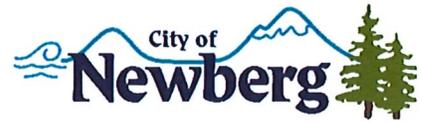


# PROCLAMATION



## A PROCLAMATION DECLARING SEPTEMBER 15 TO OCTOBER 15, 2022 AS HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH IN THE CITY OF NEWBERG

*WHEREAS*, in honor of Hispanic Heritage Month, the City of Newberg is pleased to celebrate the Hispanic and Latino/a/x community throughout our city; and

*WHEREAS*, National Hispanic Heritage Month is celebrated in the United States from September 15 to October 15. The observance was introduced in 1968 as Hispanic Heritage Week under President Johnson and was expanded by President Reagan in 1988 to cover a 30-day period; and

*WHEREAS*, Hispanic Heritage Month celebrates the history, traditions, and culture of the Hispanic and Latino/a/x residents in Newberg. We admire the invaluable ways they contribute to our city by bringing rich diversity and growth to our community; and

*WHEREAS*, we strive to continue to commemorate this month by recognizing and dedicating ourselves to working together to address the challenges that still face our Hispanic and Latino/a/x population; and

*NOW, THEREFORE*, I, Rick Rogers, Mayor of the City of Newberg, Oregon, do hereby proclaim September 15 to October 15, 2022 as

## HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and cause the Seal of the City of Newberg to be affixed on this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 2022.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rick Rogers". The signature is written over a horizontal line.

Rick Rogers, Mayor