

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Department of Housing and Urban Development has initiated the sponsorship of activities during the month of April of each year designed to reinforce the Department's commitment to the concept of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity; and

WHEREAS, Brazoria County affirmatively supports the efforts of the Federal Government and the State of Texas to assure equal access to all Americans to rental housing and homeownership opportunities; and

WHEREAS, Brazoria County welcomes this opportunity to reaffirm its commitment to provide equal access to housing to all of its residents without regard to race, color, religion, sex - including gender identity and sexual orientation, disability, familial status, national origin or source of income; and

WHEREAS, Brazoria County affirmatively supports programs that will educate the public concerning their rights to equal housing opportunities and to participate in efforts with other organizations to assure every person their right to fair housing; and

WHEREAS, Brazoria County is honored to join the Federal Government, the State of Texas, and local jurisdictions across America in celebrating the rich diversity of our people and the rights of all citizens to live where they choose without fear of discrimination.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Brazoria County Commissioners Court does hereby proclaim April as the month to celebrate and honor all efforts which guarantee the right to live free of discriminatory housing practices and recognize this month as

FAIR HOUSING MONTH

and urge all local officials and public and private organizations to join activities designed to further Fair Housing objectives.

APPROVED this 26th day of March, 2024.

Brazoria County Judge

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