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Title

Congratulating Elizabeth Torres for being selected as the 2016 Miss Viva México and ambassador of Mexican culture and heritage.

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WHEREAS, Hispanic Heritage month is celebrated in the United States from September 15 to October 15; and

WHEREAS, as part of the Hispanic Heritage Month celebrations, WLMV - La Movida 1480AM, a member radio station of Madison's Mid-West Family Broadcasting group, will celebrate the fifteenth annual Festival Viva México 2016 on Sunday, September 18, 2016; and

WHEREAS, it has become a tradition to select an outstanding young woman to represent the Mexican culture and heritage by being crowned as Miss Viva México; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth Torres was born in Madison, Wisconsin; is currently a student with a Major in Sociology and Minor in Immigrant Families and Language Development at UW-Whitewater and works at Summit Credit Union as Member Services Teller; and

WHEREAS, throughout 2016-2017, she will participate in events and activities such as Dane County Fair, Latino Health Fair, and fundraisers to serve as a role model to other Latina youth in our community; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth Torres represents the perseverance, beauty and dreams of our Latina youth;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Common Council congratulate Elizabeth Torres for being selected as the 2016 Miss Viva México and ambassador of Mexican culture and heritage.