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Sponsor(s): Burke, Edward M. (14)

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Title: Congratulations extended to Chicagoans of Mexican descent

Committee(s) Assignment:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Eduardo Arnal, Consul General of Mexico in Chicago, will preside over a ceremony on September 15, 2012, to commemorate the 202nd Anniversary of Mexico's independence; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago City Council has been informed of this milestone by Alderman Edward M. Burke; and

WHEREAS, With over one million people of Mexican descent residing in the Chicago Metropolitan area, the culture of Mexico is an integral part of the diverse fabric which is a hallmark of our fine City; and

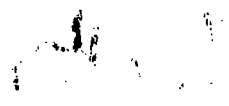
WHEREAS, Through music, art, faith, cuisine, and much more, residents of Mexican descent contribute richly to the opulent culture of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, The civic associations and civil rights organizations which have been created by Mexicans over the past forty years have been of significant benefit to the city as a whole; and

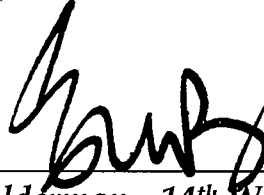
WHEREAS, Chicago's Mexican Fine Arts Center Museum, which contains internationally-renowned exhibits and collections, is one of the premiere Mexican art museums in the nation; and

WHEREAS, A ceremony marking the 202nd anniversary of Mexican independence will be held on September 15, 2012, at the Grand Ballroom on Navy Pier - 600 E. Grand Avenue in Chicago; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and the members of the Chicago City Council, assembled this twelfth day of September, 2012, do hereby congratulate Chicagoans of Mexican descent on the 202nd Anniversary of Mexican independence; and



BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Eduardo Arnal, Consul General of Mexico in Chicago.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'G. Santos', written over a horizontal line.

Alderman - 14th Ward