## RESOLUTION NO. 20-07

## **FAIR HOUSING RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, the Village of Dupo, St. Clair County, Illinois ("Village"), is a duly created, organized and validly existing municipality of the State of Illinois under the 1970 Illinois Constitution and the laws of the State of Illinois, including particularly the Illinois Municipal Code, and all laws amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; and

WHEREAS, a duly noticed public meeting was held in the Village of Dupo, Illinois at the Dupo Village Hall, 107 N. Second Street, on May 18, 2020 at 7:00 p.m., before the Village Board of Dupo, and such meeting was held remotely due to the Governor's Executive Orders pertaining to the COVID-19 pandemic and such allowed for remote attendance by the public and the Village Board; and

WHEREAS, the Village is a non-home rule unit of government and has the authority to adopt ordinances, resolutions and to promulgate rules and regulations that pertain to its government and affairs, and to review, interpret and amend its ordinances, rules and regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Village finds that the economic stability of the Village directly depends upon stable, integrated, and balanced patters; and

WHEREAS, it further finds that stable and integrated and balanced living patters are threatened by discriminatory acts and unlawful housing practices; and

WHEREAS, it further finds that discriminatory acts and unlawful housing practices contribute to the formation and preservation of segregated neighborhoods, thereby affecting the quality of daily life of the citizens of the municipality or township; and

WHEREAS, it further finds that discriminatory acts and unlawful housing practices interfere with the achievement of stable, integrated and balanced living patterns, thereby depriving the citizens of the benefits of interracial, interreligious, and intercultural association.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND VILLAGE BOARD OF THE VILLAGE OF DUPO, ST. CLAIR COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. That the foregoing recitals are hereby incorporated herein as findings of the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Village and made a part of this Resolution.
- 2. The discriminatory and unlawful housing practices as defined by the Department of Housing and Urban Development pursuant to the Community Block Grant Regulations, and including any other state and federal grant programs, are

hereby specifically against the policy and practices of the Village of Dupo, St. Clair County, Illinois to participate in or allow the expenditure of government funds for housing projects which are not consistent with HUD rules and regulations.

- 3. Any policy or resolution of the Village that conflicts with the provisions of this Resolution shall be and is hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.
- 4. The Village Clerk is hereby ordered and directed to publish this Resolution in pamphlet form, and this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

**ADOPTED AND APPROVED** this 18<sup>TH</sup> day of May 2020 by the Village Mayor and the Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Dupo, St. Clair County, Illinois, and deposited and filed in the office of the Village Clerk in said Village on that date.

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PASSED AND APPROVED by the Mayor of the Village of Dupo, Illinois this 18<sup>th</sup> day of May 2020.

Jerry Wilson, Mayor Village of Dupo, Illinois

ATTEST:

MARK NADLER, VILLAGE CLERK

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