

THE CITY OF



PLEASANTON

Proclaims

May 5-11, 2024

as

National Youth in Apprenticeship Week

WHEREAS, National Youth in Apprenticeship Week and The Nor Cal Carpenters Training’s “Women in Construction” Career Event and Registered Apprenticeship programs play a vital role in creating job opportunities and enable employers to develop and train their future workforce while offering career seekers affordable paths to secure high-paying jobs, and

WHEREAS, Pleasanton recognizes the role of National Youth in Apprenticeship Week and The Nor Cal Carpenters Training’s “Women in Construction” Career Event and Registered Apprenticeship in expanding opportunities in our workforce that are inclusive of individuals who have been historically underserved, marginalized, and adversely affected by persistent poverty and inequality, thus providing a path for all qualified individuals, including women, youth, people of color, rural communities, justice-involved individuals and individuals with disabilities, to become apprentices and contribute to America’s industries; and

WHEREAS, apprenticeships are a proven and industry-driven training model and a key strategy in creating access to good-paying, family-sustaining jobs for all, starting with youth and young adults, while addressing some of our nation’s pressing workforce challenges such as rebuilding our country’s infrastructure, addressing critical supply chain demands, supporting a clean energy workforce, modernizing our cybersecurity response, and responding to care economy issues.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Pleasanton City Council, does hereby proclaim May 5-11, 2024 as National Young Apprenticeship Week in Pleasanton and values the important role the Nor Cal Carpenters career event in creating opportunities for youth in our community.

DATED this 10th day of May 2024.

Karla Brown, Mayor

Julie Testa, Vice Mayor
Valerie Arkin, Councilmember
Jack Balch, Councilmember
Jeff Nibert, Councilmember