



**Mayor's Proclamation
Declaring Fair Housing Month
April 2021**

LET IT BE KNOWN TO ALL PERSONS the City of Pacific Grove joins the United State Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), the California Department of Fair Employment and Housing (DFEH), and other housing agencies in the celebration of the anniversary of the passage of the Fair Housing Act, which enunciates a national policy of fair housing for all who live in the United States; and

WHEREAS the Fair Housing Act prohibits discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status, and national origin; and

WHEREAS the State of California additionally prohibits discrimination because of sexual orientation, marital status, ancestry, source of income, disability, medical condition, and age; and

WHEREAS adequate housing is a basic need and right of all people; and

WHEREAS the City encourages and supports fair housing practices and to heighten public awareness, the City of Pacific Grove pledges its commitment to improve housing options and celebrates the value of harmonious and diverse communities by promoting Fair Housing Law.

THEREFORE, I, Bill Peake, Mayor of the City of Pacific Grove do hereby proclaim the month of **April 2021** as **“FAIR HOUSING MONTH”** and confirms that the City of Pacific Grove, as an inclusive community, is committed to fair housing that promotes positive activities by private and public entities to provide or advocate for equal housing opportunities for all residents and prospective residents of the City of Pacific Grove.

DATED this First day of April 2021.

Bill Peake



Bill Peake, Mayor