

Town Council Staff Report

DATE: May 27, 2025

TITLE: Recognition of Porter Wilson and Sahuarita Flag Football

SUBJECT: Presentation and recognition of Porter Wilson for his contributions to Sahuarita Flag

Football.

FROM: Devin Stalder, Parks & Recreation Director

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Porter Wilson dedicated 35 years to teaching at the Sahuarita Unified School District and made a lasting impact by standardizing the game of flag football. He invented the sonic belt and founded the company "Flag-a-Tag," which manufactured the equipment that revolutionized the sport. Porter also established flag football leagues throughout the region for both boys and girls, helping the sport gain momentum on an international scale. Today, we honor his legacy in celebration of what would have been his 100th birthday on May 8.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Presentation only

SUGGESTED MOTION:

Presentation only.

STRATEGIC PLAN:

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☐ Economic Expansion & Placemaking	□ Outreach & Communication	☐ Infrastructure & Facilities
☐ Highly Performing Organization	□ Community Well-being	☐ Other

OTHER/GOALS: N/A FISCAL IMPACT: N/A

ATTACHMENTS: To be presented at the meeting