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Dear Maureen,

County Line Riders of Catalina, Inc, a 200 member 501c-3 non-profit organization dedicated to the preservation of trails and the equestrian way of life, fully support your efforts for designating the historic Colonial Spanish Horse as the Official State Horse of Arizona.

Horses have been a way of life in the Arizona Territory since the introduction of Colonial Spanish Horses from early explorers to our area. Thousands of people in Arizona own horses and contribute millions of dollars into the economy each year.

There is no better representative of this designation than the historic Colonial Spanish Horse.

We urge this legislation to pass in time for the 2012 Centennial Celebration to include the Official Arizona State Horse.

Sincerely,

Kim Goodman
President