

Proclamation OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO

Recognizing the Month of June, 2016, as Lesbian, Gay Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) Pride Month

Whereas, for more than two centuries, the founding principles and ideals of American life have included liberty, equality, freedom of expression, and the pursuit of happiness, which are intended to apply to everyone; and,

Whereas, Martin Luther King, Jr. proclaimed that, "injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere", inspiring real and lasting change to advance equality, respect, hope and progress, generation after generation, affording greater understanding and acceptance for all; and,

Whereas, equality of opportunity and freedom from discrimination are fundamental to ensuring economic success and personal fulfillment; and,

Whereas, El Dorado County celebrates diversity and recognizes the importance of its residents, visitors and employees to safely express their ethnic, cultural, racial and sexual orientation identities, which enriches our communities.

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the Board of Supervisors does herewith recognize June, 2016, as LGBT Pride Month and honors all efforts that provide opportunities for a life free from discrimination and prejudice.

Passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 7th day of June, 2016.

Attest:

James S. Mitrisin

Deputy Clerk

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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Chair, Board of Supervisors