

**Yolo County
Board of Supervisors**

Resolution No. 23-86

**Recognizing June as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender
& Queer (LGBTQ+) Pride Month in Yolo County**

WHEREAS, California state law addresses discrimination, harassment, intimidation, and bullying towards LGBTQ+ individuals, there have been inequities experienced by the LGBTQ+ community, including poverty, homelessness, mental health issues and substance abuse concerns; and

WHEREAS, while there has been remarkable progress towards acceptance and equality in recent years, the rights of LGBTQ+ Americans remain under attack with anti-LGBTQ+ legislation passed in states across the country, particularly targeting trans children and their parents.

WHEREAS, there is a need to focus on localized efforts that support the LGBTQ+ community with resources that focus on positive behavioral interactions and support among our service delivery systems, schools, families and business community; and

WHEREAS, it is incumbent upon everyone to provide a safe space for LGBTQ+ individuals to coexist within our society free from harassment and bullying; and

WHEREAS, Pride month offers the community an opportunity to join in the national reflection of the strides and work still left to do to bring true equality to the LGBTQ+ community and recommit to celebrating and embracing the work of individuals and organizations who have continuously fought to create equality for all.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Yolo County Board of Supervisors proclaims June as Pride month in the County of Yolo and affirm our support for our LGBTQ+ residents and stand with them to protect their civil rights and ability to live openly without fear and protect their human rights.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 6th day of June, 2023 by the following vote:

AYES: Barajas, Frerichs, Provenza, Villegas.
NOES: None
ABSTAIN: None
ABSENT: Sandy

Oscar E. Villegas, Chair
Yolo County Board of Supervisors