

**STATE OF TEXAS**

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**COUNTY OF MONTAGUE**

**Montague County Resolution in Support of the United States, Mexico, Canada Trade Agreement**

**WHEREAS**, The North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) was passed in 1994; and

**WHEREAS**, NAFTA was crucial to the growth of the North American continent and encouraged regional trade and cross-border investment between the United States, Canada, and Mexico; and

**WHEREAS**, Texas had \$120 billion in exports to Mexico and Canada in 2017; and


**WHEREAS**, The United States, Canada, and Mexico have recently renegotiated NAFTA, modernizing the agreement based on the economies and technologies of the present day, renaming it the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement (USMCA); and

**WHEREAS**, with improved provisions on rules of origin, market access for agriculture products and intellectual property, the USMCA will significantly benefit Texas companies and residents; helping to create and maintain local jobs and adequate revenue for Texas counties to best serve our residents.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Montague County Commissioners Court supports the passage of the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement by the United States Congress in order to help secure the future prosperity of Montague County and the State of Texas.

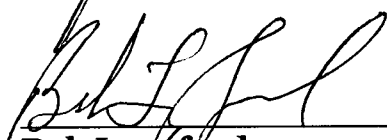
**PASSED AND APPROVED** by Montague County Commissioners Court on this \_\_8th\_\_ day of \_\_April\_\_, 2019, in Montague County, Texas.

  
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**Rick Lewis**  
County Judge

  
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**Roy Darden**  
Commissioner Precinct 1

  
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**Mike Mayfield**  
Commissioner Precinct 2

  
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**Mark Murphey**  
Commissioner Precinct 3

  
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**Bob Langford**  
Commissioner Precinct 4