



CITY OF  
**FORESTPARK**

# ***PROCLAMATION***

## **IMMIGRANT HERITAGE MONTH**

**WHEREAS:** generations of immigrants from every corner of the globe have built our country's economy and created the unique character of our nation;

**WHEREAS:** immigrants continue to grow businesses, innovate, strengthen our economy, and create American jobs in Forest Park, GA;

**WHEREAS:** immigrants have provided the United States with unique social and cultural influence, fundamentally enriching the extraordinary character of our nation;

**WHEREAS:** immigrants have been tireless leaders not only in securing their own rights and access to equal opportunity, but have also campaigned to create a fairer and more just society for all Americans; and

**WHEREAS:** despite these countless contributions, the role of immigrants in building and enriching our nation has frequently been overlooked and undervalued throughout our history and continuing to the present day:

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** be it resolved that the City of Forest Park recognize June 2021 as Immigrant Heritage Month in Forest Park. We urge our citizens and stakeholders to use the month of June to educate themselves on the contribution of immigrants to our local community.

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Mayor Angelyne Butler

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