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Martin County Board of Commissioners
A Resolution Proposing State Mandate Reform

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes 6.79 allows local governments to submit to the State Auditor proposed reforms to state mandates, and

WHEREAS, mandate proposals will be listed on the State Auditor's website, along with name of the local government submitting the proposal, and

WHEREAS, the Martin County Board of Commissioners supports the concept of mandate reform and urges the Minnesota Legislature to give serious consideration to all proposals made by Counties, Townships and Cities.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Martin County Board of Commissioners hereby adopts the following mandate proposals and directs the County Coordinator to submit the listing the State Auditor:

(Attach list of mandates)

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
MARTIN COUNTY

Dan Schmidtke, Vice Chair

ATTEST: _____
Scott Higgins, County Coordinator

Public Safety/Corrections				
Mandate	Statute	Rule	Comments	Additional Questions or Issues
Eliminate Extended Juvenile Jurisdiction (EJJ)	260B.130		Eliminate the EJJ program that keeps serious offenders out of adult system & within juvenile system until age 21. Older, serious juvenile offenders should be prosecuted and sanctioned as adults as current law permits (absent diversion to EJJ). Diversion to the juvenile system imposes substantial out of home placement costs on counties. If the state is unwilling to fund this program and these costs (as it has not since 2003), it should be eliminated.	