



## PROCLAMATION

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### SUPPORT LATINO BUSINESS DAY

**WHEREAS**, Arlington, VA is a diverse city for entrepreneurs and trailblazers with an increasing Hispanic population, most recently a 15.6% rise, leading a growing and thriving Latino business community; and

**WHEREAS**, in that spirit, Arlington recognizes the unique contributions of the Latino community during this Hispanic Heritage Month celebrations through Support Latino Business, a rallying cry for diverse partners including community organizations, elected officials, business leaders and owners, and entrepreneurs to celebrate the significant economic contributions Latino-owned businesses make, the jobs they help create, and the positive impact they bring to our community and beyond; and

**WHEREAS**, Arlington, VA is joining communities across the country for the inaugural Support Latino Business Day to acknowledge and encourage support for our Latino-owned businesses;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Libby Garvey, Chair of Arlington County Board, do hereby proclaim September 14, 2020 as

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and we encourage our residents to appreciate the diversity of foods, goods and services that our Latino businesses offer our community.



  
Libby Garvey  
Chair