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RESOLUTION No. 2010-01

on Immigration Reform

WHEREAS Immigrants are vital to a strong Ohio economy and are necessary to assure a more prosperous State; and

WHEREAS A healthy, functional, and orderly immigration policy will ensure Ohio's and America's competitiveness in the 21st century, protect American jobs, build our economy and healthy families; and

WHEREAS The current immigration system's legal pathways into the United States are obstructed and do not reflect the economic balance of labor supply and demand or preserve the integrity of the family; and

WHEREAS The deficiencies of the system have fostered a sense of divisiveness and fear, and an anti-immigrant sentiment that translates into an anti-Latino sentiment; and be it further

RESOLVED THAT:

The Ohio Latino Affairs Commission SUPPORTS a call to action for Congress to enact comprehensive immigration reform that meets the needs of families and businesses, reflects a commitment to human and civil rights, and is consistent with American laws and values.

March 26, 2010.

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