



PROCLAMATION
Recognizing Police Officer Lucas Wilkinson

WHEREAS, Officer Lucas Wilkinson was hired by the Marana Police Department in 2005 and graduated from the Central Arizona Regional Law Officer Training Academy in January 2006; and

WHEREAS, Lucas served in numerous assignments with the Department including Patrol Officer, Motor Officer, Field Training Officer, and Lead Patrol Officer; and

WHEREAS, throughout his career, Lucas developed extensive expertise in DUI investigations, beginning early in his field training when he was assigned to the DUI Unit and made 10 arrests in a single month; and

WHEREAS, he further distinguished himself by completing advanced training, including HGN School, Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement (A.R.I.D.E.), Drug Recognition Expert School, and Phlebotomy School, as well as instructor certifications in HGN, A.R.I.D.E., and DRE; and

WHEREAS, after completing Motor School in May 2011, Lucas advanced his skills in traffic enforcement and collision investigation, becoming a PIT Instructor, Commercial Vehicle Inspector, and completing the prestigious Northwestern Collision Investigation schools; and

WHEREAS, he completed Motor Instructor School in October 2014 and served on multiple committees, including DRE, SME, and the DUI Task Force; and

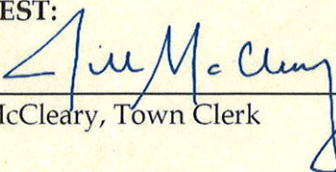
WHEREAS, Lucas has been a devoted instructor, teaching pre- and post-academy classes, training at the Southern Arizona Law Enforcement Training Center, Pima Community College, the Pima County Sheriff's Department, the Pima Regional Motor School, Advanced Officer Training sessions, and the Marana Citizens Academy. Lucas became a Field Training Officer in November 2013 and has mentored and trained approximately 25 police officers; and

WHEREAS, his distinguished service has been recognized with numerous honors, including the MADD Award for the Town of Marana in 2008, the Chief's Citation of Excellence Award in 2015, Officer of the Year in 2023, and the Distinguished Service Award in 2025; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jon Post, Mayor of the Town of Marana, do hereby recognize and commend Officer Lucas Wilkinson for his dedicated service and lasting contributions to the community, and invite the citizens of Marana to join me in congratulating him on the occasion of his retirement.

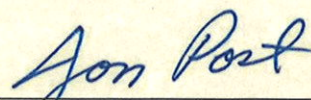
Dated this 13th day of May, 2026.

ATTEST:



Jill McCleary, Town Clerk





Jon Post, Mayor