

City of Flagstaff – Office of the Mayor

# Proclamation

**WHEREAS**, the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (The Fair Housing Act) and the Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988 ensure full and fair access to housing opportunities; and

**WHEREAS**, April, 2012 marks the 45th Anniversary of the signing of the Fair Housing Act; and

**WHEREAS**, shelter is a basic human need; and, when shelter is denied, the quality of human life is greatly diminished; and

**WHEREAS**, people must not be denied equal access to and enjoyment of housing because of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, disability or familial status; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Flagstaff recognizes and values the efforts of those who seek to reduce barriers to full and fair housing opportunities; and

**WHEREAS**, April is nationally designated as Fair Housing Month;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, SARA PRESLER, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF FLAGSTAFF, ARIZONA** do hereby proclaim the month of April, 2012 as—

**\*\*\* FAIR HOUSING MONTH \*\*\***

and encourage Flagstaff citizens to work for tolerance and equal opportunity in our own community.

**DATED** this 3rd day of April, 2012.

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**MAYOR**

**ATTEST:**

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**CITY CLERK**