## **RESOLUTION NO. R2016-16**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YUMA, ARIZONA, RELATING TO YUMA 50, INC., AN ARIZONA NON-PROFIT CORPORATION, WHICH SEEKS TO PROMOTE THE FURTHER DEVELOPMENT AND ENHANCEMENT OF THE RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN MARINE CORPS AIR STATION YUMA AND YUMA PROVING GROUND, AND THEIR RESPECTIVE PERSONNEL, AND THE ENTIRE YUMA AND SOUTHWESTERN ARIZONA COMMUNITIES, AND SUPPORTING COMMISSIONED AND ENLISTED MEN AND WOMEN AND CIVILIAN CONTRACTORS IN THEIR EFFORTS TO PROVIDE THE BEST POSSIBLE ENVIRONMENT AND CONDITIONS FOR MILITARY ACTIVITES

WHEREAS, Yuma 50, Inc., an Arizona non-profit corporation, was established on March 4, 2015; and,

WHEREAS, Yuma 50, Inc. seeks to develop and advocate legislation, public policy and government programs that will maintain the viability of Marine Corps Air Station and Yuma Proving Ground; and,

WHEREAS, the Yuma City Council finds that building and sustaining community support of Yuma's military installations contributes greatly to the security and wellbeing of the City of Yuma, the State of Arizona, the United States of America and its allies; and,

WHEREAS, protecting and facilitating the growth and long term preservation of military installations, the defense industry and the economy of Southwestern Arizona is a priority; and,

WHEREAS, by building public awareness and knowledge, Yuma 50, Inc. will support the immense economic benefit to the community and the tens of thousands of jobs that these military installations provide.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Yuma City Council hereby recognizes and supports the mission and long-term viability of Yuma 50, Inc. to make the appropriate outreach and education campaign for the broad community support of civic leaders, businesses, organizations, military support groups and private citizens across all political affiliations.

Adopted this	day of	, 2016.
		APPROVED:
		Douglas J. Nicholls Mayor
ATTESTED:		APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Lynda L. Bushong City Clerk		Steven W. Moore City Attorney