TOWN POLICY REGARDING COMMUNICATIONS WITH IMMIGRATION AND NAUTRALIZATION SERVICE (HOMELAND SECURITY)

A. IN GENERAL

Notwithstanding any other provision of Federal, State or local law, neither the Town of Stoneville nor its elected officials and staff may prohibit, or in any way restrict, any government entity or official from sending to, or receiving from, the Immigration and Naturalization Service (Homeland Security) information regarding the citizenship or immigration status, lawful or unlawful, of any individual.

B. ADDITIONAL AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF STONEVILLE

Notwithstanding any other provision of Federal, State of Local Law, no person or agency may prohibit, or in any way restrict, a Federal, State, and/or Local Government entity from doing any of the following with the respect to information regarding the immigration status, lawful or unlawful, of any individual:

1. Sending such information to, or requesting or receiving such information from, the Immigration and Naturalization Service, (Homeland Security)
2. Maintaining such information.
3. Exchanging such information with any other Federal, State, and/or Local Government entity.

C. OBLIGATION TO RESPOND TO INQUIRIES

The Immigration and Naturalization Service (Homeland Security) shall respond to any inquiry by a Federal, State, and/or Local government agency, seeking to verify or ascertain the citizenship or immigration status of any individual within the Jurisdiction of the Town of Stoneville, for any purpose authorized by law, by providing the request verification or status information.

Adopted this the 13th day of November, 2018

ATTEST:

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Sherri Darnell, Town Clerk Ricky Craddock, Mayor