

# Legislation Text

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## Item Title: Proclamation in Celebration of June as Caribbean-American Heritage Month

#### Suggested Action:

I move the Mayor and Council adopt a proclamation recognizing and honoring June as Caribbean-American Heritage Month.

#### Summary Background:

2023 marks the 19th anniversary of Caribbean-American Heritage Month nationally, and more than four million Caribbean-Americans live in the United States that enrich our nation. The City of Hyattsville is fortunate to have a diverse community, which includes residents who have roots in the many nations and cultures of the Caribbean, and the City Council and Mayor acknowledge the role Caribbean-Americans continue to play in helping create and maintain the strength and independence of our community.

**Next Steps:** Adopt the proclamation.

Fiscal Impact: N/A

**City Administrator Comments:** Recommend support.

### Community Engagement:

The City has planned recognition for the month via social media outlets.

#### Strategic Goals:

Goal 5 - Strengthen the City's Identity as a Diverse, Creative, and Welcoming Community

#### Legal Review Required? N/A