

WHEREAS, the principle of fair housing is not only state and national law and policy, but a fundamental human concept and entitlement for all residents; and

WHEREAS, discrimination based on race, national origin, gender, disability, familial status including the exclusion of minor children, religion, marital status, and sexual orientation is illegal in California; and

WHEREAS, as a community we welcome all good neighbors, recognizing the contributions and richness tendered by a wide variety of young and old, male and female, people of all colors and ethnic backgrounds, religious traditions, etc etera; and

WHEREAS, interested parties from both the private and public sectors will participate in a city, state and national effort to promote fair housing; and

WHEREAS, the City of Santa Rosa urges all residents of our community to personally adopt the spirit of equal housing opportunity and adhere to the letter and character of the Fair Housing Laws.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Chris Rogers, the Mayor of the City of Santa Rosa, on behalf of the entire City Council, do hereby proclaim April as

FAIR HOUSING MONTH

Mayor Chris Rogers April 13, 2021