

Whereas: Hispanic Heritage Month celebrates and recognizes the many important contributions of the Hispanic and Latinx residents of our city, state and country including in the areas of law, religion, agriculture, art, music, education, technology, architecture, cuisine, theatre, and exploration; and

Whereas: Hispanic Americans represent an array of distinct and vibrant cultures, all bringing unique social and cultural influences that enrich our community in valuable ways; and

Whereas: Hispanics Racinians have made great contributions to our community by growing successful businesses, teaching our next generation of leaders, strengthening our economy, creating jobs, and making countless other contributions; and

Whereas: this month let us honor the distinct heritage and rich traditions of food, dance, art, and history while reaffirming our commitment to ensure our City is an inclusive and welcoming community where Hispanic and Latinx residents can build a future that is bright with hope and opportunity for themselves, their families, and our country.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Cory Mason, Mayor of the City of Racine, do hereby proclaim the 15th of September through the 15th of October, 2020, as:

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

in the City of Racine, and invite all residents to honor and recognize the many contributions made to our community by its Hispanic and Latinx residents, and encourage everyone to rededicate themselves to the pursuit of equality.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have here unto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Racine to be affixed.

Accomplished at the City Hall this 7th day of September, 2021.

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