RESOLUTION NO. CC-2106-054

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA, DECLARING THE CITY OF REDONDO BEACH AS A SAFE, INCLUSIVE AND WELCOMING CITY FOR ALL PEOPLE.

WHEREAS, the City of Redondo Beach is committed to providing a safe environment that allows all residents and visitors equal access and opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redondo Beach is a welcoming place to live, work and play, that highly values diversity and is respectful, fair, and inclusive, committed to providing neighborhoods and businesses that meet the needs of a variety of incomes, ages and lifestyles, with community engagement that creates a sense of belonging through shared values; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redondo Beach is committed to protecting and serving everyone who resides in, works in, or visits Redondo Beach without discrimination based on race, religion, color, national origin, sex, age, income or economic status, political affiliation, military status, sexual orientation, or physical, mental or sensory ability; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redondo Beach believes in the dignity, equality and constitutional and civil rights of all people, and will not tolerate hate, intolerance, discrimination, harassment or any behavior that creates fear, isolation or intimidation; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redondo Beach's vibrancy and sense of community are stronger for its diversity and shared values of acceptance and respect; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redondo Beach City Council supports these principles and strives to reflect them in their actions as Redondo Beach's elected leaders; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redondo Beach employees also support these principles and strive to embody these ideals every day as they provide critical services in support of the public health, safety and welfare, in an inclusive and equitable manner to all residents, visitors and businesses in Redondo Beach; and

WHEREAS, systemic racism results in disparate outcomes for certain groups, not just in criminal justice, but also in the areas of health care, education, housing, economic opportunity, and environmental impacts; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redondo Beach acknowledges the history of institutional racism that exists in America:

WHEREAS, the City of Redondo Beach does not tolerate discrimination or racial injustice.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The City of Redondo Beach will lead by example through the equitable treatment of all people by City officials and departments;

SECTION 2. The City of Redondo Beach affirms to work proactively to create a welcoming, safe, and inclusive community, and promote equitable protection of constitutional and human rights in the City; and

SECTION 3. The City of Redondo Beach invites and encourages the community to work together through peaceful exchange and meaningful dialogue to enact change and move forward to achieve a just, equitable, and inclusive Community for All.

SECTION 4. The City Clerk shall certify the passage and adoption of this resolution and shall enter the same in the Book of Original Resolutions.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOI	PTED this 8th day of June, 2021.
	William C. Brand, Mayor
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	ATTEST:
Michael W. Webb, City Attorney	Eleanor Manzano, CMC, City Clerk

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)	
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)	ss
CITY OF REDONDO BEACH)	
Resolution No. CC-2106-054 wa Beach, California, at a regular n	s passed neeting of oved by the	y of Redondo Beach, California, do hereby certify that and adopted by the City Council of the City of Redondo f said City Council held on the 8th day of June, 2021, he Mayor and attested by the City Clerk, and that said ote:
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NOES:		
ABSENT:		
ABSTAIN:		
Eleanor Manzano, CMC City Clerk	_	