



# TOWN COMMISSION MEETING

September 26, 2023 at 6:30 PM

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**AGENDA ITEM TITLE:** PROCLAMATION, HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

**SUBJECT:** The Town will consider support for September/October as National Hispanic Heritage Month

**STAFF ANALYSIS:** Each year, Americans observe National Hispanic Heritage Month from September 15 to October 15, by celebrating the histories, cultures, influence, and contributions of American citizens whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central and South America.

The observation started in 1968 as Hispanic Heritage Week under President Lyndon Johnson and was expanded by President Ronald Reagan in 1988 to cover a 30-day period starting on September 15 and ending on October 15. It was enacted into law on August 17, 1988.

This proclamation will be received by Shawanda Concepcion.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** NONE

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:** Staff Recommends Support

**ATTACHMENTS:** 2023 Hispanic Heritage Month Proclamation