

**RESOLUTION 2015-32**  
**ST. CLAIR COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

**FAIR HOUSING RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, under the Federal Fair Housing Law, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, it is illegal to deny housing to any person because of race, color, religion, gender, physical or mental disabilities or national origin; and

WHEREAS, under the Michigan Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act, PA 453 of 1976, as amended, it is illegal to deny the opportunity to obtain housing to any person because of religion, race, color, national origin, age, sex, height, weight, familial status or marital status;


LET IT BE KNOWN TO ALL PERSONS that it is the policy of St. Clair County to implement programs to ensure equal opportunity in housing for all persons regardless of religion, race, color, national origin, age, sex, height, weight, familial status, or marital status. Therefore, St. Clair County does hereby pass the following Resolution:

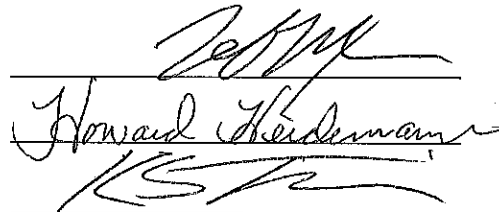
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT:

1. In accordance with Executive Order 11063, St. Clair County shall not discriminate in the sale, rental, leasing, or financing of housing because of religion, race, color, gender, physical or mental disabilities, national origin, age, height, weight, familial status, or marital status;
2. St. Clair County will assist all persons who feel they have been discriminated against because of religion, race, color, gender, physical or mental disabilities, national origin, age, height, weight, familial status, or marital status to seek equity under federal and state laws by providing information to said persons on how to file a complaint with the Michigan Department of Civil Rights;
3. St. Clair County will, at a minimum, post this policy or the Fair Housing poster or other posters, flyers or other information which will bring to the attention of owners of real estate, developers and builders their respective responsibilities and rights under the Federal Fair Housing Law and Michigan Elliott-Larsen Act.

DATED: November 5, 2015

Reviewed and Approved As To Form By:

  
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