

GOVERNOR DOUGLAS A. DUCEY

STATE OF ARIZONA
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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, ovarian cancer is one of the most common forms of cancer among women and causes more death than any other type of female reproductive cancer; and

WHEREAS, it is estimated that more than 21,000 women in the United States will be diagnosed with ovarian cancer this year and more than 13,000 will die from the disease; and

WHEREAS, Arizona has the sixth highest incidence and mortality rates of ovarian cancer in the American Southwest with over seventy percent of its cases being diagnosed at late-stage; and

WHEREAS, there is no test or screening exam that can detect ovarian cancer in its early stages; and

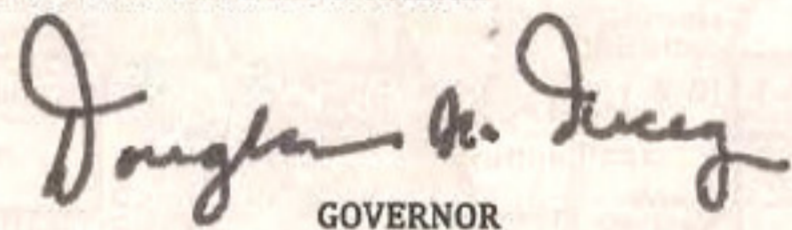
WHEREAS, on this day, we join the Arizona Cancer Coalition and the Arizona Chapter of the National Ovarian Cancer Coalition to raise awareness of the disease and its impact on Arizonans.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Douglas A. Ducey, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 2021 as

OVARIAN CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

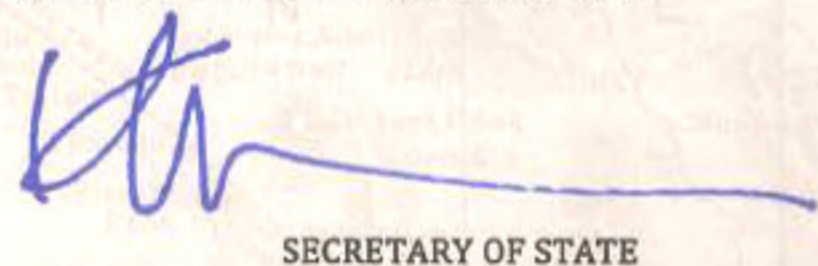
and encourage all citizens to learn more about the signs, symptoms, and treatment options available to women to identify and overcome this disease.

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-Seventh day of August in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-One, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Forty-Sixth.

ATTEST:


SECRETARY OF STATE

