RESOLUTION 2020- Z

A RESOLUTION OF THE MARTIN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO PRESERVE THE RIGHT TO KEEP AND BEAR ARMS (The Second Amendment Preservation Resolution)

WHEREAS, the Martin County Board of Commissioners hereby recognize that the Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States reads as follows, "A well-regulated militia, being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms, shall not be infringed.";

WHEREAS, Article 1 Section 32 of the Indiana State Constitution provides that the people of the State of Indiana shall have a right to bear arms, for the defense of themselves and the State, and

WHEREAS, the Martin County Board of Commissioners affirm that all Federal and State acts, laws, orders, rules or regulations regarding firearms are a violation of Second Amendment;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

The Martin County Board of Commissioners declare that all Federal acts, laws, orders, rules, regulations, past, present or future, in violation of the Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, are not authorized by the Constitution of the United States or the Constitution of the State of Indiana and violate its true meaning and intent as given by the founders and ratifiers; and are hereby declared to be invalid in this county, shall not be recognized by this county, are specifically rejected by this county, and shall be considered null and void and of no effect in this county.

The Martin County Board of Commissioners declares that all State acts, laws, orders, rules, regulations, past, present, or future, in violation of Article I Section 32 to the Constitution of the State of Indiana, are not authorized by the Constitution of the State of Indiana and violate its true meaning and intent as given by the founders and ratifiers; and are hereby declared to be invalid in this county, shall not be recognized by this county, are specifically rejected by this county, and shall be considered null and void and of no effect in this county,

It shall be the duty of the Sheriff of this County to take all measures as may be necessary to prevent the enforcement of any federal acts, laws, orders rules, or regulations in violation of the Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

BE IT NOW RESOLVED AND ADOPTED this 25 day of February, 2020.

MARTIN COUNTY BOARD COMMISSIONERS:

Paul R. George, President

Aaron C. Summers

Kevin R. Boyd

Attest:

Bobbie Abel, Auditor