



CITY COUNCIL STAFF REPORT

ITEM NO. 5.9

DATE: May 12, 2025

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council

FROM: Marianna A. Burch, City Manager

SUBJECT: Resolution authorizing the display of the Philadelphia rainbow pride flag for the month of June 2025.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommends the City Council adopt a resolution authorizing the display of the Philadelphia rainbow pride flag on the flagpole at the Civic Center Campus for the month of June 2025.

SUMMARY

On April 28, 2025, consistent with the Commemorative Flag Display policy and at the request of Vice Mayor Branning, the City Council directed staff to return with a resolution for City Council consideration to authorize the display of the Philadelphia rainbow pride flag at the Civic Center Campus for the month of June 2025.

DISCUSSION

At the September 23, 2019 Council meeting, Council adopted a Commemorative Flag Display policy. The policy allows a Council Member to request display of a commemorative flag at the Civic Center Campus, on the City of Livermore flagpole, beneath the City of Livermore flag. Once a request has been made by a Council Member, the Council will consider the request at a duly noticed public meeting.

The City's policy is constructed to allow the display of commemorative flags as a form of government expression. Such flags may be displayed for a period of time that is reasonable or customary for the subject that is to be commemorated, but no more than thirty-one consecutive days.

At the April 28, 2025 Council meeting, Vice Mayor Branning requested to display the Philadelphia rainbow pride flag for the month of June 2025, in order to commemorate Pride Month.

FISCAL AND ADMINSTRATIVE IMPACTS

There are no fiscal or administrative impacts associated with flying the Philadelphia rainbow pride flag for

the month of June 2024.

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1: A City That Works

GOAL

1: Engage effectively with the Mayor and City Council

ATTACHMENTS

1. Resolution

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