

City of Palm Coast, Florida Agenda Item

Agenda Date: September 15, 2026

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Department Division	CITY ADMINISTRATION	Amount Org/Account #
Subject: PROCLAMATION - SEPTEMBER 15, 2026, TO OCTOBER 15, 2026, AS HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH		
Presenter: Mayor and City Council		
Attachments: 1. Proclamation		
Background: The City of Palm Coast would like to proclaim September 15, 2026, to October 15, 2026, as Hispanic Heritage Month.		
Recommended Action: PROCLAIM SEPTEMBER 15, 2026, TO OCTOBER 15, 2026, AS HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH		



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of Palm Coast is proud to recognize and celebrate the rich cultural heritage, contributions, and achievements of Hispanic and Latino Americans who have enriched our community with their diverse traditions, customs, and talents; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Heritage Month is a time to honor the cultures, histories, and vital contributions of Hispanic and Latino Americans to our nation, fostering a deeper understanding and appreciation of our shared heritage; and

WHEREAS, the Hispanic American Cultural Society, Inc. (HACS), a non-profit, community-focused organization, has played an integral role in uplifting Hispanic residents with fewer resources in Florida by providing assistance, resources, and community connection; and

WHEREAS, HACS hosts numerous community and fundraising events throughout the year to fund its mission and strengthen the bonds between people of all backgrounds, with the help of many dedicated sponsors and supporters who share in its vision of *"Bringing people together"*; and

WHEREAS, the City of Palm Coast is committed to recognizing Hispanic and Latino culture and heritage as an important part of the city and its strong and diverse community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Palm Coast, Florida, that September 15, 2026, to October 15, 2026, be officially designated as:

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

in the City of Palm Coast, and we encourage all residents to join us in celebrating the diverse cultures, traditions, and contributions of Hispanic and Latino Americans. We further commend the Hispanic American Cultural Society for its outstanding service, dedication, and impact in bringing people together and strengthening our community.

SIGNED this 15th day of September 2026.

ATTEST:

CITY OF PALM COAST

Kaley Cook, City Clerk

Michael Norris, Mayor