



A note from Chuck Catino, BAJA Community Service Chair

### **BAJA Project 137 Update – 2014/10/13**

The bleachers are installed, the water fountain is in, and the apron is done. I've just been notified that the County has obtained funding to be applied to the project this fiscal year which will go towards the restroom facility and leach fields. We are currently over seeding our ball fields and Sunland is *tentatively scheduled* to begin the grading the new softball practice field the week of October 20<sup>th</sup>.

Pima County's new fiscal year is just around the corner and new funding will soon become available. As I've informed you in the past, this amount is greatly influenced by how much BAJA Members contributes to the project. Folks, the time is now to do your part and contribute to the project to maximize our potential for matching funds from the County. I want to personally thank the 40 BAJA members that have already contributed \$6,150 so far this year. But we need more than 40 of the over 125 softball members to contribute to get the things we (BAJA) need or want for the Canoa Preserve Park. And since this park will be more than just softball fields, I also encourage our non-softball members to contribute.

Please make your tax-deductible check payable to Pima County Parklands Foundation (Checks should indicate that the donation is "restricted for BAJA Project #137.") and mail to Pima County Parklands Foundation, c/o Robert Padilla, Pima County Natural Resources, Parks and Recreation Department, 3500 W. River Road, Tucson, AZ 85741.

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