

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7

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A JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF  
MONTANA CONGRATULATING DONALD J. TRUMP ON HIS INAUGURATION AS PRESIDENT OF THE  
UNITED STATES.

~~WHEREAS, the citizens of the United States, including the steadfast people of Montana, have  
exercised their constitutional right to vote and Donald J. Trump has been duly elected as the 47th President of  
the United States of America, decisively defeating radical leftist Kamala Harris in the 2024 presidential election,  
with the esteemed J.D. Vance elected as Vice President; and~~

~~WHEREAS, President Trump secured a resounding landslide victory in Montana, winning 51 of the 56  
counties in the state, reflecting that Montanans rejected the Democratic Party and its policies; and~~

~~WHEREAS, during his campaign, President Trump faced and triumphed over baseless, politically  
motivated charges and relentless attacks orchestrated by partisan adversaries, demonstrating unparalleled  
resilience and unwavering determination in his pursuit of the nation's highest office; and~~

~~WHEREAS, President Trump survived a heinous assassination attempt on July 13, 2024, during a  
campaign rally in Butler, Pennsylvania, where he sustained a gunshot wound to his right ear, and a second  
despicable assassination attempt was thwarted on September 15, 2024, at Trump International Golf Club in  
West Palm Beach, Florida, where a suspect armed with a rifle was apprehended before causing harm; and~~

~~WHEREAS, the Montana Legislature overwhelmingly acknowledges and wholeheartedly supports~~

~~President Trump's unwavering commitment to strengthening the United States of America through sound governance, a robust economy, and the promotion of unity among its citizens; and~~

~~WHEREAS, the state of Montana stands in full support of President Trump's decisive border policies, including unwavering efforts to secure the southern border and enforce immigration laws, aiming to protect the nation's sovereignty, ensure public safety, and uphold the rule of law; and~~

~~WHEREAS, the state of Montana vigorously supports and encourages President Trump in his relentless efforts to combat the insidious "woke" agenda, aligning with Montana's steadfast commitment to uphold traditional values, preserve its cultural heritage, and safeguard the well-being of its citizens; and~~

~~WHEREAS, the people of Montana and the Montana Legislature urge President Trump to continue his valiant fight against the radical left, specifically targeting individuals and groups such as "The Squad" and Senator Bernie Sanders, who advocate for extreme progressive policies that threaten the foundational principles of the republic and endanger the cherished Montana way of life; and~~

~~WHEREAS, the Montana Legislature extends its profound gratitude to President Trump for his endorsement of Senator Tim Sheehy, whose candidacy led to the defeat of far-left radical Senator Jon Tester, thereby contributing to the restoration of conservative representation for Montana in the United States Senate; and~~

~~WHEREAS, the state of Montana opposes the far-left judicial attacks on President Trump, recognizing that such politically motivated actions undermine the integrity of our legal system. Furthermore, Montana faces similar challenges from activist judges who legislate from the bench, disregarding the will of the people and overstepping their constitutional authority; and~~

~~WHEREAS, President Trump's visionary leadership and unwavering commitment to conservative principles resonate deeply with the proud citizens of Montana, reflecting shared values of individual liberty, economic prosperity, and steadfast adherence to the founding principles of our great nation; and~~

~~WHEREAS, Montana recognizes the paramount importance of supporting the Office of the President to ensure a prosperous, secure, and sovereign future for all Americans; and~~

~~WHEREAS, President Trump took the Oath of Office on January 20, 2025, and has officially begun his term as President, ready to fulfill the sacred duties of leading the nation, protecting its Constitution, and serving its people with unwavering commitment.~~

**Amendment - 2nd Reading-yellow - Requested by: Bob Carter - (H) Committee of the Whole**

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2 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
3 THE STATE OF MONTANA:

4 (1) That the Montana Legislature proudly congratulates President Donald J. Trump on his  
5 inauguration and expresses unwavering confidence in his ability to lead the nation during his term with strength  
6 and integrity.

7 (2) That the Montana Legislature extends its best wishes for President Trump's success in  
8 promoting policies that uphold the rights, freedoms, and opportunities of all Americans and in restoring the  
9 nation's greatness.

10 (3) That Montana reaffirms its unyielding commitment to work in close partnership with the federal  
11 government in the pursuit of policies that benefit both Montana and the United States as a whole, ensuring the  
12 prosperity and security of our citizens.

13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of State transmit a copy of this resolute resolution to  
14 the President of the United States Donald J. Trump, to the Vice President of the United States J.D. Vance, and  
15 to each esteemed member of the Montana Congressional Delegation.

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