



Proclamation

DECLARING MARCH 31, 2025, AS TRANSGENDER DAY OF VISIBILITY IN THE CITY OF TUALATIN

WHEREAS, March 31 is internationally recognized as Transgender Day of Visibility, celebrating the resilience, contributions, and accomplishments of transgender and nonbinary people; and

WHEREAS, transgender and nonbinary people make significant contributions to our community, culture, economy, and society, enriching the lives of all who live in Tualatin; and

WHEREAS, transgender and nonbinary individuals continue to face systemic discrimination, lack of access to healthcare, housing instability, and disproportionate rates of violence; and

WHEREAS, transgender and nonbinary youth face disproportionately high rates of homelessness and suicide due to family rejection, discrimination, and barriers to affirming healthcare and resources; and

WHEREAS, creating a supportive and inclusive community can significantly improve the well-being and safety of transgender youth by ensuring they have access to the resources, respect, and opportunities they deserve; and

WHEREAS, recent shifts in federal policy have created uncertainty and concern for many transgender and nonbinary individuals, highlighting the vital role that local communities play in fostering inclusion, respect, and equal opportunity for all; and

WHEREAS, the City of Tualatin affirms its commitment to creating a community that is inclusive, equitable, and safe for all individuals, regardless of gender identity or expression; and

WHEREAS, Transgender Day of Visibility uplifts the strength, courage, and authenticity of those who live openly as their true selves inspiring hope, understanding, and fostering a more inclusive community for all;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TUALATIN, Oregon that Tualatin recognizes the 31st day of March 2025 as Transgender Day of Visibility. We encourage community members to join in celebrating the contributions of transgender and nonbinary people and to commit to advancing equality, understanding, and justice for all.

INTRODUCED AND ADOPTED this 24th day of March, 2025.

CITY OF TUALATIN, OREGON

BY _____
Mayor

ATTEST:

BY _____
City Recorder

