

# *City of Albany*

## *Proclamation*

### IN RECOGNITION OF LGBTQIA+ PRIDE MONTH June 2025

**WHEREAS**, the City of Albany prides itself on being a community that celebrates diversity and strives towards inclusion; and

**WHEREAS**, the Albany City Council has affirmed that the Council welcomes and values all our diverse community members regardless of where they are from, who they love, how they worship, how they look, their gender identity, their abilities, their economic status or how they vote; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Albany has a diverse Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, Intersex, Asexual, and Ally (LGBTQIA+) community and is committed to supporting visibility, dignity and equity for all people in the community; and

**WHEREAS**, June has become a symbolic month in which the LGBTQIA+ community and supporters come together in various celebrations of pride; and

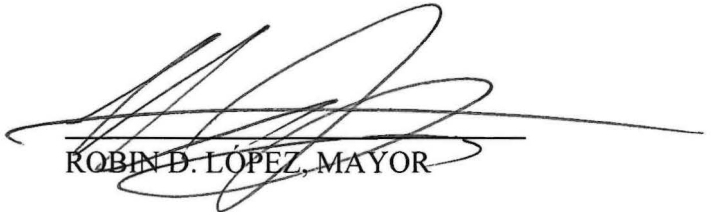
**WHEREAS**, Albany is joining other cities across the United States recognize and celebrate June as LGBTQIA+ Pride Month; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Albany recognizes and appreciates both the Albany High School Gender and Sexuality Alliance Club, a place where queer students have a safe space to come together and have fun and Albany's Pride, an LGBTQIA+ Advocacy group for Albany Unified School District for their ongoing work to ensure a positive environment for LGBTQIA+ students and parents.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED**, that the Albany City Council does hereby recognize the month of June 2025 as LGBTQIA+ Pride month in the City of Albany and the Progress Pride Flag shall be flown June 1 – 30 at Albany City Hall, the Albany Community Center, and the "Torch", located at Solano Avenue and Key Route Boulevard.

DATED: June 2, 2025

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ROBIN D. LÓPEZ, MAYOR