



**Mayor's Proclamation  
Recognizing the Month of June 2020  
LGBTQ Pride Month**

**WHEREAS**, our City is committed to being inclusive and welcoming of all regardless of their sexual orientation and recognizes that we are a diverse community, enriched by this diversity, including those that are lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and questioning; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Pacific Grove supports the rights of every citizen to experience equality and freedom from discrimination; and

**WHEREAS**, we have come a long way since the Stonewall Inn riots in 1969; and have continued to raise awareness of the existence of discrimination; and have improved laws and attitudes of society by encouraging inclusiveness; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 1, 2009 President Obama issued Proclamation No. 8387 for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Pride Month, and supporters come together in June for various celebrations of pride.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Bill Peake, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Pacific Grove in the State of California do hereby proclaim the month of June as LGBTQ Pride month and encourage everyone to treat others with mutual respect and understanding.

*Bill Peake*

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Bill Peake, Mayor  
City of Pacific Grove