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> Board of County Commissioners Mille Lacs County, Minnesota Resolution # \_\_\_\_\_

Date: February 28, 2006

A resolution identifying State mandates for repeal

WHEREAS, on behalf of the taxpayers of Mille Lacs County, the Mille Lacs County Board of Commissioners continually seeks ways to keep the cost of county government as low as possible; and,

WHEREAS, the cost of Mille Lacs County government is significantly affected by mandates from the State of Minnesota; and,

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

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mille Lacs County Board of Commissioners hereby submits to the state auditor a certified copy of this resolution and the attached (Exhibit A) list of mandates, along with statute citations and comments, as candidates for modification or repeal as noted.

SIGNED:

Robert Hoefert, Chairman

ATTEST:

Philip Thompson, County Auditor-Treasurer

| Mandate Statute Comments |
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| Repeal the Truth-in-       | 275.065 | The Board holds multiple public budget     |
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| Taxation requirement for   |         | meetings during the annual budget process. |
| mailing parcel-specific    |         | Public attendance at truth-in-taxation     |
| notices; eliminate the     |         | hearings has been minimal, usually less    |
| required Truth-in-Taxation |         | than 15 people per year attend Mille Lacs  |
| hearing and published      |         | County's TNT meetings.                     |
| hearing notice.            |         |  |