

**MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION
DECLARING FEBRUARY 2023
AS BLACK HISTORY MONTH
IN THE CITY OF PFLUGERVILLE**

WHEREAS, Black History Month is observed each February to remember the important contributions and achievements of African Americans throughout our nation's history and the essential role that African Americans have played in building and shaping this great country; and

WHEREAS, the story of African Americans is a story of resilience and perseverance with contributions made in all areas including education, medicine, science, technology, aerospace, art, public service, the military, business, politics, human and civil rights, engineering, sports, entertainment and more; and

WHEREAS, Black History Month provides a great opportunity to learn about, recognize and celebrate the heroes of African American history; and

WHEREAS, the Pflugerville Public Library invites citizens to join in celebrating Black History Month with virtual programs, a virtual art gallery, reading lists, and social media posts highlighting African American authors and local history; and

WHEREAS, the City of Pflugerville takes pride in being a diverse and inclusive community and acknowledges the invaluable contributions of its African American residents to our history, culture and community.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Victor Gonzales, Mayor of the City of Pflugerville, Texas, do hereby proclaim February 2023 as Black History Month in the City of Pflugerville, Texas, and call upon all citizens to celebrate Black History Month, to study the history of African Americans and to honor the national and local legacy of African Americans who have made significant contributions throughout history.

In Witness Whereof, I cause the Official Seal of the City of Pflugerville to be affixed this 14th day of February 2023.

Victor Gonzales, Mayor

Attest:

Trista Evans, City Secretary