# Town of Yountville

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### Staff Report

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**DATE:** May 17, 2022

TO: Mayor and Town Council

FROM: Eddy Gomez, Town Clerk

PREPARED BY: Eddy Gomez, Town Clerk

#### SUBJECT:

Adopt Resolution Number 22-4123 Approving the annual display of the Rainbow Flag and Transgender Flag on the Town's Ceremonial Flag Pole pursuant to the Town's Flag Policy for the month of June in recognition of LGBTQ Pride Month

#### **DISCUSSION/BACKGROUND**

The Town Council adopted Resolution 19-3561 on June 4, 2019 which established a Ceremonial Flagpole at Town Hall and guidelines related to the outdoor display of non-governmental flags on the Ceremonial Flagpole. The Town Council approved flying the Pride Flag or Rainbow Flag as is it is often referred and flew the Rainbow Flag for the first time in 2019. A Rainbow Flag was donated to the Town in 2019 to fly on the ceremonial flag pole.

Staff is requesting Town Council to approve the display of the Rainbow Flag in the Ceremonial Flagpole annually.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW**

Exempt per California Environmental Act (CEQA) Guideline, Section 15061(b)(3)

#### FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? No
Is it Currently Budgeted? N/A
Where is it Budgeted? N/A
Is it Mandatory or Discretionary? Discretionary
Is there a Staff Resource Impact? No

#### STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL

Is item Identified in Strategic Plan? Yes

If yes, Identify Strategic Goal and Objective. **Engaged Residents:** The Town embraces our residents' commitment to community as seen through volunteerism, civic engagement, and public participation that

enhances the quality of life in Yountville.

Briefly Explain Relationship to Strategic Plan Goal and Objective. The display of the Rainbow Pride flag is consistent with the Town's Diversity Resolution and Ceremonial Flag Policies and Procedures and encourages residents to engage with its local government.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

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