CITY OF MANGUM, OKLAHOMA FAIR HOUSING RESOLUTION NO. 2023-25

LET IT BE KNOWN TO ALL PERSONS OF THE City OF Mangum, OKLAHOMA that discrimination in the sale, rental, leasing, financing of housing or land to be used for construction of housing or in the provision of brokerage services because of races, color, religion, sex or national origin is prohibited by Title VIII of the 1968 Civil Right Act (Federal Fair Housing Law).

It is the policy of City of Mangum Oklahoma to implement programs to ensure equal opportunity in housing for all persons regardless of race, color, religion, sex or national origin. The Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988 expands coverage to include disabled persons and families with children. Therefore, the City of Mangum does hereby pass the following Resolution.

BE IT RESOLVED that within available resources the City of Mangum, Oklahoma will assist all persons who feel they have been discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability or familial status to seek equity under federal laws and state laws by filing a complaint with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity, Compliance Division.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Mangum, Oklahoma shall publicize this Resolution and through this publicity shall encourage owners of real estate, developers, and builders to become aware of their respective responsibilities and rights under the Federal Fair Housing Law and amendments and applicable state or local laws or ordinances.

SAID PROGRAM will a minimum include: 1) printing and publicizing of this policy and other applicable fair housing information through local media and community contacts; 2) distribution of posters, flyers and any other means that will bring to the attention of those affected, the knowledge of their respective responsibilities and rights concerning equal opportunity in housing; and 3) prepare an analysis of impediments to fair housing choices and actions to mitigate such impediments.

EFFECTIVE DATE:

This Resolution shall take effect this _____ day of _____, 2023.

Jackie Menasco, Mayor

ATTEST:

Erma Mora, City Clerk

CITY SEAL