

Rep. Zamarripa: Marches in solidarity with Wisconsin's immigrant communities

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MILWAUKEE – State Representative JoCasta Zamarripa (D- Milwaukee) issued the following statement regarding “A Day without Latinxs, Immigrants, and Refugees”:

“The United States, the great state of Wisconsin, and my community on Milwaukee’s near south side have all been built by immigrants. Without immigrants, Wisconsin’s dairy and agricultural industries would suffer greatly, and our culture would be considerably less vibrant.

“In his first 100 days in office, President Trump has actively pursued policies and executive orders that threaten the economic and cultural vibrancy of our country via the rejection and expulsion of immigrants and refugees. These policies are unconstitutional, un-American, and have been wholeheartedly rejected by both the justice system and the general public.

“Today I am proud to march in solidarity with thousands of people from all across Wisconsin

who demand a retraction of President Trump's executive orders on immigration and respect the value of all members of our society."