

RESOLUTION : R 19-08-01

A RESOLUTION TO DIRECT THE COUNTY CLERK OF JEFFERSON COUNTY TO PLACE A REFERENDUM ON THE BALLOT CONCERNING THE POSSIBILITY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS TO FORM A NEW STATE SEPARATE FROM COOK COUNTY

WHEREAS, there are 101 counties in the State of Illinois, with the exception of Cook County; and

WHEREAS, these 101 counties are available for discussions, in regards to separating from Cook County; and

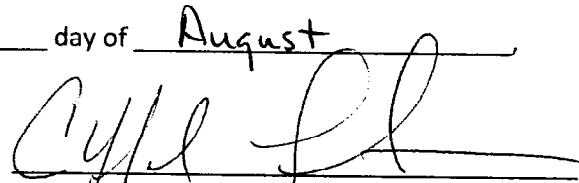
WHEREAS, it would be in the best interests of the citizens of Jefferson County to possibly form a new state.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Board of the county of Jefferson, Illinois that the following public question be submitted to the voters of the County of Jefferson at the Presidential Primary Election to be held on March 17, 2020:

Shall Jefferson County coordinate discussions with the remaining 101 counties of the State of Illinois, with the exception of Cook County, regarding the possibility of forming a new state and ultimately seeking admission to the Federal Union as the 51st State, pursuant to the provisions of the United State Constitution?

_____ Yes
_____ No

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED THIS 26th day of August 2019.



Cliff Lindemann, Chairman
Jefferson County Board

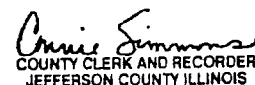
ATTEST:



Connie Simmons
County Clerk & Recorder

APPROVED AMENDED
BY COUNTY BOARD ON

AUG 26 2019



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COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
JEFFERSON COUNTY ILLINOIS