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Mayoral Proclamation

Whereas the City of Waterville strives to be a community that is welcoming and supportive of all its members regardless of race, gender, age, sexual orientation and expression; and

Whereas Waterville supports the legal non-discrimination protections for LGBTQ Mainers passed in 2005, as one of only twenty states in the nation to include protections for discrimination based on sexual orientation, gender identity, and gender expression in employment, housing, education, credit and public accommodations; and

Whereas The Maine Pride Month is an opportunity to recognize hard work and be supportive of the thriving Waterville LGBTQ community in fighting for their rights and acceptance and acknowledge the ongoing work of the citizens of Waterville to advocate for equal rights; and

Whereas the City of Waterville thanks the Health Equity Alliance and all their volunteers and sponsors in the community for working incredibly hard to make Waterville an engaging and sustainable Maine pride community.

Now therefore, I, Michael Morris, as Mayor of Waterville, Maine, on behalf of the City Council, and the residents of Waterville do hereby proclaim the month of June, as

Maine Pride Month

and urge all members of our community to advocate for equality.

In Witness Whereof, I do hereby set my hand and seal this 4th day of June, two thousand and twenty-four.

Michael Morris, Mayor

