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Morgan County is a community where God is honored, where our children are safe and well educated, and where hard working, industrious citizens have ample opportunity for good jobs.

Resolution Petitioning Morgan County's Federal Legislators, Representative Chuck Fleischmann, Senators Lamar Alexander and Bob Corker To More Strictly Control Immigration Into Our Country

WHEREAS, the United States receives over one million (1,000,000) foreign, legal, permanent residents each year, and

WHEREAS, an overwhelming majority of these immigrants are eligible for citizenship in the U.S., and

WHEREAS, many of these foreign immigrants immediately begin receiving benefits paid for by the U.S. tax payer, and

WHEREAS, these foreign immigrants are candidates to fill any job an unemployed American should be working at, and

WHEREAS, these foreign immigrants often will work for less money than an American will work for thereby driving down wages for the American worker, and

WHEREAS, A vast majority of Americans (71%) want legal immigration numbers either decreased (40%) or to absolutely not be increased (31%) from the present levels, and

WHEREAS, Since 2012, 664,607 illegal aliens have been granted amnesty which gives them the right to become voting citizens of our country, and

WHEREAS, There are between 11,000,000 and 30,000,000 illegal aliens in our country at present, and

WHEREAS, At least 8,000,000 of the illegal aliens are taking jobs that American citizens should be filling, and

WHEREAS, These millions of illegal alien workers are willing to work for much less than American workers thereby driving down wages for the American worker, and

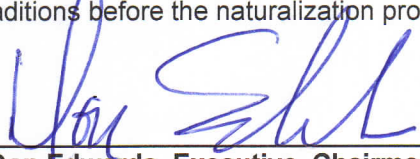
WHEREAS, illegal immigrants make up from 3.5% to 9.5% of our country's population but they have 37% of the convictions for federal crimes, and

WHEREAS, immigrant crimes are out of control in our country with 3,000,000 arrests in 2011 including 500,000 drug arrests, 213,000 assaults, 125,000 thefts, 70,000 sex offenses, 25,000 murders, (numbers DO NOT include immigrants who have been made voting citizens nor their children), and

THEREFORE, the Morgan County Legislative Body, representing the citizens of Morgan County, Tennessee, meeting in regular session on August 10, 2015, do petition our Congressional Representatives

to create legislation that will control and regulate all immigration into our country so that the immigrants will have more positive and helpful effects on our great nation. Immigrants should be screened intensively to keep the criminal and terrorist element out of our country. If any immigrant cannot be made to undergo intense scrutiny as to background, intentions, and ideology then they must be absolutely banned from entering our country. The United States of America must be convinced that

immigrants will be peacefully assimilated and will display a love and respect for our country and her traditions before the naturalization process can begin.



Don Edwards, Executive, Chairman

8-10-15

Date



Cheryl Collin, County Clerk

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