

City of Huntsville, Alabama

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, April marks the anniversary of the signing of the National Fair Housing Act, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, providing that it shall be unlawful to discriminate against any person in terms, conditions, or privileges of the sale or rental of a dwelling or in the provision of services or facilities in connection therewith of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability or familial status; and

WHEREAS, the City of Huntsville supports the efforts of the Federal Government and the State of Alabama to assure equal access to housing opportunities for all citizens; and

WHEREAS, the City of Huntsville supports programs that will educate the public concerning their rights to equal housing opportunities and to participate in efforts with other organizations to ensure every person's right to fair housing.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Tommy Battle, Mayor of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, do hereby declare April 2026 as a month to celebrate and honor all efforts that guarantee the right to live free of discriminatory housing practices and proclaim this month as

“FAIR HOUSING MONTH”

in the City of Huntsville, and encourage all citizens to join in recognizing the importance of fair housing and to support efforts that promote equal opportunity for all residents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Huntsville to be affixed this 23rd day of April, 2026.

Tommy Battle
Mayor