



**STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF NEWAYGO
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

At an emergency session of the said Board held in the City of White Cloud, in said County, on the 22nd day of April 2020, the following Resolution was adopted:

**RESOLUTION #04-007-2020
SUPPORTING THE SECOND AMENDMENT**

WHEREAS, Elected Officials at all levels of Michigan Government, including County Commissioners, have taken a solemn oath to support and defend each and every provision of the United States Constitution and the Michigan Constitution of 1963; and

WHEREAS, it is the obligation of elected officials at every level of Michigan Government, including County Commissioners, to support and defend the constitutional rights and liberties of the People, including those safeguarded by the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution and Article 1, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963; and

WHEREAS, this responsibility includes the duty to refrain from adopting any statute, act, ordinance, or regulation which would violate or be incompatible with the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution or Article 1, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963; now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Newaygo County Board of County Commissioners hereby solemnly pledges to carefully consider the individual freedoms and liberties safeguarded by the United States and Michigan Constitutions, including those secured by the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution and Article 1, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963, before taking any action which would affect the rights of the People; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Newaygo County Board of County Commissioners hereby urges all members of the United States Congress and the Michigan Legislature to publicly pledge to carefully consider the individual freedoms and liberties safeguarded by the United States and Michigan Constitutions, including those secured by the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution and Article 1, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963, before taking any action which would affect the rights of the People; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Newaygo County Board of County Commissioners further urges all members of the United States Congress and the Michigan Legislature to refrain from supporting any bill, amendment, or other proposed legislation which would violate or be incompatible with the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution or Article 1, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution shall be forwarded to the offices of Governor Gretchen Whitmer, Senator Jon Bumstead, and Representative Scott VanSingel at Lansing, Michigan, and the offices of Senator Debbie Stabenow, Senator Gary Peters, and Congressman Bill Huizenga at Washington, D.C.

Resolution #04-007-2020
April 22, 2020

Motion by: Maike Supported by: Kruithoff to adopt the foregoing Resolution.
The Ayes being: Bird, DeLaat, Kruithoff, Maike, Trapp, Kolk
Nays: Cooper Absent: None

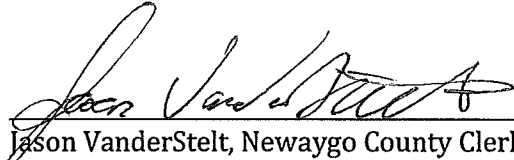
The Resolution was adopted
April 22, 2020.



Bryan Kolk, Chairman
Newaygo County Board of Commissioners

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I, Jason VanderStelt, County Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution #04-007-20 adopted by the Newaygo County Board of Commissioners at a regular session held on the 22nd day of April 2020.



Jason VanderStelt, Newaygo County Clerk