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Pride Month PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, this nation was founded upon the principles that every person is created equal, that each has the right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness, and that each shall be accorded the full recognition and protection of law; and

WHEREAS, Pride Month is a time to recognize and celebrate the impact and history of LGBTQIA+ individuals locally, nationally, and internationally; and

WHEREAS, our community is strengthened by the rich diversity of our residents, and LGBTQIA+ residents and visitors should feel valued, safe, empowered, and supported by their peers, educators, and community leaders; and

WHEREAS, it is essential that our LGBTQIA+ community members be accorded the freedom to be themselves without fear, and live free from reprisal, discrimination or bullying; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Alicia Halvensleben, the Mayor of the City of Waukesha hereby proclaim June as

Pride Month

in the City of Waukesha and encourage our community to eliminate prejudice wherever it exists, to celebrate our great diversity, and to actively promote the principles of equality, liberty, and justice for all.

Signed this the 2nd day of June, 2026

*Alicia Halvensleben, Mayor
City of Waukesha*