

RESOLUTION 2020-23

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF FERGUSON, CENTRE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA CONDEMNING SYSTEMIC RACISM RELATED TO ETHNICITY AND SKIN TONE.

WHEREAS, the Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors has adopted Resolution 2016-36 affirming commitment to equity and inclusion, and Resolution 2017-7 reaffirming its commitment to supporting, promoting, and standing up for the values of inclusion, equity, and justice; and

WHEREAS, the Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors adopted a proclamation on June 1, 2020 condemning acts of bias that result in hate crimes or discrimination against a person(s) because of race, faith, ethnicity, gender, age, disability, sexual orientation, or any other real or perceived difference; and

WHEREAS, Ferguson Township welcomes all persons regardless of race, creed, color, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity or expression, ethnicity, religion, disability, genetic information, protected veterans status, military service, nationality, or national origin or citizenship status; and supports policies that do the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Ferguson Township is committed to combating bias and racism in its provision of all public services.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors hereby reaffirms its commitments made in Resolutions 2016-36 and 2017-7, as well as the proclamation adopted on June 1, 2020.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Ferguson Township welcomes men and women of all races and ethnicities, and values the contribution they make to the community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors condemns systemic racism related to ethnicity and skin tone.

RESOLVED THIS 20th DAY OF JULY 2020.

TOWNSHIP OF FERGUSON

By: 
Steve Miller, Chairman
Board of Supervisors

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ATTEST:


David Pribulka, Secretary