

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 362

Approved September 5, 2025

WHEREAS, Each year, from September 15th to October 15th, the United States observes Hispanic Heritage Month to recognize the culture, history, and contributions of Hispanic Americans; and

WHEREAS, The celebration coincides with the independence anniversaries of several Latin American countries, including Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Mexico, Chile, and Belize; and



WHEREAS, The Hispanic community represents nearly half of Providence's population, enriching our city with traditions rooted in family, faith, music, art, cuisine, and civic leadership; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Americans have contributed greatly to the fields of education, business, science, the arts, government, and more, strengthening not only the cultural fabric of Providence, but the nation's character as well; and

WHEREAS, The City of Providence is proud to honor the dedication, resilience, and creativity of its Hispanic residents, whose impact continues to shape the city's growth and identity, and will always work to protect their rights, empower their voices, and fight for their inclusion.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council reaffirms September 15th to October 15th of each year as Hispanic Heritage Month in the City of Providence and celebrates the achievements and legacy of Hispanic Americans.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
SEP 04 2025  
READ AND PASSED

  
RACHEL M. MILLER, PRESIDENT  
  
CLERK

I HEREBY APPROVE.

  
Mayor

Date: 9/5/2025