

City of Santa Clara
Proclamation

- WHEREAS,** the City of Santa Clara stands for diversity, belonging, and respect for all, irrespective of race, ethnicity, disability, gender identity, sexual orientation, religion, socioeconomic status, immigration status, country of origin, or any other characteristic and stands United Against Hate, rejecting hatred, prejudice, racism, sexism, bigotry, bullying, or violence in any manner toward any individual; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Santa Clara is deeply committed to inclusivity, and adopted Ordinance No. 1899 on November 13, 2012, to protect and safeguard the right and opportunity of all persons to be free from all forms of discrimination, including discrimination based on age, race, color, creed, religion, national origin, ancestry, disability, marital status, sex, gender, gender identity, and sexual orientation; and
- WHEREAS,** on December 19, 2023, the City of Santa Clara adopted Resolution No. 23-9299, stating its support for the United Against Hate campaign; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Santa Clara strives to build a safe and equitable community which values all community members and residents, regardless of where they were born, how they look, what language they speak, how they worship, who they love, their abilities, or how they vote; and
- WHEREAS,** the United Against Hate campaign embodies the City's collective commitment to foster an environment in which all Santa Clarans can live, work, and flourish without hatred; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Santa Clara will join other cities, counties, and municipalities in the San Francisco Bay Area and the rest of the nation in recognizing the United Against Hate campaign as an important reminder to support welcoming and inclusive practices that aim to unite the community and celebrate diversity.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LISA M. GILLMOR, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor, and on behalf of the City of Santa Clara, do hereby proclaim the week of October 19 – 25, 2025, as

UNITED AGAINST HATE WEEK

in the City of Santa Clara and encourage our community to recognize this month by committing to create a welcoming and inclusive community for all.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the City of Santa Clara, California, this 21st day of October 2025.


LISA M. GILLMOR

MAYOR, CITY OF SANTA CLARA



KELLY G. COX
VICE MAYOR, DISTRICT 6



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COUNCILMEMBER, DISTRICT 1



RAJ CHAHAL
COUNCILMEMBER, DISTRICT 2



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COUNCILMEMBER, DISTRICT 3



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