

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF LEWISVILLE, TEXAS,
SUPPORTING THE U.S. CENSUS BUREAU
2020.**

WHEREAS, the U.S. Census Bureau is required by the U.S. Constitution to conduct a count of the population and provides a historic opportunity to help shape the foundation of our society and play an active role in American democracy; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lewisville is committed to ensuring every resident is counted; and,

WHEREAS, federal and state funding is allocated to communities because decisions are made on matters of national and local importance based in part on census data and housing; and,

WHEREAS, census data helps determine how many seats each state will have in the U.S. House of Representatives and is necessary for an accurate and fair redistricting of state legislative seats, county and city councils, and voting districts; and,

WHEREAS, information from the 2020 Census and American Community Survey are vital tools for economic development and increased employment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEWISVILLE, TEXAS, THAT THE CITY COUNCIL:

SECTION I. Supports the goals and ideals for the 2020 Census and will disseminate 2020 Census information to the best of their ability.

SECTION II. Encourages all City residents to participate in events and initiatives that will increase participation in, and raise the overall awareness of, the 2020 Census.

SECTION III. Encourages Census advocates to coordinate and execute a unified plan of action with Lewisville city and community organizations with regards to the 2020 Census.

SECTION IV. Supports Census advocates as they help the City of Lewisville complete an accurate count.

SECTION V. Strives to achieve a complete and accurate count of all persons residing within Lewisville City boundaries.

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**DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
LEWISVILLE, TEXAS, ON THIS THE 15 DAY OF OCTOBER 2018.**

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Julie Worster, CITY SECRETARY

Rudy Durham, MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Lizbeth Plaster, CITY ATTORNEY