

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of Brentwood celebrates the rich cultural diversity that strengthens our community and contributes to our shared values; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic people were among the earliest settlers in California, in Contra Costa County and other regions of the United States, and over the years have come to this country in search of democracy, freedom and a better way of life. Their diverse and vibrant culture includes elements originating in Europe, North America, Central America, South America and the Caribbean; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic Heritage Month, celebrated nationally from September 15 to October 15, honors the diverse cultures, rich histories, and significant contributions of Hispanic and Latino Americans; and

WHEREAS, the 2024 theme, “Pioneers of Change: Shaping the Future Together”, highlights the vision, resilience, and leadership of Hispanic Americans who are driving innovation, social progress, and community building across our nation; and

WHEREAS, Hispanic and Latino Americans have played an integral role in the growth, vibrancy, and diversity of Brentwood, contributing significantly to our economy, public service, education, the arts, and many other fields; and

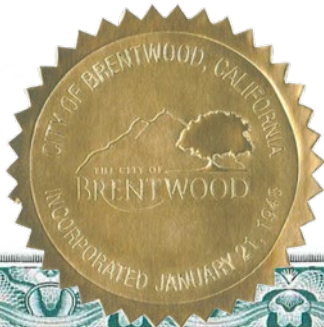
WHEREAS, the City of Brentwood recognizes the importance of fostering inclusion, celebrating diversity, and honoring those who have helped shape our shared future.

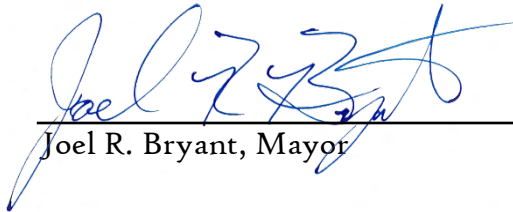
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the City Council of the City of Brentwood does hereby recognize September 15 – October 15, 2024, as

HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

and calls upon the residents of Brentwood to observe the month with ceremonies, activities, and programs that celebrate Hispanic heritage and recognize the impact Hispanic people have had on our community.

Dated this 24th day of September 2024




Joel R. Bryant, Mayor