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WHEREAS, The Second Amendment of the United States Constitution reads: "A well-regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed" and

WHEREAS, The Constitution of the State of Maine, Arranged by the Chief Justice of the Maine Supreme Judicial Court and approved by the Maine State Legislature, Resolve 2013, Chapter 75, pursuant to the Constitution of Maine, Article X, Section 6, and

WHEREAS, the Constitution of the State of Maine, Article I, Section 16 states, "every citizen has a right to keep and bear arms and this right shall never be questioned", and

WHEREAS, the Town of Friendship Selectboard wishes to express its deep commitment to the rights of its citizens

WHEREAS, the Town of Friendship Selectboard wishes to further express opposition to any law that would unconstitutionally restrict the rights of our citizens to peacefully keep and bear arms, and

WHEREAS, The Town of Friendship Selectboard wishes to express its intent to stand as a sanctuary for the right to keep and bear arms within the limits of the Constitution of the United States and the State of Maine, and

NOW, THEREFORE, We, the Town of Friendship Selectboard, do hereby resolve and declare its intent to oppose unconstitutional restrictions on the right to keep and bear arms for its citizens.

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Town of Friendship 2021 Second Amendment Sanctuary

United States Constitution and the Constitution of the Great State of Maine

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