

PROCLAMATION

LGBTQIA+ Pride Month ~ June 2022

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 in; and

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

WHEREAS, LGBTQIA+ friends, allies, local organizations, and faith communities show considerable support to the LGBTQIA+ community, thereby making Elk Grove a more inclusive place for LGBTQIA+ residents; and

WHEREAS, each year, June 28 marks the anniversary of the Stonewall Riots that gave birth to the modern LGBTQIA+ civil rights movement in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Pride Month seeks to increase the visibility, activism, and acceptance of all people with diverse sexualities and/or gender and educate the public regarding issues faced by the LGBTQIA+ community so we may all be better allies.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby proclaims the month of June 2022 to be LGBTQIA+ Pride Month in the City of Elk Grove, urges all residents to join in celebrating the culture, accomplishments, and contributions of LGBTQIA+ people, and encourages all residents to work to help advance the cause for equality for LGBTQIA+ people and their families.

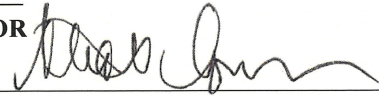
SIGNED this 8th day of June, 2022.



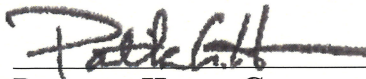
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