



Proclamation

LGBTQ+ Pride Month

WHEREAS, City Council and staff have committed to make Brighton an inclusive and welcoming community for all, including the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer (LGBTQ+) community; and

WHEREAS, Brighton denounces prejudice and unfair discrimination based on age, race, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression, and is a city in which all persons should feel valued, safe, welcomed, respected, and affirmed by their peers and the community; and

WHEREAS, we must acknowledge that the LGBTQ+ community has faced and continues to face discrimination including restricted rights, social stigma, challenges accessing healthcare and other basic social services; and

WHEREAS, the City of Brighton is strengthened by and thrives upon the rich diversity of ethnic, cultural, racial, gender and sexual identities of its residents; all of which contribute to the vibrant character of our City; and


WHEREAS, during LGBTQ+ Pride Month, we affirm our obligation to uphold the dignity of all residents, and dedicate ourselves to standing in solidarity with LGBTQ+ community in their ongoing struggle against discrimination and injustice.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that I, Gregory Mills, Mayor of the City of Brighton, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby proclaim June 2022 as LGBTQ+ Pride Month. I call upon the people of the City of Brighton to recognize the achievements of the LGBTQ+ community, and to celebrate the great diversity of the community.


DATED this 7th day of June 2022.



ATTEST:


Natalie Hoel, City Clerk

CITY OF BRIGHTON



Gregory Mills, Mayor
Adam Cushing, Mayor Pro Tem
Clint Blackhurst
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