

CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTION
Cook Children's Medical Center

WHEREAS, located in the heart of Fort Worth's Medical District, Texas Health Harris Methodist Hospital and Cook Children's Medical Center share a long history of collaboration; and

WHEREAS, both organizations have a close working relationship bonded through the common goal of putting family first while providing advanced medical treatments with heartfelt compassion to families in need throughout Tarrant County and across the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the nationally recognized neonatologists, pediatricians, specialists, researchers, and clinicians of Cook Children's Medical Center's NICU are specially trained in the complexities of critically ill newborns and babies born prematurely; and

WHEREAS, the Doctors, Nurses & Staff inside of Cook Children's Medical Center & the Level IV NICU tirelessly work around the clock, every single day of the year to provide critical care for the most difficult and complex medical diagnosis, including the tiniest, micro preemies born as early as 23 weeks and weighing as little as one pound; and

WHEREAS, on Monday, 23rd of January, a remarkable team of 25 medical professionals and 6 surgeons performed a groundbreaking 11-hour surgery to separate conjoined twin sisters, AmieLynn Rose Finley and JamieLynn Rae Finley of Fort Worth, Texas.

WHEREAS, the incredible team assembled by Cook Children's Medical Center and their collective expertise in treating the most difficult, rare and complex pediatric conditions, made this challenging procedure successful and the Finley family whole again; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Tarrant County recognize the critical need for the Neonatology Team at Cook's Children's Medical Center who are committed to the care and well-being of North Texas families; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Commissioners Court of Tarrant County, do hereby honor and congratulate the teams of nursing & medical professionals at Cook Children's Medical Center and the NICU on their continued efforts in our community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunder set our hands and caused the Seal of Tarrant County to be affixed this 18th day of April, 2023.