

**RESOLUTION 17-4  
FAIR HOUSING PROCLAMATION**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF CHERRYVALE, KANSAS PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF APRIL AS FAIR HOUSING MONTH.

**WHEREAS**, the Congress of the United States passed the Civil Rights Act of 1968, of which Title VIII declared that the law of the land would now guarantee the rights of equal housing opportunity; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is committed to the mission and intent of Congress to provide fair and equal housing opportunities for all, and today, many realty companies and associations support fair housing laws; and

**WHEREAS**, the Fair Housing groups and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development have, over the years, received thousands of complaints of alleged illegal housing discrimination and found too many that have proved upon investigation to be violations of the fair housing laws; and

**WHEREAS**, equal housing opportunity is a condition of life in our city that can and should be achieved.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Governing Body of the City of Cherryvale, Kansas:

We, the Governing Body of the City of Cherryvale, on behalf of its citizens, do hereby proclaim the month of April as FAIR HOUSING MONTH and express the hope that this year's observance will promote fair housing practices throughout the City.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF CHERRYVALE, KANSAS ON THE 20<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2017.

ATTEST:

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John Wright, Mayor

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Karen Davis, City Clerk