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Arizona House of Representatives

Representative Todd Clodfelter (R-10)

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Representatives Clodfelter, Friese, and Hernandez to Hold Press Conference Next Week Regarding Tucson's January 8th Memorial

STATE CAPITOL, PHOENIX – Representative Todd Clodfelter (R-10) will be hosting a press conference on February 22 at 1:00 p.m. at the Capitol Rose Garden regarding legislation he has introduced (<u>HB 2436</u>) that will provide state funding for a planned memorial to honor the victims of the January 8, 2011 attack in Tucson.

HB 2436 would appropriate \$2,500,000 over five years in matching funds to Tucson's January 8 Memorial Foundation for construction of the memorial if the U.S. Secretary of the Interior establishes a national memorial site. Arizona's congressional delegation has introduced federal legislation to establish a January 8 national memorial site.

WHAT:	Press conference in support of Tucson's January 8 th Memorial
WHEN:	February 22 nd at 1:00 p.m.
WHERE:	Capitol Rose Garden
WHO:	Representatives Todd Clodfelter (R-10), Randall Friese (D-9), and Daniel
	Hernandez (D-2), as well as January 8th survivor Pam Simon and Crystal
	Kasnoff , executive director for Tucson's January 8 th Memorial Foundation

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