

# City of Las Vegas

Office of the Mayor and City Council

# Proclamation

*Whereas;* The Mayor and Members of the Las Vegas City Council are pleased to designate Wednesday, May 4, 2005 as Eva G. Simmons Day in the City of Las Vegas. We would like to take this opportunity to honor Mrs. Simmons for her many years of outstanding dedication and service to our community. We also would like to extend our sincere congratulations on the dedication of "Eva G. Simmons Elementary School" named in her honor; and

*Whereas;* Mrs. Simmons was born in Somerville, Texas on December 31st. She has been married to George Simmons, Jr. for 42 years and has two children and two grandchildren; and

*Whereas;* Mrs. Simmons received her Bachelor of Science Degree from the University of Texas and a Masters of Education from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas; and

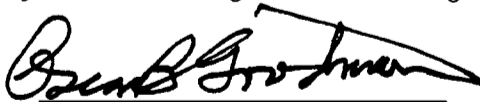
*Whereas;* Mrs. Simmons began her career with the Clark County School District in 1964 as an elementary classroom teacher. She served the school district in many administrative positions, including Elementary School Principle; Coordinator; Compensatory Education; Assistant Personnel Manager; Director of Employee and Management Relations and Area Superintendent for the Elementary Education and Curriculum Division. Mrs. Simmons retired from the Clark County School District in 2001 after 37 years of distinguished service; and

*Whereas;* Mrs. Simmons is especially proud that the Clark County School District selected her as an International Year of the Child Honoree, inducted her into the Excellence in Education Hall of Fame, and presented her with a Participating Leadership Award. In addition to her service to public education, Mrs. Simmons history of public service has been recognized by Federal, State and local municipalities and a host of other private and public organizations; now

*Therefore;* We, the Mayor and Members of the Las Vegas City Council, hereby proudly proclaim May 4, 2005 as:

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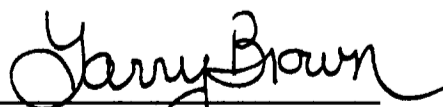
*In the City of Las Vegas and urge all citizens to join with us as we commend Mrs. Simmons for her outstanding dedication to our great community.*



Mayor Oscar B. Goodman



Mayor Pro Tem Gary Reese




Councilman Larry Brown



Councilman Lawrence Weekly



Councilman Michael Mack



Councilman Steve Wolfson



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