## MARSHALL COUNTY KENTUCKY FISCAL COURT

**RESOLUTION NO.: 2018-02** 

WHEREAS, fishing is a multi-billion dollar industry in Kentucky providing an estimated \$1.2 billion in revenues to the Western Kentucky economy alone; and

WHEREAS, Kentucky Lake and Lake Barkley are popular fishing destinations that attracts both commercial and recreational fishing, and in so doing, promotes the tourism industry in Kentucky; and

WHEREAS, Asian carp have invaded Kentucky and Barkley lakes thereby placing our fishing and tourism industries in jeopardy; and

WHEREAS, state officials in Kentucky and Tennessee are in desperate need of additional and federal resources to combat this crisis;

## NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

- 1. That the Marshall County Fiscal Court is appreciative of the efforts made by Senator McConnell and Congressman Comer for being committed to creating a local, state, and federal partnership to protect the waterways of Western Kentucky.
- 2. That Marshall County Fiscal Court encourages the Kentucky Congressional Delegation to support substantial and additional federal financial funding to combat this looming crisis.

Adopted at a regular meeting of Marshall County Fiscal Court held on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2018, a quorum present and voting.

**Marshall County Fiscal Court** 

Kevin Neal, County Judge/Executive

ATTEST:

Marshall County Fiscal Court Clerk