

# Hispanic Heritage Month Committee

State Capitol



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## *Hispanic Heritage Month Event Award*

### ≈Nomination Form≈

The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Hispanic Heritage Month State Commemoration will take place on October 7, 2016 at the State Capitol Rotunda. The Hispanic Heritage Month State Commemoration Committee is currently seeking nominations for the 2016 Event Award. We are asking for your help to recognize an individual or organization who has broadened cross-cultural understanding through an event, exhibit or body of work on issues affecting the Hispanic population or promoting the beauty of Hispanic culture. Please explain in 350 words or less why you believe this event should receive the 2016 Event Award.

Nominations are strongly urged and may be submitted by Nebraska residents of all ages and of all ethnicities and backgrounds. We are looking for an individual or organization whose event(s) meet and demonstrate one or more of the following criteria below:

#### **Event Award Criteria:**

- The promotion of Hispanic heritage, culture and community locally or statewide
- Publicly recognized a group or individual in the Hispanic community bringing positive attention
- Event, exhibit or body of work bridging cultural understanding between communities
- Eliminating myths and stereotypes through factual information provided in a large setting
- Advocating or bringing attention to topic(s) affecting the Hispanic community

The Hispanic Heritage Month Committee will review the nominations and make the final selection. For additional information, call Jasel Cantu at 402-471-2791. Send Nominations via email to [Jasel.Cantu@Nebraska.gov](mailto:Jasel.Cantu@Nebraska.gov) or to:

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**Nomination Deadline: 5 p.m. on Tuesday, September 27, 2016**