



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 2/11/2025

File #: 25-259

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Supervisor Mike Wilson

Agenda Section: Consent

Vote Requirement: Majority

SUBJECT:

Proclaim February 2025 as Black History Month in Humboldt County

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Authorize the Chair to sign the proclamation.

STRATEGIC PLAN:

This action supports the following areas of your Board's Strategic Plan.

Area of Focus: Core Services/Other

Strategic Plan Category: 9999 - Core Services/Other

DISCUSSION:

The annual observance of Black History Month provides the county with the opportunity to reflect on the rich history, culture and contributions of Black individuals locally.

Black History Month also serves as a powerful reminder of the ongoing journey toward equity and justice in Humboldt County. Through dialogue, activism and allyship, barriers can be dismantled to create more opportunities for Black individuals to thrive. Through these collective efforts the county fosters a sense of unity, respect and empathy, reinforcing the importance of acknowledging and honoring Black heritage beyond the confines of a single month.

Black History Month not only celebrates the past but also inspires hope for a future where diversity is embraced, and every voice is heard and valued.

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

General Fund

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

There is no financial impact to a ceremonial agenda item.

STAFFING IMPACT:

N/A

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OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

None

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

Board Discretion

ATTACHMENTS:

Black History Month Proclamation

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Meeting of: N/A

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