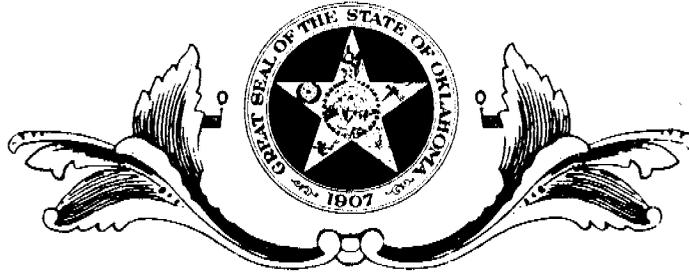


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Proclamation

Whereas, Oklahoma is made of a multitude of cultures, traditions and values which add to our state's strengths as we all work toward building a better world; and

Whereas, Hispanic Americans have added their own hard work, strong values, pride and sense of family to Oklahoma's rich heritage; and

Whereas, Oklahoma's prosperity is derived from many distinct groups, including those with roots in Mexico, South and Central America, Spain and the Caribbean. Hispanic Americans have become an integral part of our state, adding their own style and traditions; and

Whereas, all Oklahomans are encouraged to respect the diversity, contributions, history, faith and culture of Latinos in Oklahoma;

Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, do hereby proclaim the month of October, 2011 as

"Latino Heritage Month"

in the State of Oklahoma.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.



ATTEST:

Assistant SECRETARY OF STATE

Michelle R. Day

Mary Fallin
GOVERNOR

Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this 24th day of September in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and eleven, and of the State of Oklahoma in the One hundred and third year.

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