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Bar News Recognition of Minority and Disadvantaged Groups' Historical Contributions

Purpose

The Lane County Bar Association exists to promote a spirit of mutual respect among the Association's member and to promote a spirit of mutual respect among the Association's members.

The *Bar News* exists to inform LCBA members about timely topics of interest to their practices, local legal issues, and other issues relevant to the practice of law. The publication does not purport to offer legal advice.

The Lane County Bar membership consists of individuals from diverse backgrounds, which includes racial and ethnic minorities and other historically underrepresented groups.

Background

The *Bar News* includes holiday and special event announcements at the end of each publication. The announcements have included some of the nationally recognized heritage months addressed in this resolution.

Resolution

The Lane County Bar Association Board of Directors convened on June 11, 2020 to consider a motion to include a more expansive list of nationally recognized heritage and history months of minority or other historically underrepresented groups. The Board unanimously approved the motion to include the following events in the LCBA newsletter in their corresponding monthly edition:

Black History Month	February
Women's History Month	March
Asian Heritage Month	May
Jewish American Heritage Month	May
Gay Pride Month	June
Hispanic Heritage Month	September

This is not intended to be an exclusive list. Members are encouraged to contact a board member to consider other commemorative events.

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