

RESOLUTION NO. 001 - 2020

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE 2020 UNITED STATES CENSUS
WHEREAS, the Constitution of the United States of America requires that a census be taken every 10 years, with the first census having taken place in 1790, and the next census to take place in 2020; and
WHEREAS, the Town of Welsh is committed to ensuring that every resident is counted; and
WHEREAS, federal and state funding is allocated to communities, and decisions are made on matters of national and local importance based, in part, on census data; and
WHEREAS, census data helps determine how many seats each state will have in the U.S. House of Representatives and is necessary for the accurate and fair redistricting of state legislative seats, parish and city governments, and voting districts; and
WHEREAS, information from the 2020 Census and American Community Survey are vital tools for economic development and increased employment; and
WHEREAS, the information collected by the census is confidential and protected by law; and
WHEREAS, Mayor Carolyn Louviere will appoint a Complete Count Committee and designate a Chairperson/Liaison to work with the community and the US Census Bureau to ensure a complete and accurate count of all persons within the Town of Welsh, Parish of Jefferson Davis, Louisiana;
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Council of Welsh supports the goals and ideals of the 2020 Census, pledges support of the US Census Bureau and the Town of Welsh Administration efforts to disseminate 2020 Census information, and encourages all people in Welsh to participate in events and initiatives that will raise awareness of the 2020 Census and increase participation among populations.
This resolution was declared adopted on this 7th day of January 2020.

Mayor Carolyn Louviere Town of Welsh

I, Eva C. Kibodeaux, Secretary of the Welsh Town Council, hereby certify that the forgoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Welsh Town Council at a regular meeting held the 7th day of January 2020.

_____, Secretary
Town of Welsh