

## WEST PALM BEACH, FLORIDA 1/2

STATE

2018 MUNICIPAL EQUALITY INDEX SCORECARD

COUNTY MUNICIPAL AVAILABLE

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(5)

12 out of 12

5

+1 +1

+2

+2

## I. Non-Discrimination Laws

This category evaluates whether discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation and gender identity is prohibited by the city, county, or state in areas of employment, housing, and public accommodations.

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Employm	ent	00	5 5	5 5	55
Housing		00	5 5	5 5	5 5
Public Ac	commodations	00	55	55	55
SCORE				<b>30</b> ou	it of 30
BONUS	Single-Occupancy All-Gender Facilities	+0	+0	+0	+2
BONUS	Protects Youth from Conversion Therapy	+0	+2	+2	+2

#### II. Municipality as Employer

By offering equivalent benefits and protections to LGBTQ employees, awarding contracts to fair-minded businesses, and taking steps to ensure an inclusive workplace, municipalities commit themselves to treating LGBTQ employees equally.

	Non-Disc	rimination in City Employment		77	77
	Transgen	der-Inclusive Healthcare Benefits		6	6
	City Cont	ractor Non-Discrimination Ordinance		33	33
	Inclusive	Workplace		2	2
	SCORE			<b>28</b> or	ut of 28
	BONUS	City Employee Domestic Partner Benefits		+1	+1
S	5		COUNTY	CITY	AVAILABLE
	Human R	ights Commission	5	0	5
	NDO Enfo Commissi	prcement by Human Rights ion	2	0	2

LGBTQ Liaison in City Executive's Office

City Services

Youth

Homeless

Population

Elders

**BONUS** Youth Bullying Prevention Policy for

**BONUS** City Provides Services to LGBTQ

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**BONUS** City Provides Services HIV/AIDS

**BONUS** City Provides Services to the Transgender Community

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#### III. Municipal Services

This section assesses the efforts of the city to ensure LGBTQ constituents are included in city services and programs.

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#### IV. Law Enforcement

Fair enforcement of the law includes<br/>responsible reporting of hate crimes and<br/>engaging with the LGBTQ community in a<br/>thoughtful and respectful way.LGBTQ Police Liais<br/>Reported 2016 Ha<br/>to the FBI

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## V. Leadership on LGBTQ Equa

This category measures the city leadership's commitment to fully include the LGBTQ community and to advocate for full equality. Leadership's Pro-E Efforts
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BONUS City Test

Law

PTS FOR SEXUAL ORIENTATION

PTS FOR GENDER IDENTITY

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	MUNICIPAL	AVAILABLE	
ison or Task Force	(10)	(10)	
ate Crimes Statistics	12	12	
	<b>22</b> out of 22		

ality	MUNICIPAL	AVAILABLE
ic Position on LGBTQ Equality	(5)	5
Equality Legislative or Policy	3	3
	8 out of 8	
LGBTO Elected or Appointed al Leaders	+0	+2
ts Limits of Restrictive State	+0	+3

TOTAL SCORE 100 + TOTAL BONUS 5 =



**CANNOT EXCEED 100** 

BONUS PTS for criteria not accessible to all cities at this time.