

# Certificate of Recognition

*National Race Amity Day  
June 12, 2022*

*WHEREAS, in 2016 the United States Senate passed a Resolution establishing June 12, 2016 as National Race Amity and Reconciliation Day; and*

*WHEREAS, the City of Lemon Grove supports the Great Seal of the United States of America which bears the inscription, E Pluribus Unum, which translates from Latin as "Out of many, one"; and*

*WHEREAS, the greatest asset of the City of Lemon Grove is the people of Lemon Grove; we are a little city with a big heart that is comprised of multicultural, multiethnic and multiracial people; and*

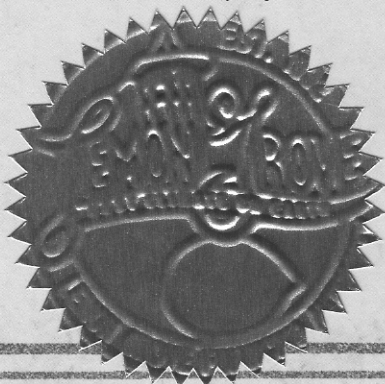
*WHEREAS, Lemon Grove takes pride and celebrates in its rich and unique history of valuing diversity, inclusion, and non-discrimination in our diverse community; and*

*WHEREAS, friendship, collegiality, civility, respect and kindness are commonly shared ideals of the people of Lemon Grove, while reflecting on the beauty and richness of the diverse peoples of Lemon Grove; and*

*WHEREAS, organizations and communities across the United States are motivated by the ideals behind the motto of E Pluribus Unum, and have joined together in introspection and reflection on how the diversity of the people of the United States has been indispensable in creating the United States.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, RACQUEL VASQUEZ, Mayor of the City of Lemon Grove, declare this day June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 "National Race Amity Day" and I urge all residents to join in support of the goals and ideals for racial amity and encourage residents to observe the day with appropriate ceremonies and activities.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and the Seal of the City of Lemon Grove this 12<sup>th</sup> day of June, Two Thousand Nineteen, and have caused the seal to be affixed.*



*Racquel Vasquez*  
RACQUEL VASQUEZ, Mayor