



### Proclamation Honoring Carol McGorray

WHEREAS the Council and staff of the Town of Marana take this time to honor Carol McGorray by acknowledging some of the many ways she served Marana and the region with her New England stamina, friendly smile and passion for excellence; and

WHEREAS Carol raised her seven children – Kathy, Tom, Meg, Lara, Teri, Matt and Maureen in the Avra Valley area with horses, a milking cow and chickens while she worked full-time for the Marana Unified School District for 17 ½ years; and

WHEREAS with her children grown, Carol left Avra Valley and established residence in Dove Mountain – not just to play golf – but eventually to retire, she thought, and enjoy her leisure years with her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren; and

WHEREAS Carol was elected to the Marana Town Council in 2001, where she proudly served for 17 years; and

WHEREAS in addition to her Council duties, Carol expressed concern for others in the community by serving on the Board of Directors for the Marana Health Center, the Community Food Bank the Dove Mountain Civic Group and the Dove Mountain Rotary; and

WHEREAS while Carol was a private, no-nonsense person, she had a soft spot for her dog, Cowboy, who managed to charm a McDonald's hamburger out of her on occasion and perhaps encouraged her to indulge in her slightly guilty pleasure of a McDonald's ice cream for herself.

NOW, THEREFORE, The Mayor and Council recognize the high character, integrity and perseverance that highlighted the life of our friend and colleague, Carol, who embodied community in her every action, ardent love for her family, and the single-minded focus she brought to her professional and volunteer life.

Dated: April 3, 2018

*Ed Honea*

Mayor Ed Honea

ATTEST:

*Jocelyn C. Bronson*

Jocelyn C. Bronson, Town Clerk

