



DATE: September 1, 2021

TO: Board of Education

FROM: Mrs. Carmen Ghysels, Superintendent Chief Learning Officer

SUBJECT: Adopt Resolution No. 4-2021-2022 Honoring National Hispanic Heritage Month ¡Mes de la Herencia Hispana! September 15 to October 15, 2020

PRESENTED BY: Mrs. Carmen Ghysels, Superintendent Chief Learning Officer

ACTION REQUESTED

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Hispanic Heritage Week began in 1968 under President Lyndon Johnson and was expanded and enacted into law in 1988 to cover a 30-day period starting on September 15, the day which represents the anniversary of independence for five Latin American countries.

Hispanic Americans have made important contributions to the cultural fabric of this country while achieving significant recognition in American literature, science, music, and political leadership; and have helped to shape our Tahoe Truckee community with profound and positive influences through a strong commitment to family, faith, and community, an enduring work ethic and many contributions to society as well as in our classrooms. This resolution proclaims that our schools will stand with the nation in recognizing September 15 to October 15 National Hispanic Heritage Month with activities appropriate to the occasion, and to value the roles and contributions of Hispanics to the local and national economies, culture, and identity.

RESOURCES REQUIRED: N/A

PREPARED BY: Lupita Vazquez, Executive Assistant

Attachments: Resolution