



**WHEREAS**, Santa Rosa’s vibrant LGBTQ+ (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer) communities comprise thousands of individuals, families and supporters who are an integral part of the fabric of our City and who demonstrate pride and commitment throughout the year by virtue of their contributions to our City’s economy and quality of life, especially as: elected and appointed officials, professionals, business owners, decision-makers and employees in government, including the City of Santa Rosa, as well as public and private enterprises, parents, students, homeowners, charitable contributors, volunteers and more; and

**WHEREAS**, June is designated “International Pride Month” honoring the history and achievements of LGBTQ+ people during which millions attend public celebrations around the globe to commemorate, as they have for 47 years, the 1969 “Stonewall Uprising” that served as the catalyst for the modern LGBTQ+ civil rights movements; and

**WHEREAS**, LGBTQ+ Communities in Sonoma County have much to celebrate in terms of business and professional achievements, artistic expression, political involvement, community activities and life-affirming family relationships, including marriage, and are a vital part of Sonoma County culture; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Santa Rosa and LGBTQ+ Communities in Sonoma County continue to support and encourage diversity in the workplace and throughout the community; and

**WHEREAS, Positive Images**, established in 1990, provides support and advocacy to Sonoma County’s gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, queer, questioning, and intersex youth and young adults, and educates the greater community; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is proud of its skilled, talented, and dedicated employees, including LGBTQ+ individuals who work in a wide variety of jobs providing service to the people of Santa Rosa.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that I, Chris Coursey, Mayor of the City of Santa Rosa, on behalf of the entire City Council, do hereby proclaim the month of June to be

**PRIDE MONTH**

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Mayor Chris Coursey  
June 6, 2017



  
 City of Jackson, Mississippi  
 Proclamation

**WHEREAS** the City of Jackson, Mississippi, through the Board of Commissioners and the Mayor, has the honor to recognize the efforts of the [Name] in the field of [Field] and the significant contributions made by the [Name] to the community of Jackson, Mississippi;

**AND WHEREAS** the [Name] has demonstrated exceptional leadership and dedication in the field of [Field], and the [Name] has been instrumental in the development and implementation of [Project/Program];

**AND WHEREAS** the [Name] has consistently demonstrated a commitment to the betterment of the City of Jackson, Mississippi, and the [Name] has been instrumental in the development and implementation of [Project/Program];

**AND WHEREAS** the [Name] has demonstrated exceptional leadership and dedication in the field of [Field], and the [Name] has been instrumental in the development and implementation of [Project/Program];

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**AND WHEREAS** the [Name] has demonstrated exceptional leadership and dedication in the field of [Field], and the [Name] has been instrumental in the development and implementation of [Project/Program];

**IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** that the Board of Commissioners and the Mayor of the City of Jackson, Mississippi, do hereby commend and recognize the efforts of the [Name] in the field of [Field] and the significant contributions made by the [Name] to the community of Jackson, Mississippi.

Mayor [Name]  
 City of Jackson, Mississippi

