

*Office of the Mayor
City of El Mirage*

**PROCLAMATION
FAIR HOUSING MONTH
APRIL 2023**

WHEREAS, The Civil Rights Act of 1968 (The Fair Housing Act) and the Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988 ensure full and fair access to housing opportunity; and

WHEREAS, shelter is a basic human need and when shelter is denied, the quality of human life is greatly diminished; and

WHEREAS, people must not be denied equal access to and enjoyment of housing because of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, disability or familial status; and

WHEREAS, the City of El Mirage recognizes and values the efforts of those who seek to identify and eliminate barriers to full and fair housing opportunity; and,

WHEREAS, April is designated as Fair Housing Month.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City of El Mirage proclaims the month of April as **FAIR HOUSING MONTH**. The City of El Mirage encourages all citizens to work for tolerance and equal opportunity in our community.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I, Mayor Alexis A. Hermosillo, have hereunto set my hand and cause the Seal of the City of El Mirage to be affixed this 4th day of April, 2023.

Alexis A. Hermosillo, Mayor