



RESOLUTION of the Ellis County Commissioners' Court

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Ellis County Commissioners Court to declare its support of the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution and the Texas Constitution, Article 1, Section 23, protecting citizens' inalienable and individual right to keep and bear arms; and,

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

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners Court of the County of Ellis by the authority granted to the Commissioners by the laws of the State of Texas and people of Ellis 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 Ellis County a Second Amendment "Sanctuary County"

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Commissioners Court affirms its support for any appointed or elected Sheriff and any other law enforcement officer of Ellis County, Texas, in the exercise of sound discretion. We also affirm our resolve to support decisions by our Sheriff and any other law enforcement officer to not enforce any unconstitutional firearms laws against any citizen.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Commissioners Court will not authorize or appropriate government funds, resources, employees, agencies, contractors, buildings, detention centers or offices for the purpose of enforcing law that unconstitutionally infringes on the right of the people to keep and bear arms.

Adopted this 5th day of November, 2019:

Todd Little, County Judge

Randy Stinson, Commissioner, Precinct 1

Lane Grayson, Commissioner, Precinct 2

Paul Perry, Commissioner, Precinct 3

Kyle Butler, Commissioner, Precinct 4

Attest: Krystal Valdez, County Clerk