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***Former Executive Director of the Morrison Institute and Former President/Publisher of the Reno Gazette Journal Susan Clark-Johnson Joins the Board of Directors of the Kenny Guinn for Policy Priorities***

LAS VEGAS, NV — The Board of Directors of the Kenny Guinn Center for Policy Priorities is pleased to announce the appointment to the board of Ms. Susan Clark-Johnson, who recently stepped down as Executive Director of Arizona State University's Morrison Institute for Public Policy, a nonpartisan think tank providing data-driven analysis of policy issues, a position she held from 2008-2013. Ms. Clark-Johnson retired in 2008 as president of the Gannett Company's publishing division, with responsibility at the time for over 100 newspapers, websites and magazines across the country.



Prior to that, she was publisher and CEO of The Arizona Republic, and President of Gannett's western division. From 1985 to 2000, Ms. Clark-Johnson was chairman, publisher and CEO of the Reno Gazette-Journal and President of Gannett's western division. While in Reno she served as co-founding chair (with Phil Satre) of the Forum for a Common Agenda. Ms. Clark-Johnson is currently executive-in-residence at the Walter Cronkite School for Journalism and Mass Communications at ASU.

She is a member of the board of directors of Pinnacle West Capital Corporation and Chyron Company. Ms. Clark-Johnson has been recognized by numerous organizations, including lifetime achievement awards from The Washington Women's Center, and the National Association of Female Executives. She was awarded the Distinguished Lifetime Achievement Award for Diversity efforts from the National Association of Minority Media Executives, and the Jerry J. Wisotsky Torch of Liberty Award from the Anti-Defamation League. Ms. Clark-Johnson is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations and the Phoenix Council on Foreign Relations. She is active in community organizations, serving on a variety of non-profit boards including Lake Tahoe Summerfest. She lives at Lake Tahoe, Nevada and Paradise Valley, Arizona.

"We are delighted that Sue has agreed to join the board and lend her vast experience and insights to the Guinn Center's mission and work. Her experience at the Morrison Institute and her distinguished career in journalism and publishing will enhance the Guinn Center's ability to provide relevant, timely, and accurate information," said Philip G. Satre, Chairman of the Board.

**The Guinn Center for Policy Priorities** is a nonprofit, bipartisan, policy center focused on providing independent and fact-based analysis of critical policy issues facing the state of Nevada and the Intermountain West. The Guinn Center engages policy-makers, experts, and the public with innovative, fact-based research, ideas, and analysis to advance policy solutions, inform the public debate, and expand public engagement.

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