

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Town of Lady Lake cherishes the value and dignity of each person and appreciates the importance of equality and freedom, and everyone is welcome in Lady Lake to live, work and play, and every family deserves a place to call home where they are safe, happy, and supported by friends and neighbors; and

WHEREAS, Lady Lake denounces prejudice and unfair discrimination based on age, gender identity, gender expression, race, color, religion, marital status, national origin, sexual orientation, or physical attributes as an affront to our fundamental principles; and

WHEREAS, our nation was founded on the principal of equal rights for all people, but the fulfillment of this promise has been long in coming for many Americans; and

WHEREAS, while society at large increasingly supports LGBTQ equality, it is essential to acknowledge that the need for education and awareness remains vital to end discrimination and prejudice; and

WHEREAS, for more than 50 years, June has been celebrated as LGBTQ Pride Month nationwide in honor of the LGBTQ citizens who rose up and fought discriminatory laws at Stonewall; and

WHEREAS, many municipalities and organizations across our nation recognize and celebrate June as LGBTQ+ Pride Month; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Lady Lake strives to be a community where everyone is celebrated for our differences, rather than being limited by what might divide us.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Treva Roberts, Vice-Mayor of the Town of Lady Lake, Florida, do hereby proclaim the month of **June 2024** as:

“LGBTQ Pride Month”

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Official Seal of the Town of Lady Lake to be affixed this 3rd day of June, 2024.

Treva Roberts, Vice-Mayor

Attest: _____
Nancy Wilson, Town Clerk