

The Town of Hilton Head Island

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Town of Hilton Head Island desires that all its citizens be afforded the opportunity to attain a decent, safe and sound living environment; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Hilton Head Island rejects discrimination on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, national origin, disability, and/or familial status in the sale, rental or provision of other housing services; and

WHEREAS, equality of opportunity for all is a fundamental policy of this nation, state, county and town; and

WHEREAS, fair housing is economically stabilizing and promotes human relations within the community by supporting diversity and providing positivity within the community; and

WHEREAS, the State of South Carolina enacted the South Carolina Fair Housing Law in 1989; and

WHEREAS, April 11, 2020 marks the 52nd anniversary of the passage of the U.S. Fair Housing Law, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, as amended; and

WHEREAS, April is recognized nationally as Fair Housing Month:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John J. McCann, Mayor of the Town of Hilton Head Island, hereby proclaim that April 2020, shall be known on Hilton Head Island as

FAIR HOUSING MONTH

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused this seal of the Town of Hilton Head Island to be affixed this 6th day of April, in the year of our Lord, two thousand and twenty.

John J. McCann, Mayor

Attest:

Krista M. Wiedmeyer, Town Clerk