

## 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, we recognize the valuable contributions of LGBTQ people throughout all areas of our community in Shoreline and beyond; 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 Progress Pride Flag will fly at Shoreline City Hall for the month of June;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Keith Scully, Mayor of the City of Shoreline, on behalf of the Shoreline City Council, do hereby proclaim June 2023 as

## LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER, QUEER (LGBTQ) PRIDE MONTH

in the City of Shoreline, and through this proclamation, the City affirms its support and acceptance for children, adults, families, and allies of the LGBTQ community.



Keith Scully, Mayor