

Whereas

Whereas, the city of Portland is committed to diversity, social justice, equity and mutual respect as a fundamental aspect of a healthy community; and

Whereas, the long and ongoing struggle of Transgender, Genderqueer, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Other Sexual Minorities for basic civil and human rights continues to provide inspiration to all those who work against discrimination and oppression; and

Whereas, the presence and visibility of the Lesbian, Gay, Bi-sexual, Transgender, and Queer community continues to enhance the quality of life in the city of Portland; and

Whereas, Pride celebrations have been held continuously in Portland since 1971 and Pride marches since 1976; Pride continues to be the largest LGBTQ+ cultural celebration in Oregon; and

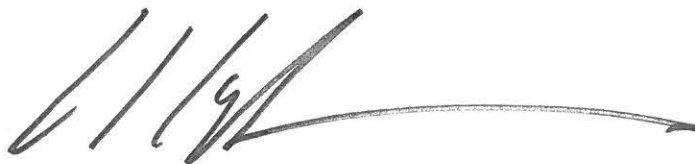
Whereas, 2019 marks the 25th birthday of Pride Northwest, Inc., producers of the Portland Pride Waterfront Festival and Parade since 1994; where each year, tens of thousands of LGBTQ+ and allied people come together to be visible in one of the largest west coast Pride celebrations; and

Whereas, Portland's Pride Waterfront Festival and Parade will be held on June 15th and June 16th of this year, and all of Portlanders are invited to participate; and

Now, therefore, I, Ted Wheeler, Mayor of the City of Portland, Oregon, the "City of Roses," do hereby proclaim June of 2019 to be

Portland Pride Month

In Portland and encourage all residents to observe this month.



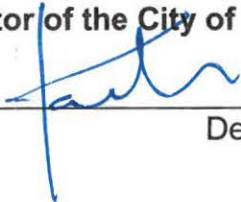
Proclaim June 2019 to be Portland Pride Month
(Proclamation introduced by Mayor Wheeler)

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Auditor of the City of Portland

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Deputy

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1. Fritz		
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3. Hardesty		
4. Eudaly		
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