

1                   **ITALIAN-AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH DESIGNATION**

2                                   2011 GENERAL SESSION

3                                   STATE OF UTAH

4                           **Chief Sponsor: Christine F. Watkins**

5                                   Senate Sponsor: David P. Hinkins

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7 **LONG TITLE**

8 **General Description:**

9                   This bill designates the month of October as Italian-American Heritage Month in Utah.

10 **Highlighted Provisions:**

11                   This bill:

12                   ▶ designates that the month of October shall be commemorated annually as  
13 Italian-American Heritage Month in Utah.

14 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

15                   None

16 **Other Special Clauses:**

17                   None

18 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

19 AMENDS:

20                   **63G-1-401**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2010, Chapter 224

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22 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

23                   Section 1. Section **63G-1-401** is amended to read:

24                   **63G-1-401. Commemorative periods.**

25                   (1) The following days shall be commemorated yearly:

26                   (a) Bill of Rights Day, on December 15;

27                   (b) Constitution Day, on September 17;



28 (c) Yellow Ribbon Day, on the third Monday in May, in honor of men and women who  
29 are serving or have served in the U.S. armed forces around the world in defense of freedom;

30 (d) POW/MIA Recognition Day, on the third Friday in September; and

31 (e) Indigenous People Day, the Monday immediately preceding Thanksgiving.

32 (2) The Department of Veterans' Affairs shall coordinate activities, special programs,  
33 and promotional information to heighten public awareness and involvement relating to  
34 Subsections (1)(c) and (d).

35 (3) The month of October shall be commemorated yearly as Italian-American Heritage  
36 Month.

37 [~~3~~] (4) The month of November shall be commemorated yearly as American Indian  
38 Heritage Month.

39 [~~4~~] (5) The first full week of May shall be commemorated yearly as State Water  
40 Week to recognize the importance of water conservation, quality, and supply in the state.

41 [~~5~~] (6) January 24, 2011 shall be commemorated as John M. Browning Day.

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**Legislative Review Note**  
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# FISCAL NOTE

H.B. 44, 2011 General Session

SHORT TITLE: Italian-american Heritage Month Designation

SPONSOR: **Watkins, C.**

STATE OF UTAH

## STATE GOVERNMENT (UCA 36-12-13(2)(b))

Enactment of this bill likely will not materially impact the state budget.

## LOCAL GOVERNMENTS (UCA 36-12-13(2)(c))

Enactment of this bill likely will not result in direct, measurable costs and/or benefits for local governments.

## DIRECT EXPENDITURES BY UTAH RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES (UCA 36-12-13(2)(d))

Enactment of this bill likely will not result in direct, measurable expenditures by Utah residents or businesses.