

# Proclamation

## HONORING DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY

January 15, 2024

*WHEREAS, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. dedicated his life to the principle that we, as a people, have achieved and can continue to achieve non-violent social change; and*

*WHEREAS, Dr. King advanced the cause of social change for all people; and*

*WHEREAS, Dr. King was a great orator and leader whose eloquent message influenced his country to integrate peacefully and resulted in the passing and signing of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Voting Rights Act of 1965; and*

*WHEREAS, Dr. King received the Nobel Peace Prize in 1964 for his constant adherence to the principles of non-violence in the face of frequent threats; and*

**NOW, THEREFORE I, JEFF GEE, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF REDWOOD CITY, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby proclaim January 15, 2024 in Redwood City as *Martin Luther King, Jr. Day* and encourage all residents to recommit themselves to the principle of justice and equality for all.**

*Date: January 8, 2024*



  
Jeff Gee, Mayor


  
Lissette Espinaza-Garnica, Vice Mayor

  
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