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RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_ - 2026

**RECOGNIZING** the Human Rights Campaign as a 2026 Pride Month honoree and **EXPRESSING** the appreciation of the Mayor and the Council of the City of Cincinnati for the Human Rights Campaign’s dedication to inclusion and equality for all.

WHEREAS, for more than forty years, the Human Rights Campaign has worked to build a powerful movement for equality, fighting to make equity and liberation a reality for all LGBTQ+ people; and

WHEREAS, as the nation’s largest LGBTQ+ civil rights organization, the Human Rights Campaign drives impact by inspiring, engaging, and mobilizing millions of pro-equality voters and supporters to elect pro-equality leaders and to demand equity-based policies and legislation; and

WHEREAS, the Human Rights Campaign aims to increase understanding, visibility, and support for the diverse LGBTQ+ community in all aspects of life, while seeking to transform the systems that shape our everyday experiences by advancing LGBTQ+-inclusive policies; and

WHEREAS, the Greater Cincinnati HRC Steering Committee engages a diverse, dedicated, and committed volunteer leadership team, along with hundreds of local volunteers, to uplift and support the HRC’s mission of LGBTQ+ liberation; and

WHEREAS, for more than fifteen years, the Greater Cincinnati HRC has supported community engagement, political action, workplace equality, fundraising, storytelling, digital engagement, and other efforts through entirely volunteer-led activism, dedication, and commitment; now, therefore,

**BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That the Mayor and this Council hereby recognize the Human Rights Campaign as a 2026 Pride Month honoree for their dedication to inclusion and equality for all LGBTQ+ people throughout the country.

Section 2. That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of Council and that a copy be provided to Human Rights Campaign through the office of Councilmember Anna Albi.

Passed: \_\_\_\_\_, 2026

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Aftab Pureval, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk

Submitted by Councilmember Anna Albi and Councilmember Evan Nolan