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Region reaches out to assist Marana in second corridor clean up leading up to Accenture Match Play

The region is on course to assist Marana in conducting another corridor clean up in advance of the Accenture Match Play Golf Championship. The clean up will be held Feb. 15 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. along Tangerine Road, from I-10 to Dove Mountain Boulevard.

This project follows a Jan. 25 regional clean up on the Tucson Boulevard corridor starting near Tucson International Airport.

"We are very proud to be able to host for the second time the Accenture Match Play Championship and we are going all out to make the area look its best," said Marana Mayor Ed Honea and recent past chair of Pima Association of Governments' Regional Council. "We must continue to focus on our key corridors to build positive first impressions among our visitors. I'm happy the region is coming together again for this event."

PAG, in coordination with Tucson Regional Economic Opportunities and Southern Arizona Leadership Council, is exploring efforts to establish a long-term focus on improving the gateways into the region through clean-up efforts and through addressing signage, weed and landscape issues.

The effort on Tangerine Road is expected to involve more than 50 volunteers and participation from the towns of Marana and Oro Valley, the City of Tucson, Pima County, the Marana Chamber of Commerce, Northern Pima County Chamber of Commerce, PAG, Tucson Regional Economic Opportunities and Southern Arizona Leadership Council.

Businesses and/or partnering organizations interested in getting involved with clean-up opportunities may contact Tucson Clean & Beautiful at (520) 791-3109 or Sheila Storm at (520) 792-1093.

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