

City of Brisbane

PROCLAMATION

WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS MONTH 2023

WHEREAS, in California, over 2 million homes are at risk to wildfire; and

WHEREAS, last year there were 7,490 wildfires that burned 362,455 acres across the state; and

WHEREAS, ninety percent of all wildfires are human caused. Human acts of carelessness result in wildfire disasters every year; and

WHEREAS, each year, more people move into wildland urban interface areas increasing the need to raise awareness to our citizens on how they can protect their property from wildfire losses; and

WHEREAS, Zonehaven has been adopted as a county wide tool to assist with informed evacuations during wildfire and we encourage “know your zone” before an emergency arises; and

WHEREAS, the North County Fire Authority encourages fire-safe behavior by all who live, work, and recreate throughout the City of Brisbane; and

WHEREAS, each of us can do our part to prepare for wildfire emergencies by taking steps to make effective changes to our homes and landscapes to reduce the risk of wildfire; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MADISON DAVIS, Mayor of the City of Brisbane, on behalf of the city council, do hereby proclaim May 2023 as “WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS MONTH” and encourage all Brisbane residents to increase their knowledge and awareness of proper safety measures to protect themselves from the devastating effects of wildfires.

Dated: 5/4/2023



Madison Davis, Mayor

