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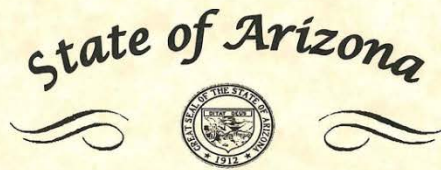
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Justice Clarence Thomas Day in Arizona

*House Proclamation for Day Honoring Justice Thomas for Outstanding Judicial
Achievement and Contributions to History and Heritage of Black Americans*

STATE CAPITOL, PHOENIX – State Representative Jake Hoffman (R-12) proclaimed today, February 24, 2021, as Justice Clarence Thomas Day, honoring Justice Clarence Thomas for his exceptional contributions to the history and heritage of black Americans and for his nearly thirty years of outstanding service on the Supreme Court of the United States, where he has been a champion for the Constitution and the rights enshrined within it.

A copy of the proclamation is below.



Legislative Proclamation
in Honor of
JUSTICE CLARENCE THOMAS DAY

Whereas, the month of February is recognized as Black History Month and celebrates the contributions of black Americans to the exceptionalism of America; and

Whereas, Justice Clarence Thomas represents the greatness of American opportunity, having been raised in his early life by a single mother and having overcome immense hardship and poverty; and

Whereas, through hard work and tremendous dedication to the principles of freedom and American exceptionalism, Justice Clarence Thomas rose to complete his legal studies and law degree from Yale University, one of the most prestigious law schools in the nation; and

Whereas, through his unwavering commitment and strict adherence to the original intent of our nation's founding documents, Justice Clarence Thomas has become known as a champion of the United States Constitution and the rights enshrined within it; and

Whereas, Justice Clarence Thomas ascended to the pinnacle of judicial achievement on October 23, 1991 when he was sworn in as an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States; and

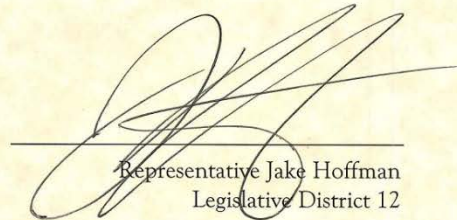
Whereas, Justice Clarence Thomas is now the longest serving Justice on the Supreme Court and will leave an indelible positive legacy on the American judicial system for generations to come; and

Whereas, Justice Clarence Thomas is the embodiment of the American dream and a champion for the rights of all Americans to reach their greatest God-given potential.

Therefore, I invite the Members of the House of Representatives to join me in proclaiming February 24, 2021 to be Justice Clarence Thomas Day in Arizona, to commemorate Justice Clarence Thomas' exceptional contributions to the history and heritage of black Americans and his nearly thirty years of outstanding service on the Supreme Court of the United States and support and encourage devotion to the opportunities afforded to all Americans by the United States Constitution.



Dated this 24th day of February 2021


Representative Jake Hoffman
Legislative District 12

Jake Hoffman is a Republican member of the Arizona House of Representatives serving Legislative District 12, encompassing Gilbert, Queen Creek, and part of Pinal County.

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