

1 [Latinx Heritage Month - September 15th through October 15th Annually]

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3 **Resolution declaring September 15, 2021, through October 15, 2021, and every year**  
4 **thereafter, as “Latinx Heritage Month” in the City and County of San Francisco.**

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6 WHEREAS, Latinx Heritage Month recognizes and celebrates the unity, history, and  
7 diverse cultures of the Latinx community; and

8 WHEREAS, September 15th through October 15th, community organizations, cultural  
9 institutions, schools, media outlets, businesses, and elected officials come together to  
10 recognize and honor the diversity of San Francisco with programming and events celebrating  
11 Latinx Heritage Month; and

12 WHEREAS, The Latinx community in San Francisco represents over 15 percent of the  
13 population and is a rich collection of many peoples and cultures in the Americas; and

14 WHEREAS, It is a longstanding tradition for our City and County honor and celebrates  
15 the significant contributions of the Latinx community and the positive impact is has on the  
16 character that makes San Francisco great; and

17 WHEREAS, Despite being the hardest hit community by the health, economic, and  
18 educational disparities exacerbated by the unprecedented pandemic, the Latinx community  
19 has proven to be essential to the resiliency, economic recovery and prosperity of this City,  
20 State, and Country; and

21 WHEREAS, The Latinx community is a significant part of the fabric of our society and  
22 continues to make valuable contributions to the culture, economy, and thriving livelihood of  
23 the City and County of San Francisco; now, therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby declares September 15, 2021,  
2 through October 15, 2021, and every year thereafter, as "Latinx Heritage Month" in the City  
3 and County of San Francisco; and, be it

4 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors will continue to support and to  
5 uplift Latinx communities in achieving equitable outcomes through investments, resources, fair  
6 representation, and leadership opportunities.

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