



TOWN OF FAIRFAX

STAFF REPORT

April 6, 2022

TO: Mayor and Town Council

FROM: Lorena Barrera, Administrative Analyst

SUBJECT: Adopt a Proclamation Proclaiming April 2022 Fair Housing Month

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt a Proclamation Proclaiming April 2022 Fair Housing Month.

DISCUSSION

A request has been received from Elina Linna, Education Coordinator for Fair Housing Advocates of Northern California (formerly Fair Housing of Marin), requesting that the Town Council consider issuing a proclamation or resolution acknowledging April, 2022 as Fair Housing Month.

In April 2022, Fair Housing Advocates of Northern California will celebrate Fair Housing Month as a reminder that equal housing is not only state and national policy, but also a fundamental human right that the people of our county embrace.

Proclamations and Resolutions will be read at the Annual Fair Housing Conference on April 20, 2022. This year's theme is "Investing in Our Future – Fair Housing and Race-Conscious Policies".

FISCAL IMPACT

None.

ATTACHMENT

Fairfax Fair Housing Proclamation

TOWN OF FAIRFAX FAIR HOUSING PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the principle of fair housing is not only state and national law and policy, but a fundamental human concept and entitlement for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, discrimination based on race, national origin, gender, disability, familial status (exclusion of minor children), religion, marital status, and sexual orientation is illegal in California; and

WHEREAS, as a community we welcome all good neighbors, recognizing the contributions and richness tendered by a wide variety of young and old, male and female, people of all colors and ethnic backgrounds and religious traditions; and

WHEREAS, interested parties from both the private and public sectors will participate in a city, state, and national effort to promote fair housing;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY PROCLAIMED by the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Fairfax that the month of April Two Thousand Twenty-two is

FAIR HOUSING MONTH

In the Town of Fairfax, and all residents of our community are urged to personally adopt the spirit of equal housing opportunity and adhere to the letter and character of the Fair Housing Laws.

Signed this 6th day of April 2022

Stephanie Hellman,
Mayor of Fairfax