# STAFF REPORT REGULAR MEETING

AGENDA DATE: September 5, 2023 DEPARTMENT: City Commission

### TITLE:

Resolution No. 34-2023 – Declaring the city a safe and welcoming haven for LGBTQIA+ community and their families brought forward by Mayor Resch

## **SUMMARY:**

Resolution 34-2023 declares that the City of Lake Worth Beach as a safe and welcoming haven for the LGBTQIA+ community and their families.

#### **BACKGROUND AND JUSTIFICATION:**

The City of Lake Worth Beach continues to welcome diversity and encourages that all the individuals in the City contribute to the quality of our lives and should be treated fairly, with respect and dignity, and with full human rights. Due to the extensive State and local legislatures who have already introduced over 600 hateful laws targeting the LGBTQIA+ community the City strives to continue to honor a movement that has grown stronger, more vibrant, and more inclusive with every passing year.

Resolution 34-2023 declares that the City is a safe and welcoming haven for the LGBTQIA+ community who honor our City with their presence. We will continue to celebrate the generations of LGBTQIA+ people, who have fought bravely to live openly and authentically. The City will also continue to support the generational work to ensure that everyone enjoys the full promise of equity, dignity, protection, and freedom.

#### MOTION:

Move to approve/disapprove Resolution 34-2023 - Declaring Lake Worth Beach a safe and welcoming haven for the LGBTQIA+ community and their families.

## ATTACHMENT(S):

Fiscal Impact Analysis- N/A Resolution 34-2023