



State of Wisconsin
2025 - 2026 LEGISLATURE

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2025 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 83

August 29, 2025 - Introduced by Representatives ORTIZ-VELEZ, ALLEN, ANDRACA, AUGUST, BARE, DESMIDT, DONOVAN, EMERSON, GOEBEN, GOODWIN, GUSTAFSON, KIRSCH, KRUG, MURPHY, RIVERA-WAGNER, RODRIGUEZ, SINICKI, SPAUDE, STROUD, SUBECK, TAYLOR, TUSLER, WICHGERS and ANDERSON, cosponsored by Senators CABRAL-GUEVARA, CARPENTER, DASSLER-ALFHEIM, DRAKE, HABUSH SINYKIN, HESSELBEIN, JACQUE, L. JOHNSON, LARSON, RATCLIFF, ROYS, SPREITZER, TOMCZYK, WALL and WIRCH. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1 **Relating to:** recognizing September 15 to October 15, 2025, as Hispanic Heritage

2 Month in Wisconsin.

3 Whereas, Hispanic and Latino people settled in Wisconsin before the territory
4 achieved statehood; and

5 Whereas, in the 20th century, Central and South Americans increasingly
6 migrated to Wisconsin for work, becoming a vital part of Wisconsin's agricultural
7 economy; and

8 Whereas, today, Wisconsin has become home to more than 450,000 Hispanics
9 and Latinos, who represent one of the fastest-growing demographic groups in the
10 state; and

11 Whereas, Hispanics and Latinos live and work all across the state, enriching
12 and revitalizing rural and urban communities alike; and

13 Whereas, many Hispanics and Latinos are proud public servants, occupying
14 elected offices at the local, state, and federal levels; and

Whereas, Hispanics and Latinos have risked their lives to defend the United States in every armed conflict in modern history; and

Whereas, Hispanic Heritage Month presents an opportunity to honor the contributions of Hispanics and Latinos to our nation's past, present, and future; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the Wisconsin Legislature recognizes September 15 to October 15, 2025, as Hispanic Heritage Month in Wisconsin.

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