

Office of the Mayor



Proclamation

**GENERAL AVIATION APPRECIATION MONTH
FEBRUARY 2020**

WHEREAS, the city of Goodyear in the state of Arizona has a significant interest in the continued vitality of general aviation, aircraft manufacturing, aviation educational institutions, aviation organizations and community airports; and

WHEREAS, general aviation and the Phoenix Goodyear Airport have an immense economic impact on the city of Goodyear; and

WHEREAS, general aviation in Arizona supports \$609 million in annual economic activity; and

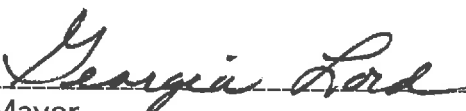
WHEREAS, general aviation not only supports Arizona's economy, it improves overall quality of life by supporting emergency medical and healthcare services, law enforcement, firefighting and disaster relief, investments in sustainable fuels and technologies, and by transporting business travelers to their destinations quickly and safely; and

WHEREAS, these aircraft and our network of airports represent a national public benefit, and Congressional oversight should be in place of this system to ensure that it remains a public system and serves communities of all sizes; and

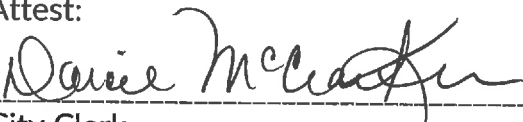
WHEREAS, leaders should invest in this critical infrastructure to ensure future economic growth and our next generation of aviation professionals and pilots.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Georgia Lord, Mayor of the city of Goodyear, Arizona do hereby proclaim general aviation a vital strategic asset to the city of Goodyear and declare February as **GENERAL AVIATION APPRECIATION MONTH** in the city of Goodyear.

Given under my hand in these free United States in the city of Goodyear, Arizona on the thirtieth day of January, two thousand twenty, and to which I have caused the Seal of the City of Goodyear to be affixed and have made this proclamation public.



Mayor

Attest:


City Clerk

