

RESOLUTION 2020- 10

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

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

WHEREAS, the members of the Martin County Council recognize that the Martin County Board of Commissioners have passed a resolution to preserve the right to keep and bear arms; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Martin County Council hereby join with the Martin County Board of Commissioners in the declaration made in Martin County Board of Commissioners Resolution 2020-02 ;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

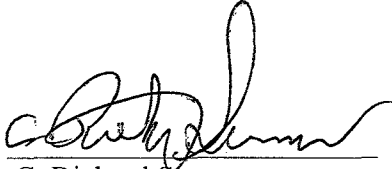
The members of the Martin County Council believe and join with the Martin County Board of Commissioners in declaring that all Federal acts, laws, orders, rules, regulations, past, present or future, in violation of the Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States, are not authorized by the 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 should be declared to be invalid in this county, should not be recognized by this county, and should be specifically rejected by this county, and should be considered null and void and of no effect in this county.

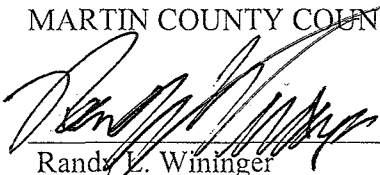
The members of the Martin County Council believe and join with the Martin County Board of Commissioners that all State acts, laws, orders, rules, regulations, past, present, or future, in violation of Article I Section 32 to the Constitution of the State of Indiana, are not authorized by the Constitution of the State of Indiana and violate its true meaning and intent as given by the founders and ratifiers; and should be declared to be invalid in this county, should

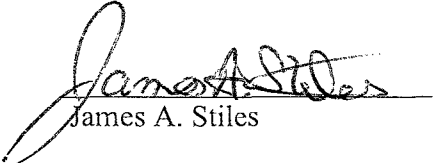
not be recognized by this county, should be rejected by this county, and should be considered null and void and of no effect in this county,

The members of the Martin County Council believe and join with the Martin County Board of Commissioners to declare that 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.

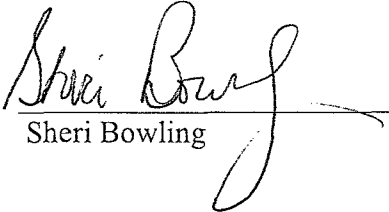
BE IT NOW RESOLVED AND ADOPTED this 1 day of June, 2020.

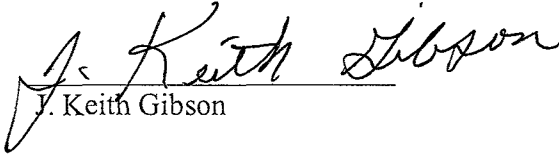
  
C. Richard Summers,  
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