

CITY OF HYATTSVILLE

PROCLAMATION

DECLARING MAY 4, 2024 TO BE CITIZENSHIP CELEBRATION DAY IN THE CITY OF HYATTSVILLE

This proclamation recognizes and celebrates the newest citizens of the United States of America who have decided to make their home here in the City of Hyattsville.

WHEREAS, in 2014, Hyattsville's Mayor and City Council designated the first Saturday of each May as Citizenship Celebration Day to honor those residents of the City who have recently become citizens of the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hyattsville values the contributions of immigrants and new citizens who help foster a spirit of inclusion that enriches our community and preserves its legacy as a City of freedom and opportunity; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hyattsville wishes to acknowledge immigrants' commitment to the United States of America and its Constitution and to the idea of liberty and justice for all on which this country has been founded; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hyattsville recognizes those becoming citizens of the United States of America who live in Hyattsville and choose to enjoy the rights and privileges of full United States citizenship as we all strive for a "more perfect union".

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the City of Hyattsville declare May 4, 2024, to be Citizenship Celebration Day in the City of Hyattsville in recognition of our residents who have recently earned the rights and responsibilities incumbent upon every citizen of the United States of America.

Robert S. Croslin

Mayor, City of Hyattsville

May 6, 2024

