

AZUSA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
RESOLUTION #23-24:03

**IN SUPPORT OF DESIGNATING SEPTEMBER 15 THROUGH
OCTOBER 15, 2023, AS HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH**

WHEREAS, the United States Congress adopted a resolution asking the president of the United States to annually issue a proclamation designating September 15 through October 15, 2023, “National Hispanic Heritage Month” in recognition of the achievements and contributions of Hispanic Americans; and

WHEREAS, Americans who trace their ancestry to various Hispanic countries have contributed much to our Nation. During Hispanic Heritage Month, we highlight their importance to our great Nation and our District; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Americans have made great contributions through their talents and hard work as well as their values and commitment to family and community which have helped to shape and strengthen America.

WHEREAS, the diversity among Hispanic Americans adds to the cultural fabric of our society; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Americans have enriched our culture, excelling in many fields, including education, business, science, technology, government, sports, and the arts; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Americans serve in all branches of the Armed Forces and have fought bravely in every war in the history of the United States;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the Azusa Unified School District designates September 15 through October 15, 2023, as “Hispanic Heritage Month.” The Board calls on the residents of Azusa and the greater San Gabriel Valley to join schools and communities across the nation in celebrating and promoting achievements and contributions made by Hispanic Americans.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Education of the Azusa Unified School District, this 26th day of September, 2023, by the following vote:

AYES: _____

NOES: _____

ABSTAIN: _____

ABSENT: _____

I, Gabriela Arellanes, Clerk of the Board of Education, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a resolution duly passed and adopted by said Board of Education at a regularly called and conducted Board of Education meeting held on said date.

Gabriela Arellanes,
Clerk of the Board of Education