## National Adoption Month Proclamation

Whereas, Montague County recognizes the importance of giving children permanent, safe and loving families through adoption; and

Whereas, children are key to the county's future success, prosperity and quality of life; and

Whereas, supportive families can help a child or teen overcome past traumatic experiences and reach their full potential; and

Whereas, to help these children find permanent, nurturing families, the local courts of Montague County will open their doors during National Adoption Month to finalize the adoptions of local children and join other organizations to celebrate all adoptions; and

Whereas, deciding to open their hearts and homes to a child, adoptive and foster care families demonstrate great compassion and provide hope and love to these children.

**Now, Therefore, be it resolved** that the Commissioners Court of Montague County, does hereby proclaim November as **National Adoption Month** in Montague County, and in so doing urge all citizens to join in a national effort to raise awareness about the importance of adoption.

Signed this 24th day of October, 2022.

Judge Kevin Benton County Judge

Bob Langford/

Mark Murphey

County Commissioners

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