

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-04

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FOUNTAIN HILLS, ARIZONA, DESIGNATING THE ISLANDS IN THE FOUNTAIN PARK LAKE AS NATURAL GREEN AREAS.

WHEREAS, the islands (the "Islands") in Fountain Park Lake (the "Lake") serve the birds on the Lake by providing not only shade, but nesting habitat for some species; and

WHEREAS, the Lake and Islands serve as a unique resource to the community in our desert environment by providing a natural sanctuary without extensive human pressure; and

WHEREAS, the Lake and the Islands serve as an oasis in the desert that attracts and serves a great diversity of plants and wildlife; and

WHEREAS, the Islands are currently being maintained as natural areas by local volunteers; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the Town of Fountain Hills (the "Town Council") desire to designate the Islands as natural green areas.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FOUNTAIN HILLS as follows:

SECTION 1. The recitals above are hereby incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

SECTION 2. The Town Council hereby designates the Islands as natural green areas and directs that the Islands shall continue to be maintained as natural areas to help protect the Islands from human impact.

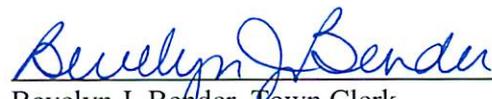
SECTION 3. The Mayor, the Town Manager, the Town Clerk and the Town Attorney are hereby authorized and directed to take all steps necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of this Resolution.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Council of the Town of Fountain Hills, March 5, 2015.

FOR THE TOWN OF FOUNTAIN HILLS:

ATTESTED TO:

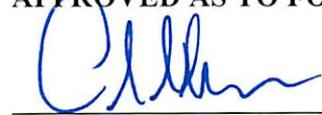

Linda M. Kavanagh, Mayor


Bevelyn J. Bender, Town Clerk

REVIEWED BY:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Kenneth W. Buchanan, Town Manager


Andrew J. McGuire, Town Attorney