NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kim Reynolds, Governor of the State of Iowa, do hereby proclaim September 24-29, 2018, as Clark & M cascina!E Schools Celebration Week of the Iowa Supreme Court's Sesquicentennial Celebration.

WHEREAS, the Iowa Supreme Court decision on the Clark & M is one of the most important civil rights decisions of the United States, setting a precedent for equal educational opportunities for all students.

WHEREAS, the passage of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 was a crucial step in advancing the rights of all Americans, including those in education.

WHEREAS, the 1868 Iowa Supreme Court decision in Clark v. Board of Directors of Des Moines, Iowa, demonstrated the court's commitment to upholding the rights of all citizens.

WHEREAS, the United States Supreme Court's decision in Brown v. Board of Education in 1954 was a landmark ruling that declared segregation in public schools unconstitutional.

WHEREAS, the passage of the Brown v. Board of Education was a significant victory for civil rights and paved the way for further progress in desegregating public schools.

WHEREAS, the Clark & M case and the Brown v. Board of Education are both emblematic of the ongoing struggle for racial equality and justice.

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