



and gives us an opportunity to recommit to the ideals of absolute equality in personal and property rights embodied in the General Order Number 3; and

WHEREAS, the City honors, respects, and supports organizations, organizers, and individuals advocating for equity and social justice for African Americans, including the Black Lives Matter movement.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE:

Section 1. The City shall recognize Friday June 19, 2020 as “Juneteenth” and shall notate it as such on any official websites, notices or publications relating to or referencing this day.

Section 2. All persons in the City of Albuquerque are encouraged to observe Juneteenth by reflecting on the history of African American slavery in the United States.

Section 3. All persons in the City of Albuquerque are also encouraged to observe this day by volunteering with, giving recognition to, or otherwise supporting organizations in Albuquerque working to advance equity and social justice for African-American residents of Albuquerque, including those supporting Black Lives Matter movements.

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