

# Proclamation

## Fair Housing Month April 2018

**WHEREAS,** the fiftieth (50th) anniversary of the National Fair Housing Law, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Acts of 1968, is an occasion to rededicate ourselves to the commitment of Fair Housing for all citizens; and

**WHEREAS,** the State of Colorado passed its own Fair Housing Act in 1959, and provided additional fair housing protections for creed, ancestry, sexual orientation, and marital status; and

**WHEREAS,** the City of Colorado Springs is now reaffirming the commitment to freedom of choice in housing without regard to race or color, national origin, religion, sex, familial status, disability, ancestry, sexual orientation, marital status and creed;

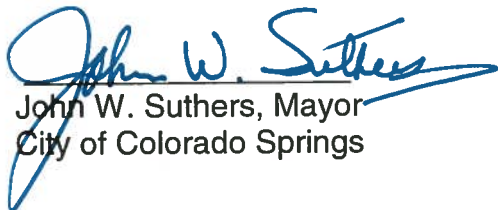
**WHEREAS,** April has traditionally been designated as Fair Housing Month in the United States,


**NOW, THEREFORE, WE, JOHN SUTHERS,** Mayor of the City of Colorado Springs; **RICHARD SKORMAN,** Colorado Springs City Council President; by virtue of the authority vested in us, do hereby officially proclaim the month of April 2018 as :

## Fair Housing Month

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** we have hereunto set our hand and caused the Great Seal of the City of Colorado Springs to be affixed this 27<sup>th</sup> day of March 2018.



  
John W. Suthers, Mayor  
City of Colorado Springs

  
Richard Skorman, President  
City Council