

RESOLUTION NO. 04-18-11A

**WHEREAS**, American military forces are either engaged in defending or are prepared to defend and support American interests and principles, and

**WHEREAS**, the Adopt-a-Unit program created by **America Supporting Americans** on March 4, 1968 provides a mechanism whereby all branches of the United States Armed Services can be "adopted" by American communities, and

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of this adoption program is to create a bond between American communities and the military men and women who bravely serve their country, and

**WHEREAS**, this bond is intended to support the morale of said service men and women without regard to individual political ties or affiliations, and

**WHEREAS**, in recognition of the challenges confronting American service men and service women, it is appropriate and fitting that the City of Del City in the State of Oklahoma show its support by adopting the following: the United States Air Force 552nd Air Control Wing, stationed at Tinker Air Force Base and deployed to Libya in support of Operation Odyssey Dawn.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the City of Del City in the State of Oklahoma does hereby adopt and offer its ongoing respect and support, in time of war and in time of peace, to the United States Air Force 552nd Air Control Wing.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City Council hereby designates the City Manager, Mark Edwards, as the primary liaison between this community, the newly adopted 552nd Air Control Wing, and **America Supporting Americans** as the organization that has facilitated this adoption.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the City of Del City in the State of Oklahoma hereby encourages all city employees, businesses, service clubs, charitable organizations, and private citizens to become involved in supporting the Airmen of the 552nd Air Control Wing of the United States Air Force, and their families.


**PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED** this 18th day of April, 2011, by the City Council of the City of Del City in the State of Oklahoma.



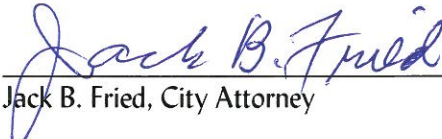
ATTEST:

  
Carol Noble, City Clerk



  
Brian E. Linley, Mayor

APPROVED as to form and legality this  
18th day of April, 2011.

  
Jack B. Fried, City Attorney