

CERTIFIED COPY OF RESOLUTION OF COUNTY BOARD OF AITKIN COUNTY, MINNESOTA

ADOPTED March 7, 2006

1. By Commissioner: Lueck

030706-031

WHEREAS, a provision was included in the State Government Finance bill House File 1481 (Article 2, Section 3) and is as follows:

"A county, town, school district, or statutory or home rule charter city may file a written resolution with the State Auditor objecting to a state mandate or making recommendations for reforming a state mandate. The State Auditor must list on the State Auditor's web site a list of all state mandates cited in a resolution under this section, and the name of the unit of the local government citing the mandate", and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statute 6.76 states that each year, local governments are required to report lobbying expenses to the State Auditor.

WHEREAS, the report is an unnecessary administrative burden to local governments, and is already available in financial reports of the local government, and

WHEREAS, the state would save money by not having to process this information and issue a report, and the data does not rise to the level of need,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Aitkin County supports revoking MS 6.76.

Commissioner Napstad moved the adoption of the resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote

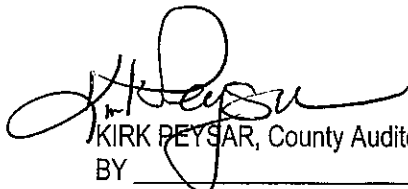
FOUR MEMBERS PRESENT

All Members Voting Yes

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
County of Aitkin) ss.
Office of County Auditor,)

I, Kirk Peysar, Auditor, of the County of Aitkin, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 7th day of March A.D., 2006, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Aitkin, Minnesota, this 7th day of March A.D. 2006


KIRK PEYSAR, County Auditor
BY _____, Deputy