McDonald County; and,

A RESOLUTION AND ORDER OF MCDONALD COUNTY, MISSOURI COMMISSION TO EXPRESS SUPPORT FOR LEGISLATION SIGNED INTO LAW BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI SENATE BILL 190 (TAX RELIEF FOR SENIOR CITIZENS).

WHEREAS, the 102<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly of the State of Missouri passed Senate Bill 190; and,
WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Missouri has signed into law Senate Bill 190; and,
WHEREAS, Senate Bill 190 provides for needed tax relief for the qualifying senior citizens of

WHEREAS, the McDonald County Commission and many local governments statewide have expressed concerns about this legislation regarding its implementation, unclear language, and unintended consequences; and,

WHEREAS, The McDonald County, Missouri Commission has considered these expressed concerns; and,

WHEREAS, there does appear to be many unintended consequences involved with this legislation if enacted as written.

## THE MCDONALD COUNTY, MISSOURI COMMISSION RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The McDonald County Commission fully supports needed tax relief for qualified Senior Citizens as generally expressed in Senate Bill 190.

Section 2. The McDonald County Commission believes that there will be changes made to Senate Bill 190 in the upcoming Missouri Legislative year to address the issues that have been expressed statewide by many local county governments.

Section 3. The McDonald County Commission will consider this legislation for enactment in McDonald County, Missouri after the many unintended consequences of this legislation have been vetted and resolved by the Missouri State Legislature, in the 2024 legislative session or sooner.

Section 4. Copies of this Resolution and Order shall be kept on file at the McDonald County Clerk's office.

<u>Section 5.</u> This Resolution and Order shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of enactment.

<u>Section 6.</u> If any part of this Resolution and Order is invalid for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect the remainder of this Resolution and Order.

THIS RESOLUTION, AS INTRODUCED AND CONSIDERED BY THE MCDONALD COUNTY, MISSOURI, COMMISSION ON THIS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF DECEMBER 2023, WAS DULY ADOPTED AND ORDERED.

Presiding commissioner Bryan Hall

Eastern Commissioner, Jamey Cope

Western Commissioner, Rick Lett

ATTEST:

County Clerk, Kimberly B