

PROCLAMATION

LGBTQ+ Pride Month

June 2019

WHEREAS, the City of Elk Grove strives to be an inclusive community that embraces the rich diversity that makes Elk Grove a wonderful community to live, work, and play; and

WHEREAS, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, Intersex and Asexual (LGBTQ+) individuals have made important and lasting contributions to our country, state, and city, and the city of Elk Grove celebrates the contributions that LGBTQ+ residents make to Elk Grove's economic, cultural, and social life; and

WHEREAS, LGBTQ+ friends and allies, such as the Elk Grove chapter of Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG) and local faith communities, show considerable support to the LGBTQ+ community, thereby making Elk Grove a more inclusive place for LGBTQ+ residents; and

WHEREAS, each year, June marks the anniversary of the Stonewall Riots that gave birth to the modern LGBTQ+ civil rights movement in the United States.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby proclaims the month of June 2019 to be LGBTQ+ Pride Month in the city of Elk Grove, urges all residents to join in celebrating the culture, accomplishments, and contributions of LGBTQ+ people, and encourages all residents to work to help advance the cause for equality for LGBTQ+ people and their families.

SIGNED this 22nd day of May, 2019.



STEVE LY, MAYOR



PATRICK HUME, VICE MAYOR



STEPHANIE NGUYEN, COUNCIL MEMBER



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