

RESOLUTION NUMBER 2020-05

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE
TOWN OF PARADISE VALLEY, ARIZONA, CREATING AND
ESTABLISHING TERMS FOR A MAYOR'S FORUM FOR
PARADISE VALLEY EDUCATORS**

WHEREAS, the educational institutions located within the Town of Paradise Valley (the "Town") are a benefit to the Town's citizens and the community at large;

WHEREAS, the Mayor believes that there are opportunities for enhanced communication and cooperation between the Town and these educational institutions, and among the educational institutions themselves;

WHEREAS, the enhanced communication and cooperation among the Town and the Town's educational institutions is supportive of the desire and efforts to increase continually the safety of students and residents, the harmonious integration of those institutions within the Town, as well as enhancing the sense of community in the Town;

WHEREAS, a Mayor's Forum for Paradise Valley Educators ("Forum") shall be established as an advisory panel to the Mayor; and,

WHEREAS, the Forum shall be advisory to the Mayor, and consist of representatives from schools, public and private, within the Town, in such numbers as the Mayor may choose to invite to attend each such meeting of the Forum;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

- A. The Forum is hereby created and shall be comprised of any number of designated representatives from schools within in the Town and others (which may include Town staff members as selected by the Mayor in consultation with the Town Manager and/or Town

Attorney), in such numbers as the Mayor may choose to invite to attend each such meeting of the Forum.

- B. The Forum shall be advisory only to the Mayor, and not advisory to the Town Council as a whole, and therefore no formal agenda postings are required, nor are minutes required to be taken or regular reports to be made by the Forum.
- C. The Forum shall be chaired by the Mayor of the Town and shall meet at such intervals as deemed necessary and proper by the Mayor and public notice of the meetings shall be made by the Town. Further, the Mayor may suspend or terminate the activities of Forum at any time.
- D. The Forum is not intended to serve as vehicle to weigh in on substantive educational issues, which are outside the Town's limited government model and scope of services and expertise, but to look for ways to enhance safety, cooperation, best practices, and sense of community.

ADOPTED by the Town Council this 13th day of February 2020

Jerry Bien-Willner, Mayor

ATTEST:

Duncan Miller, Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Andrew M. Miller, Town Attorney