

**VICTOR VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
RESOLUTION NO. 25-16**

**National Hispanic Heritage Month**

ON MOTION of Member Jennifer Tarpley, seconded by Member Dr. Chappelle Griffin, the following resolution is hereby adopted.

**WHEREAS**, in 1968, Congress authorized President Lyndon B. Johnson to proclaim a week in September as National Hispanic Heritage Week, and in 1988, this celebration was expanded to National Hispanic Heritage Month from September 15 through October 15 of each year; and

**WHEREAS**, during this time, America celebrates the culture, traditions, and achievements of United States residents who trace their roots to Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean, and Central and South America; and

**WHEREAS**, Hispanic and LatinX Americans have contributed in countless ways to the history and building of this nation, their histories and cultures stretching across centuries; and

**WHEREAS**, Hispanic and LatinX Americans have made extraordinary past contributions and continue to contribute to our community, state, nation and world, including advances in education, medicine, art, culture, public service, economics, military, human rights, and politics;

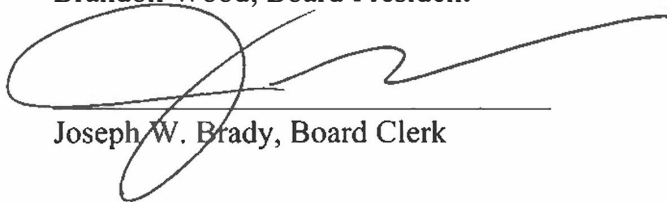
**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Victor Valley Community College District Board of Trustees recognizes, supports and honors Hispanic Heritage Month and the achievements of VVC's Hispanic and LatinX students, faculty, staff, alumni, and community members, and respectfully encourages all citizens to explore the rich and significant heritage of these members of our community

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Governing Board this September 9, 2025.



Brandon Wood, Board President

9/9/25  
Date



Joseph W. Brady, Board Clerk

9/9/25  
Date