

## **National Adoption Month Proclamation**

WHEREAS, we have a responsibility as community members of Polk County to ensure all children grow up in safe, stable, loving and supportive homes; and

WHEREAS, November is National Adoption Month, we recognize the love and support foster/adoptive families provide to children daily; and

WHEREAS, adoption is a life changing decision and makes a meaningful and lasting difference in the life of a child; and

WHEREAS, deciding to open their home and hearts to a child, foster/adoptive families deserve respect and support from their community; and

WHEREAS, we the Polk County community celebrate all those individuals who have opened their homes and hearts; and

WHEREAS, there are approximately 13 children awaiting adoption in Polk County; and

WHEREAS, during National Adoption Month, we celebrate all of those who have opened their hearts and homes and express our appreciation for those who make adoption possible.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Commissioners Court of County of Polk, Texas, through adoption of this Resolution does hereby proclaim November as

dney Murphy, Polk County Judge

"National Adoption Month"

WITNESS OUR HANDS THIS 22nd day of November, A.D., 2022

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