City of Benson
City Council Communication

Regular Meeting **August 10, 2015**

To: Mayor and Council Agenda Item # 6

From: Bradley J. Hamilton, P.E. Director of Public Works/City Engineer

Subject:

Discussion and possible action and/or direction to staff about a Benson Airport Day and use of Community Enrichment Funds for such

Discussion:

This event is to promote the Airport site and surrounding properties to aviation-related businesses and other companies that prefer a location near an Airport. In addition, it is to provide a fun, educational event for residents of all ages that highlights the Airport's impact on the community.

Attached is a sample of the flyer that may be produced for the event.

The approximate cost for to the City for this event is $1,150.00.

Staff Recommendation:

Council pleasure

BENSON AIRPORT DAY

Benson Arizona

SAEDG southeast arizona economic development group

Saturday, December 5

Benson Municipal Airport (E95)

9:00am-4:00pm

FREE admission & FREE parking

PRESENTORS & VENDORS WILL INCLUDE:

- US Air Force
- Ultra-Lights
- Drones / UAVs
- Hot Air Balloon
- Home Built (DIY Kits) Display
- Parachuting School
- Bombardier LearJet
- Blimp
- Flight Simulator
- LifeNet (AirEvac)
- Raytheon Aerospace
- US Forest Service
- Space Camp
- Food Trucks & Concessions
- Live Radio Remote CAVE 97.7

FREE activities for kids: Paper Airplane Toss, Hot Air Balloon Coloring Contest, and Photo with an Astronaut