

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, according to the National Women's Business Council, there are over two million Latina-owned businesses in the country, this is the fastest-growing segment of the business community in the United States, playing a key role in fueling the nation's economy; and

WHEREAS, Latina entrepreneurs represent nearly half of all Latino businesses, which account for almost two million of all small businesses in the United States; and

WHEREAS, according to data from the Latino Community Foundation, they also create businesses at a rate six times faster than other groups in the U.S; and

WHEREAS, the City of Seattle recognizes the great importance of the economic activity of Latina women in not only the city, but the country.

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRUCE A. HARRELL, MAYOR OF SEATTLE, DO HEREBY
PROCLAIM NOVEMBER 19, 2022 TO BE*

Latina Women Entrepreneur Day



Bruce A. Harrell

Mayor Bruce A. Harrell
City of Seattle

