



**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP,
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA TO RECOGNIZE HISPANIC HERITAGE
MONTH**

RESOLUTION 2022-36

WHEREAS, Hispanic Heritage Month is an annual celebration of the history and culture of the U.S. Latinx and Hispanic communities; and

WHEREAS, this event, from September 15 to October 15 commemorates how these communities have influenced and contributed to American society at large; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Heritage Month began a celebratory week when it was first launched in 1968; and

WHEREAS, the desire to recognize the contribution of the Latinx community has gained momentum throughout the 1960s when the civil rights movement was at its peak, and with it came a growing awareness of the United States' multicultural identities; and

WHEREAS, in 1988 President George H.W. Bush declared the 31-day period from September 15 to October 15 as National Hispanic Heritage Month.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Montgomery Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, that we hereby recognize September 15th through October 15th as Hispanic Heritage Month.

AND BE IT FURTHER, RESOLVED, that we celebrate this Hispanic Heritage Month and our Hispanic employees who make a positive impact on our Township and the lives of our residents each day.

RESOLVED, at the duly convened meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Montgomery Township conducted on this 26th day of September 2022.

Tanya C. Bamford, Chairwoman

Candyce Fluehr Chimera, Vice-Chairwoman

Annette M. Long, Member

Beth A. Staab, Member

Audrey R. Ware, Member

Attest: Carolyn McCreary, Secretary