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Supervisor Clint Hickman Endorsed By Arizona Republic

Newspaper chooses Hickman as best candidate in District 4 race

GOODYEAR—Maricopa County Supervisor Clint Hickman has received the endorsement of the *Arizona Republic*, the largest newspaper in Maricopa County, in his campaign for District 4 Supervisor.

The *Arizona Republic* cited Hickman's leadership style as a main reason for their endorsement stating, "Hickman, a co-owner of Hickman's Family Farms, has served a mostly successful and productive stint as an appointed supervisor. He is part of the new era of county leadership that has produced fewer bad headlines and some solid government work."

"I'm very excited to have earned the endorsement of the Arizona Republic," stated Supervisor Hickman. "I've focused on bringing a fresh approach to the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors and I'm happy to see that be recognized. I'll continue to work on keeping our government efficient, our taxes low and making sure West Valley businesses have the tools they need to grow and flourish."

The *Arizona Republic* joins Governor Jan Brewer, Sheriff Joe Arpaio, former Supervisor Max Wilson and many others across the West Valley as supporters of Supervisor Hickman's campaign. The campaign has also passed out hundreds of yard signs to supporters and has built a wide coalition of support for Supervisor Hickman's election.

Supervisor Hickman's priorities for District 4 include promoting and protecting Luke Air Force Base, reducing harmful regulations and creating a business-friendly environment in the West Valley. You can learn more about Supervisor Clint Hickman and his campaign at www.electclinthickman.com.

About Supervisor Clint Hickman

Clint Hickman is a fourth-generation Arizonan from one of the West Valley's most prominent families and businesses. He was appointed to the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors in March of 2013. Hickman was selected to replace former Supervisor Max Wilson and vowed to continue Wilson's tradition of integrity, decency and fairness – and to serve “as champion of the taxpayer.”

Hickman brings energy, enthusiasm and enormous business and community experience to public service. He is vice president of sales and marketing at Hickman's Family Farms, Arizona's largest egg producer, a West Valley landmark business that started in 1944 on Grandmom Nell's backyard porch and 50 hens. Hickman's Family Farms now houses four million hens.

Clint Hickman has more than 25 years of experience in the business. Other than four years at the University of Arizona, he has spent his entire life in the West Valley. Like his predecessor Max Wilson, Hickman comes to politics after long track record of community service and helping charitable causes. He is currently Honorary Commander of the 69th Fighter Squadron at Luke Air Force Base, a member of the Hunger Project, the Arizona and Maricopa County Farm Bureau, and board member of the Arizona Food Marketing Association. He was also appointed and served as one of the few civilian members on the Arizona Meth Project.

Hickman is a lifelong Republican – dedicated to promoting fiscal responsibility, protecting Luke Air Force Base, and reducing restrictions to support jobs and economic opportunities. He and his wife Jennifer have two sons and a daughter. They live in Goodyear.

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