



# *Proclamation*

OFFICE OF THE  
MAYOR  
CITY OF SAN LUIS

## **National Education Association Read Across America 2019**

**WHEREAS**, the citizens of San Luis, Arizona stand firmly committed to promoting reading as the catalyst for our students' future academic success, their preparation for America's jobs of the future, and their ability to compete in a global economy; and

**WHEREAS**, our local schools have provided significant leadership in the area of community involvement in the education of our youth, grounded in the principle that educational investment is key to the community's well being and long-term quality of life; and

**WHEREAS**, "NEA's Read Across America," a national celebration of Dr. Seuss's Day was March 2, 2019, which promotes reading and adult involvement in the education of our community's students; and

**WHEREAS**, by recommitting to improve literacy and raising the expectations we have for our students, for our schools, and for ourselves, we will secure the future for our children and give every child a chance to succeed;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that Mayor Gerardo Sanchez calls on the citizens of San Luis, Arizona, to assure that parents, teachers, and communities work together to ensure reading is a local priority.

**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this City Council enthusiastically endorses "NEA's Read Across America" and recommits our community to engage in programs and activities to make America's children the best readers in the world.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 27<sup>th</sup> day of February 2019.

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Gerardo Sanchez, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Sonia Cornelio, City Clerk