## GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY

Executive Office of the Governor & Lieutenant Governor "Putting Our People First"

Stephen Roe Lewis
Governor



Robert Stone
Lieutenant Governor

## **EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 4 REGARDING CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC**

- WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, I issued an Executive Order (now referred to as Executive Order No. 1 Regarding Coronavirus Pandemic) regarding the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic and measures to be taken in the Gila River Indian Community to address the pandemic; and
- WHEREAS, on March 20, 2020, I issued Executive Order No. 2 Regarding Coronavirus Pandemic regarding the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic and measures to be taken with respect to the closure of schools located within the Gila River Indian Reservation to address the pandemic; and
- WHEREAS, on March 23, 2020, I issued Executive Order No. 3 Regarding Coronavirus Pandemic regarding measures to be taken with respect to price gouging occurring within the Gila River Indian Reservation; and
- WHEREAS, the Community must continue diligence in its efforts and direct measures to address the COVID-19 pandemic.
- **NOW THEREFORE, I,** Stephen Roe Lewis, Governor of the Gila River Indian Community, through the authority granted to me in the Constitution and Bylaws of the Gila River Indian Community and Title 1 of the Gila River Indian Community Code, hereby order as follows:
- First, I hereby designate as First Responders all utility workers who are conducting work within the Gila River Indian Community Reservation, including employees of the Gila River Indian Community Utility Authority (GRICUA) and the Gila River Telecommunications Incorporated (GRTI).
- **Second**, no household or business shall have its utilities disconnected by GRICUA or GRTI until the expiration of the declaration of a public health State of Emergency in the Gila River Indian Community declared pursuant to Executive Order No. 1.
- **Third**, I hereby place a moratorium on any new evictions being initiated by the Department of Community Housing (DCH) and Department of Housing Development

525 West Gu u Ki · P.O. Box 97 · Sacaton, Arizona 85147 Telephone: 520-562-9841 · Fax: 520-562-9849 · Email: executivemail@gric.nsn.us (DHD) until the expiration of the declaration of a public health State of Emergency in the Gila River Indian Community declared pursuant to Executive Order No. 1.

DONE THIS 23rd DAY OF MARCH, 2020.

GOVERNOR STATIEN ROE LEWIS

