment to Service Award, an Outstanding Leadership Award from Governor Hull, and a Congressional tribute from Congressman Jim Kolbe; and

WHEREAS, Ora Mae Harn's legacy continues to inspire future generations as she worked tirelessly to create a lasting impact on the Town of Marana and its residents, transforming the community through her compassion, vision, and unwavering faith; and

WHEREAS, on November 1, 2024, Ora Mae Harn will be recognized as a Local Legend in the Town of Marana's Council Chambers for her lifetime of service.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ed Honea, Mayor of the Town of Marana, do hereby proclaim November as a month to recognize and honor Ora Mae Harn as a Marana Local Legend for her extraordinary contributions to the Town of Marana and encourage all residents to reflect on her lasting impact on our community.

Dated this 15th day of October, 2024.

ATTEST:

David L. Udall, Town Clerk



Ed Honea, Mayor