



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of Dubuque is a progressive and inclusive community, which celebrates culture and heritage and supports efforts to ensure everyone has the right to live in conditions of dignity, respect, and peace; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dubuque strives to offer our citizens a safe community and to put an end to taunting, bullying, and intolerance; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dubuque advocates for the elimination of all forms of discrimination and displays a commitment to the equal treatment of all people. We recognize the need for intersectionality as we work toward social justice as we understand there is no true equality until there is equity for ALL; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dubuque recognizes the contributions and work done by and through the nonprofit organization Key City Pride for the betterment of the LGBTQ community in the city of Dubuque and in celebration of their Inaugural Pride Celebration; and

WHEREAS, this proclamation in and of itself sends a positive message of validation to LGBTQ+ citizens of Dubuque that the City embraces these individuals and their families as a part of the community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROY D. BUOL, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DUBUQUE, IOWA, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY COUNCIL, STAFF, AND THE CITIZENS OF DUBUQUE, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE WEEK OF JUNE 21-27, 2021 AS

"KEY CITY PRIDE WEEK"

IN DUBUQUE, IOWA AND CALL UPON THE CITIZENS OF DUBUQUE TO OBSERVE THIS MONTH WITH APPROPRIATE PROGRAMS, ACTIVITIES, AND CEREMONIES IN RECOGNITION OF OUR CITY'S DIVERSITY.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Dubuque to be affixed this 21st day of June, 2021.

Roy D. Buol, Mayor

Attest:

Adrienne N. Breitfelder, City Clerk

2021: Submitted by Corey Young, on behalf of Key City Pride keycitypride@gmail.com
Ph: 309.430.9472

2018: Submitted by Jessica Perry (Indigo Channing), on behalf of Hillcrest Family Services Comprehensive Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention 220 West 7th Street, Dubuque, IA 52001, Ph: 563.542.9736, Dubuque Council of Achieving Maximum Potential, Dubuque Area Substance Abuse Coalition (DASAC)

2017: Submitted by Jessi Perry, on behalf of Hillcrest Family Services Comprehensive Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention 220 West 7th Street, Dubuque, IA 52001, Ph: 563-542-9736, Dubuque Council of Achieving Maximum Potential, This is Me Iowa, Adventure Bound Canines LLC, Scott Theatre Laboratory, Better Together Dubuque, Tavern on the Main & Rock Bottom, Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Dubuque, Twist Salon, Co Dubuque, and the Multicultural Family Center. Accepted by representatives of each organization.

2016: Submitted by Jessi Perry, on behalf of Hillcrest Family Services Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention 220 West 7th Street, Dubuque, IA 52001, Ph: 563-581-3898, Dubuque Council of Achieving Maximum Potential, Twist Salon, Dubuque Friends Worship Group, Co Dubuque, Dubuque Transgender, Multicultural Family Center, Soul-Harbor and Sage Collaboration, Neighborhood Floral, and various members of the Dubuque Community

2015: Submitted by Jessi Perry, Dubuque AMP Council Facilitator, Peer Support Specialist, Hillcrest Family Services Wellness Recovery Center, 225 West 6th Street, Dubuque, IA 52001, Ph: 563-690-1239, jessica.perry@hillcrest-fs.org

2014: Submitted by Jessi Perry, on behalf of Dubuque Out and Proud, 306 West Locust St., #3, 563-213-9732, we.r.findingthelight@gmail.com.

2013: Submitted by Jessi Perry, Mental Health Tech I for Hillcrest Family Services RCF/PMI WRAP Facilitator/LGBT+ Outreach, Hillcrest Family Services Wellness Center, 225 West 6th St Dubuque, IA 52001. Phone: 563-690-1239, Fax: 563-557-4447.

2012: Submitted by Jessi Perry, Dubuque 365, the Dubuque Friends Worship Group, Midwest Equality Coalition, PFLAG—Dubuque Chapter, Rainbow Pride, the Riverview Center, Soul Harbor Ministries, and the Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Dubuque. Accepted by representatives of each organization.

2011: Submitted by Jessi Perry, Hillcrest Family Services Rainbow Pride, Dubuque Area Pride, PFLAG--Dubuque Chapter, and Stepping OUT Productions. Accepted by representatives of each organization.