

**FAIR HOUSING MONTH
APRIL 2015**

WHEREAS, Fair Housing is a right protected by Federal and State laws; and

WHEREAS, Housing discrimination is illegal; and

WHEREAS, Fair Housing means persons may freely choose a place to live without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or because persons are disabled or have children in the family; and

WHEREAS, Fair Housing laws apply to persons viewing or renting an apartment; viewing or purchasing a home; applying for or securing a home loan; or purchasing homeowners' or renters' insurance;

NOW THEREFORE, I, MAYOR James S. Mayberry, do hereby proclaim the month of April 2015, as **Fair Housing Month** in the City of Crossville, recognizing the need for community education and awareness of fair housing.