



Like no place else.™

Greetings from Palm Springs,

As the Mayor of Palm Springs, I hope you have the opportunity to visit our city while here in California. Palm Springs is truly like no place else, and once you visit, you may never want to leave. We are ranked one of the top LGBT destinations in the world and only a short two-hour drive from major cities in Southern California.

If you are planning a visit, we are home to several LGBT events including Palm Springs Pride, White Party and The Dinah. We also have the largest collection of gay and lesbian resorts in the United States with nearly 30 gay and lesbian-owned and/or operated resorts.

Now that California allows same-sex weddings, we hope you consider our destination to celebrate your wedding or honeymoon in a welcoming and relaxing environment.

If you are considering relocating to Palm Springs, we are one of the most diverse communities in the country. Our city ranks per capita the third-highest U.S. city for same-sex households.

With over 350 days of sunshine a year and stunning natural beauty, we invite you to experience our Old Hollywood legacy, Native American heritage and stellar collection of mid-century modern architecture. Our downtown and uptown design district have a village atmosphere combined with an urban sensibility offering eclectic shops and chef-owned bistros.

This is why my husband, Christopher, and I along with our two children love Palm Springs!

Enjoy your stay,

Stephen P. Pougnet, Mayor
City of Palm Springs