



SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 20-014

BY SENATOR(S) Gonzales and Moreno, Rodriguez, Bridges, Cooke, Coram, Crowder, Danielson, Donovan, Fenberg, Fields, Foote, Gardner, Ginal, Hansen, Hisey, Holbert, Lee, Lundeen, Priola, Rankin, Scott, Smallwood, Sonnenberg, Story, Todd, Williams A., Winter, Woodward, Zenzinger, Garcia;
also REPRESENTATIVE(S) Gonzales-Gutierrez, Benavidez, Caraveo, Duran, Jaquez Lewis, Arndt, Bird, Bockenfeld, Buckner, Buentello, Catlin, Coleman, Cutter, Esgar, Froelich, Garnett, Hooton, Jackson, Kennedy, Kipp, Kraft-Tharp, Lontine, McCluskie, McLachlan, Melton, Michaelson Jenet, Mullica, Pelton, Roberts, Singer, Sirota, Snyder, Sullivan, Tipper, Titone, Valdez A., Valdez D., Weissman, Will, Wilson, Woodrow, Young, Becker.

CONCERNING THE RECOGNITION OF LATINO ADVOCACY DAY.

WHEREAS, Latino/a Advocacy Day celebrates 14 years of engaging Latinos from all over Colorado to speak out and help shape forward-thinking policies that make a difference in the lives of Latinos and Coloradans; and

WHEREAS, Latinos are a key part of Colorado's constituency, calling our great state their home. Furthermore, Latinos are leaders in our families and our communities, as well as in elected offices throughout the country; and

WHEREAS, Engaging Latinos in the political process strengthens the fabric of our great state, ensures that the voices and lived experiences of all Coloradans are respected and honored, and helps to reflect our values of fairness and equal opportunity; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Seventy-second General Assembly of the State of Colorado, the House of Representatives concurring herein:

(1) That we, members of the General Assembly, recognize the achievements of the Latino/a community in politics and honor its contributions to communities all across the state; and

(2) That we pay tribute to past and current activists who have paved the way for the leaders of today, including Cesar E. Chavez, Dolores Huerta, Rodolfo "Corky" Gonzales, Los Seis de Boulder, Reyes Martinez, Una Jaakola, Neva Romero, Freddie Granado, Heriberto Teran, Francisco Dougherty, and Jeanette Vizguerra.

Be It Further Resolved, That copies of this Joint Resolution be sent to Colorado Democratic Latino Caucus; Colorado Organization for Latina Opportunity and Reproductive Rights (COLOR); Colorado Latino Leadership, Advocacy, and Research Organization (CLLARO); Colorado Immigrant Rights Coalition (CIRC); Protége; and Mi Familia Vota Education Fund.

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