

**C-SPAN Publishes Companion Book
to New Special History Series**

***Landmark Cases: 12 Historic Supreme Court Decisions*
by Tony Mauro**

(For Immediate Release, September 21, 2015) – In conjunction with its fall 2015 series, C-SPAN is publishing *Landmark Cases: 12 Historic Supreme Court Decisions*, written by longtime Supreme Court correspondent Tony Mauro.

C-SPAN is publishing the book as a special edition companion to the Landmark Cases series. The 12 case descriptions in the book are drawn and updated from the second edition of

Mr. Mauro's authoritative 2006 book *Illustrated Great Decisions of the Supreme Court*.

The new book features brief introductions to the backgrounds, highlights, and impact of the 12 landmark cases in the C-SPAN series. Published by C-SPAN in cooperation with CQ Press, an imprint of SAGE Publications, Inc., the book is 120 pages with pictures and an introduction by National Constitution Center President and CEO Jeffrey Rosen.

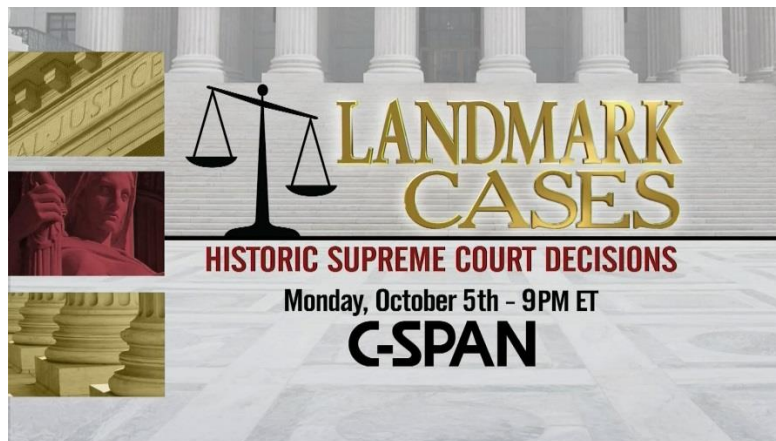
Mr. Mauro has covered the Supreme Court for 35 years, first for Gannett News Service and *USA TODAY* and then, since 2000, for *Legal Times*, *The National Law Journal*, and now *Supreme Court Brief*, a subscription newsletter about the court. Mr. Mauro received a bachelor's degree in political science from Rutgers University, and a master's degree from the Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism. *Washingtonian* magazine has twice included Mauro on its list of the top 50 journalists in Washington. He is a longtime member of the steering committee of the Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press, and in 2011 was inducted into the Freedom of Information Act Hall of Fame in recognition of his advocacy for openness in courts and other government institutions.



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Produced in cooperation with the National Constitution Center, the 12-part “**Landmark Cases: Historic Supreme Court Decisions**” series explores the issues, people and places involved in 12 of the most historically significant Supreme Court cases in our nation’s history, from the founding through 1973. Each 90-minute #LandmarkCases program will air live on C-SPAN and C-SPAN3

(also the weekend home for American History TV) on Monday nights at 9 p.m. ET, beginning October 5, 2015. They will also be available on <http://c-span.org/landmarkcases> and will air live on C-SPAN Radio. Using C-SPAN's signature live format of studio guests interacting with viewers and interspersed with visits to historic sites for context, the series will explore the stories of historic rulings which changed American society. Here is a two-minute video trailer previewing the series <https://youtu.be/6kuc5tyborM> .



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