

RESOLUTION 59-2006
RESOLUTION BY PIPESTONE COUNTY
MANDATE REFORM RECOMMENDATIONS

WHEREAS, Minnesota Stat. §6.79 states, "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;" and

WHEREAS, the State Auditor has encouraged local governments to consider submitting those state mandates, to list on her website, that they believe are in particular need of reform or repeal to help legislators identify them; and

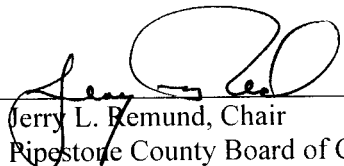
WHEREAS, the Pipestone County Board supports actions which improve efficiency and increase effectiveness of state and local public services delivered to our joint constituents; and,


WHEREAS, the Pipestone County Board finds that it could provide better service for less tax dollars in some instances if certain state mandates were repealed or underfunded programs were more fully funded by our state partners; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Rule 5200.1060 uses the mode of pay in each classification to determine the prevailing wage rate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Pipestone County Board of Commissioners recommends that the legislature amend this rule to use an average of the wages in a classification to determine an acceptable range of pay for the prevailing wage rate.

Adopted this 28th day of February 2006.


Jerry L. Remund, Chair
Pipestone County Board of Commissioners

Attest: 
Sharon Hanson
Clerk of County Board/County Coordinator