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CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE MONTH OF JULY AS DISABILITY PRIDE MONTH IN THE CITY OF BOSTON

- WHEREAS,*** Diversity is a fundamental aspect of our society that should be celebrated and embraced; *and*
- WHEREAS,*** Disability Pride Month is recognized globally each year during the month of July, highlighting the accomplishments, struggles, and contributions of individuals with disabilities; *and*
- WHEREAS,*** Individuals with disabilities have made significant contributions to various fields, including but not limited to art, literature, science, sports, business, and advocacy, enriching our society with their unique perspectives; *and*
- WHEREAS,*** Disability Pride Month serves as an opportunity to promote inclusivity, raise awareness about disability rights, combat stigma and discrimination, and foster a culture of respect and equality; *and*
- WHEREAS,*** It is essential to promote the empowerment and well-being of individuals with disabilities, ensuring equal access to education, employment, healthcare, transportation and social opportunities; *and*
- WHEREAS,*** recognizing and acknowledging the challenges faced by individuals with disabilities helps build a more compassionate and inclusive society, where everyone feel safe and reach their full potential; ***THEREFORE BE IT***
- RESOLVED,*** That the Boston City Council recognizes the month of July as Disability Pride Month in the City of Boston.

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