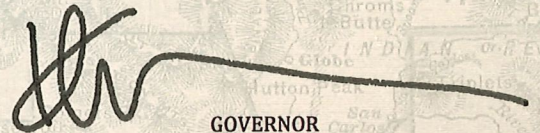


Proclamation

WHEREAS, according to the Center for Disease Control, 1 in 7 women have trouble getting pregnant or sustaining a pregnancy; and
WHEREAS, the American Medical Association supports the designation of infertility as a disease; and
WHEREAS, infertility affects women and men equally; and
WHEREAS, infertility can be caused by medical treatment for another condition, and most often by chemotherapy or radiation for cancer; and
WHEREAS, members of the LGBTQ community can face significant challenges when building their families; and
WHEREAS, family-building options include adoption and medical treatment, such as in vitro fertilization and third-party reproduction; and
WHEREAS, cost and lack of insurance coverage are often barriers to access the family building options Arizonans need; and
WHEREAS, raising awareness of infertility and the barriers faced by those experiencing infertility is the first step to removing these barriers.
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Katie Hobbs, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim April 20 - 26, 2025, as

INFERTILITY AWARENESS WEEK IN ARIZONA

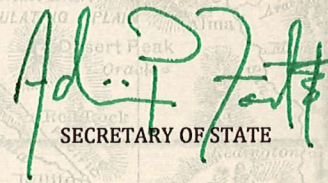
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona



GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-fourth day of March in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-Five and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Forty-Ninth.

ATTEST:



SECRETARY OF STATE

