

City of Arts & Innovation

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the City of Riverside 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 Riverside Municipal Airport have an immense economic impact on the City of Riverside; and

WHEREAS, California is home to 217 public-use general aviation airports which serve 58,008 FAA certified pilots and 28,402 FAA registered aircraft; and

WHEREAS, general aviation in California contributes over \$30.2 billion to the State's total economic impact; and

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

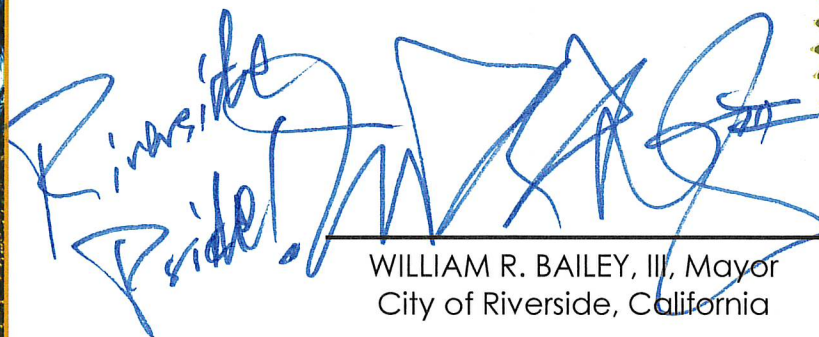
WHEREAS, the nation's aviation infrastructure represents an important public benefit serving communities of all sizes.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM R. BAILEY, III, Mayor of the City of Riverside, California, do hereby proclaim general aviation a vital strategic resource to the City of Riverside and do hereby proclaim April 2019 as

General Aviation Appreciation Month

in the City of Riverside and on behalf of the City Council, recognize the importance of general aviation and the Riverside Municipal Airport, to our community.

Dated this 1st day of April, 2019.

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WILLIAM R. BAILEY, III, Mayor
City of Riverside, California

