## CERTIFIED COPY OF RECORD

STATE OF MICHIGAN

SS.

**County of Genesee** 

I, DOMONIQUE CLEMONS, County Clerk/Register of the County of Genesee, Michigan, and Clerk of the Genesee County Board of Commissioners, and Clerk of the Circuit Court for said County, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of Resolution with original record thereof now remaining in my office, and that the attached is a true and correct copy therefrom, and of the whole of such original record.

**In Testimony Whereof**, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of said Court and County, this 17th day of June 2024.

GENESEE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Resolution No.: 2024-617 Date Adopted: 6/12/2024 DOMONIQUE CLEMONS, Clerk/Register



## Genesee County

Genesee County Administration Building 1101 Beach St Flint, MI 48502

## Legislation Text

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TO THE HONORABLE CHAIRPERSON AND MEMBERS OF THE GENESEE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, GENESEE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

## LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

WHEREAS, Genesee County supports the fundamental and foundational belief that all people are created equal; and

WHEREAS, Genesee County recognizes that our society and our community has not always fulfilled this commitment; and

WHEREAS, members of the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer (LGBTQ) community are among those where America's promise of equal treatment under the law has not always been practiced and is not yet fulfilled; and

WHEREAS, the members of the LGBTQ community are deserving of the same respect and fair treatment desired for all human beings; and

WHEREAS, Genesee County is filled with LGBTQ residents from all walks of life, from every occupation, field, and industry, and residing in every part of the County, who add significant value to our community's quality of life each and every day; and

WHEREAS, Pride Month is celebrated locally, in Michigan, nationally, and worldwide as a reminder that the LGBTQ community continues to face unequal treatment and discrimination in both law and custom; and

WHEREAS, the State of Michigan, of which Genesee County is the fifth largest county, recently amended its Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act to include protections for the LGBTQ community in our state; and

WHEREAS, Genesee County recognizes the economic and cultural benefits of diversity and seeks to create a welcoming environment for all residents, including the LGBTQ community; and

WHEREAS, Genesee County, through its Harassment/Discrimination Policy "will not tolerate harassment and discrimination of its employees... based on ....sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression..."

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Genesee County Board of County Commissioners designates the month of June 2024, as Pride Month in Genesee County, Michigan.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Genesee County Board of County Commissioners directs the Genesee County Clerk/Register to forward copies of this resolution to the other 82

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counties in Michigan as well as the Genesee County delegation of the State Legislature.