

**CITY OF DAYTON, KENTUCKY
RESOLUTION 2020-6R**

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE 2020 CENSUS.

WHEREAS, the U.S. Census Bureau is required by the U.S. Constitution to conduct a count of the population and provides a historic opportunity to help shape the foundation of our society and play an active role in American democracy; and

WHEREAS, the City of Dayton is committed to ensuring every resident is counted; and

WHEREAS, federal and state funding is allocated to communities, and decisions are made on matters of national and local importance based, in part, on census data and housing; and

WHEREAS, census data helps determine how many seats each state will have in the U.S. House of Representatives and is necessary for an accurate and fair redistricting of state legislative seats, and local voting districts; and

WHEREAS, information from the 2020 Census is vital tools for economic development and increased employment; and

WHEREAS, the information collected by the census is confidential and protected by law; and

WHEREAS, a united voice from business, government, community-based and faith-based organizations, educators, media and others will enable the 2020 Census message to reach more of our citizens.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and City Council that the City of Dayton is committed to partnering with the U.S. Census Bureau and the Commonwealth of Kentucky and will:

1. Support the goals and ideals for the 2020 Census and will disseminate 2020 Census information;
2. Encourage all residents to participate in events and initiatives that will raise the overall awareness of the 2020 Census and increase participation;
3. Support census takers as they help our City complete an accurate count; and
4. Strive to achieve a complete and accurate count of all persons within our borders.

Approved and adopted at a regular meeting of the City of Dayton on the 5, day of May 2020.

MAYOR BEN BAKER

ATTEST:

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CITY CLERK/TREASURER