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GREETINGS!

On behalf of the State of Arizona, I would like to extend a warm welcome to all those attending the Firefighters 9/11 Memorial Dinner in Green Valley. I would also like to commend Lt. Col. Frank Sartanowicz, retired, for his continued commitment to the firefighter community by serving this dinner to seven Arizona fire stations in honor of their hard work and dedication.

The gathering of firefighters through out our communities to break bread together in remembrance of our nations fallen heroes is an outstanding way to honor their memories and show unity. The September 11 attacks have made us all very aware of the dangers involved in keeping this nation safe so I applaud all of you who are willing to put yourself in harm's way for the citizens of Arizona.

Once again, welcome and many thanks to all the firefighters who bravely serve our communities.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Janet Napolitano".

Janet Napolitano
Governor

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