



## Hispanic Heritage Month September 15 - October 15, 2022

**Whereas:** The City of Roseville recognizes and honors contributions of all members of our community; and

**Whereas:** September 15 is the anniversary of independence for five Latin American countries: Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua; and Mexico achieved independence on September 16; and Chile achieved independence on September 18; and

**Whereas:** In 1988 the United States Congress adopted a resolution designating September 15 to October 15 of each year as National Hispanic Heritage Month; and

**Whereas:** Hispanic Americans bring a rich cultural heritage representing many countries, ethnicities and religious traditions which contribute to America's future; and

**Whereas:** The Hispanic community has had a profound influence on our country through their strong commitment to family, faith, hard work, and services, and they have enhanced and shaped our national heritage with centuries old traditions that reflect the multiethnic and multicultural customs of their community; and

**Whereas:** During National Hispanic Heritage Month, the United States celebrates the culture and traditions of Spanish speaking residents who trace their roots to Spain, Mexico, Central America, South America and the Caribbean.

**Whereas:** The City of Roseville invites all members of the community to celebrate 2022 Hispanic Heritage Month with a theme of "Unidos: Inclusivity for a Stronger Nation"; and

**Now, Therefore Be It Resolved,** that the City Council hereby proclaim September 15 to October 15, 2022 to be Hispanic Heritage Month in the City of Roseville, County of Ramsey, State of Minnesota, U.S.A

**In Witness Whereof,** I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Roseville to be affixed this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 22.

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Mayor Daniel J. Roe