

**FAIR HOUSING PROCLAMATION
APRIL 2014**



WHEREAS, the Civil Rights Act of 1968, commonly known as the Federal Fair Housing Act and the Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988 prohibit discrimination in the sale, rental, leasing and financing of housing or land to be used for the construction of housing or in the provision of brokerage services on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin; and

WHEREAS, the 1986 and 1988 Federal Fair Housing Acts declare that it is a national policy to ensure equal opportunities in housing; and

WHEREAS, April has traditionally been designated as Fair Housing Month in the United States.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors of Cochise County do hereby proclaim April 2014 as Fair Housing Month in the County of Cochise and does hereby urge all residents of this County to comply with and show their support for the letter and spirit of the Fair Housing Acts.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 8th DAY OF APRIL 2014 BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF COCHISE COUNTY, ARIZONA.

ANN ENGLISH, CHAIRMAN
COCHISE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

ATTEST:

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