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## **RESOLUTION 2012-872**

## A RESOLUTION OF THEMAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CAMP VERDE, YAVAPAI COUNTY, ARIZONA, SUPPORTING THE REPEAL, ACCELERATED SUNSET AND/OR NONRENEWAL OF ARIZONA HOUSE BILL 2643

WHEREAS, House Bill 2643 requires cities and towns to establish a supplemental benefits plan for public safety employees that requires cities and towns to expend significant additional funds to compensate public safety employees who meet the eligibility criteria for enrollment in that plan at a time of reduced/declining municipal revenues; and

WHEREAS, the supplemental benefits plans that cities and towns are required to establish under *House Bill 2643* provide eligible employees with substantially more total compensation than such employees will make when they return to work, and thus provide a disincentive to returning to work as soon as is reasonably possible; and

WHEREAS, House Bill 2643 requires cities and towns to treat injured public safety employees who are injured at work more favorably than other municipal employees who are injured at work, thus creating two classes of employees; and

WHEREAS, House Bill 2643 constitutes an unfunded mandate on local government;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Camp Verde, Yavapai County, Arizona, that the Town of Camp Verde, Arizona expressly disapprove of *House Bill 2643*, and urges the Arizona Legislature to either repeal it, provide for an accelerated sunset date, or at a minimum, not renew it beyond its current sunset date of September 30, 2014.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** by a majority vote of the Common Council of the Town of Camp Verde, Arizona this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October 2012.

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Bob Burńside, Mayor	Date
ATTEST:	APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Deborah Barber	all
Deborah Barber, Town Clerk	W. J. Sims, Yown Attorney