

GOVERNOR JOSH SHAPIRO

April 6, 2024

Greetings:

It is my pleasure to recognize April 6, 2024, as Asexuality Day.

William Penn founded Pennsylvania on the principles of tolerance, fairness, and inclusion of all individuals. With these values, our Commonwealth developed a proud history of uplifting LGBTQIA+ communities. Asexual Pennsylvanians have played significant roles in the development of our state's economic, cultural, spiritual, and political industries. These individuals face barriers when attempting to integrate into our communities, including but not limited to lack of social acceptance, stress, depression, discrimination, isolation, and limited access to affirming care. While we have made significant strides in protecting asexual Pennsylvanians, more work is required to ensure the equitable support these individuals deserve. I am grateful for the efforts of all who have ensured we recognize these members of our Commonwealth and the value they bring to our communities. I am confident this day will promote further awareness and understanding of asexual Pennsylvanians throughout our state.

On behalf of all Pennsylvanians, I am honored to support April 6, 2024, as Asexuality Day. Please accept my best wishes for continued success in your endeavors.

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GIVEN under my hand and the Seal of the Governor, at the City of Harrisburg, this sixth day of April two thousand twenty-four, the year of the Commonwealth the two hundred forty-eighth.

Governor Josh Shapiro