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House Resolution 1492

By: Representative Martinez of the 111<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending *Hispalanta*; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, established in 2015 as an independent media outlet, *Hispalanta* has since earned
- 3 Emmy Awards in 2021, 2022, and 2023; and
- 4 WHEREAS, *Hispatlanta* highlights life-changing information to educate the community and
- 5 provides Latinos with crucial resources that enable them to grow and thrive; and
- 6 WHEREAS, *Hispatlanta* has an Instagram presence of nearly 51,000 followers, including
- 7 10,000 Latinos per month in Gwinnett, Cobb, and Cherokee counties; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Hispatlanta has a reach of more than 700,000 people a month through
- 9 Facebook; and
- 10 WHEREAS, CEO and reporter Freddy Hernandez has been recognized with awards such as
- 11 50 Most Influential Latinos in Georgia by the Georgia Hispanic Chamber and PS12 Most
- 12 Influential Latinos by VIP Zone Magazine.

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13 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that

- 14 the members of this body recognize and commend *Hispatlanta* for its many remarkable years
- 15 of accomplishments and extend best wishes for continued success.
- 16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 17 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
- 18 Hispatlanta.