

RESOLUTION #2021-09
OF THE
CEDAR COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
RESOLUTION OPPOSING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT'S 30 X 30 LAND
PRESERVATION GOAL

WHEREAS, Cedar County is a legal and political subdivision of the State of Nebraska for which the Board of County Commissioners is authorized to act; and

WHEREAS, on January 27, 2021, President Joe Biden issued Executive Order 14008 entitled Tackling the Climate Crisis at Home and Abroad (86 Fed. Reg. 7,619) and

WHEREAS, in Section 216 of Executive Order 14008 President Biden directed the Secretary of the Interior, in consultation with the Secretary of Agriculture and other senior officials, to develop a program to conserve at least 30% of the lands and waters in the United States by 2030, which is called the "30 x 30" program; and

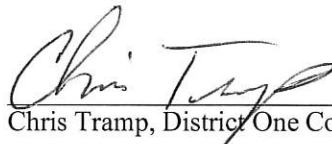
WHEREAS, placing private lands into permanent conservation status will cause harm to the economies rural counties such as Cedar County whose citizens depend on private lands for their livelihoods; and

WHEREAS, the 30 x 30 program, if implemented, will conflict with plans, policies, zoning and programs of Cedar County; and

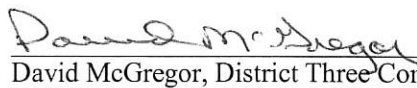
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of Commissioners of Cedar County, Nebraska, stand in opposition to the "30 by 30 program" contained in Executive Order 14008, signed on January 27th, 2021, by President Biden.

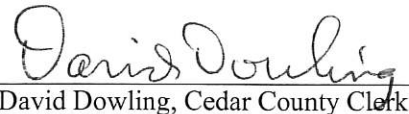
The foregoing resolution was introduced by Commissioner Bartels who moved its adoption. Commissioner Tramp seconded the motion. Voting Aye: Bartels, Tramp and McGregor. Voting Nay: None. Motion carried.

Passed this 12th day of October 2021.


Chris Tramp, District One Commissioner


Craig Bartels, District Two Commissioner


David McGregor, District Three Commissioner

ATTEST: 
David Dowling, Cedar County Clerk

