



County Commissioners of Charles County

PROCLAMATION 2023-35

Jewish American Heritage Month

WHEREAS, Charles County is committed to cultivating an environment that respects the strength of diversity, prioritizes the importance of inclusion, and incorporates equity in all that we do; and

WHEREAS, On April 20, 2006, President George W. Bush proclaimed that May would be Jewish American Heritage Month; and

WHEREAS, Jewish Americans have dedicated their innovation, creativity, and hearts to the greater good contributing scientific accomplishments, works of literature and musical genius, and service in our Nation's military; and

WHEREAS, Charles County residents of all backgrounds and experiences contribute to our County's rich cultural diversity, storied history, and promising future, and all Charles County residents need to value the positive contributions made by people of all heritages and races; and

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLES COUNTY, MARYLAND, do hereby proclaim May 2023 as **Jewish American Heritage Month** in Charles County and encourage all residents to observe this month with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.



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