

**RESOLUTION NO. R2016-020**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YUMA, ARIZONA,  
RATIFYING THE CITY'S SUBMISSION OF POLICY IDEAS TO THE LEAGUE  
OF ARIZONA CITIES AND TOWNS FOR INCLUSION IN THE LEAGUE'S 2017  
LEGISLATIVE PLATFORM**

WHEREAS, the League of Arizona Cities and Towns (League) is an organization that represents the interests of Arizona municipalities before the Arizona State Legislature; and,

WHEREAS, the League annually adopts a platform for the upcoming legislative session through adoption of resolutions presented by its members; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Yuma (City) is a member of the League; and,

WHEREAS, the Yuma City Council desires to present resolution proposals for consideration as part of the League's 2017 legislative platform.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Yuma as follows:

SECTION 1: Ratifies the City Administrator's submission of the following policy ideas to the League for adoption and inclusion in the League's 2017 legislative platform and authorizes the City Administrator to submit, at a later date, additional policy ideas on issues of importance to the City of Yuma:

1. Urges the League to develop and pass legislation that gives municipalities greater flexibility in annexing county islands.
2. Amends Arizona Revised Statutes § 48-574 to authorize retention and detention basin improvement districts to levy and expend money to operate, maintain, repair and improve retention and detention basins within a municipality.

Adopted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

APPROVED:

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Douglas J. Nicholls  
Mayor

ATTESTED:

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Lynda L. Bushong  
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Steven W. Moore  
City Attorney