



## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, the Shoreline City Council is committed to ensuring that Shoreline is a welcoming, inclusive, and safe community for our Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer (LGBTQ) families, friends, neighbors, and co-workers; and

**WHEREAS**, the month of June was designated Pride Month to commemorate the Stonewall Riots of 1969, which is one of the major events that led to the LGBTQ rights movement; and

**WHEREAS**, our LGBTQ community members contribute to the cultural fabric of our community, giving their time, talent, labor, and financial resources to supporting Shoreline; and

**WHEREAS**, although substantial gains have been achieved, many LGBTQ community members face discrimination simply for being who they are and who they love; and

**WHEREAS**, the struggle for dignity, equality, and LGBTQ rights continues to be important and necessary; and

**WHEREAS**, in solidarity with the LGBTQ community, the Pride flag will fly at Shoreline City Hall for the month of June.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Will Hall, Mayor of the City of Shoreline, on behalf of the Shoreline City Council, do hereby proclaim June 2020 as

### **Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer (LGBTQ) PRIDE MONTH**

in the City of Shoreline and affirm the City's support and acceptance for children, adults, families, and allies of the LGBTQ community.



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Will Hall, Mayor