

RESOLUTION OF THE LIVE OAK COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT

WHEREAS, the Constitution of the United States is the supreme law of our nation, and The Second Amendment to the Constitution states "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", and

WHEREAS, The Texas Constitution, Article 1, Section 23 states "Every citizen shall have the right to keep and bear arms in the lawful defense of himself or the State", and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Live Oak County Commissioners to declare its support for the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution and the Texas Constitution, Article I, Section 23, protecting citizens' inalienable and individual right to keep and bear arms, and,

WHEREAS, the members of the Live Oak County Commissioners' Court took an oath to support and defend the United States Constitution, the Constitution of the State of Texas, and the laws of the State of Texas (insofar as they are constitutional),

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners Court of the County of Live Oak, by the authority granted to the Commissioners' Court by the laws of the State of Texas and the people of Live Oak County, Texas, to stand and defend their rights and liberties, which are guaranteed by the United States and Texas constitutions, we hereby declare this Resolution as follows:

Second Amendment Preservation Resolution Designating Live Oak County a Second Amendment Safe Haven County

BE IT RESOLVED, that this Commissioners' Court affirms its support for the duly elected Sheriff of Live Oak County, Texas in the exercise of his sound discretion, and affirms its resolve to support decisions made by our Sheriff to not enforce any unconstitutional firearms restrictions against any citizen;

FURTHERMORE, The Live Oak County Commissioners' Court will not authorize or appropriate government funds, resources, employees, agencies, contractors, buildings, detention center, or offices for the purpose of enforcing law that unconstitutionally infringes on the right of the people to keep and bear arms. Through this resolution, we hereby declare our rights, our freedom and our liberty so guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States of America.

ADOPTED, RESOLVED, AND SIGNED this of day of ______, 2021

Jim Huff, Live Oak County Judge

Richard Lee, Commissioner Pct. 1

Mitchell Williams, Commissioner Pct. 3

Emilio Garza, Commissioner Pct. 4

Donna Kopplin Mills, Commissioner Pct. 2