Where as: U.S. Highway 53 is a vital to the transportation and commercial Future of the Iron Range.

And Where as:The location of Highway is the life line of Commerce and Transportation for the Iron Range.

And Where as: it is vitally important that this thoroughfare provide a safe and responsible route, insuring the survival of the Iron Range Community.

Be it Resolved that because the current Route proposed by MnDot does not meet those standards. The Executive Board of the Range Association Of Municipalities and Schools (RAMS)goes on record in opposition to the current proposed plan.

And be it further Resolved that RAMS Board goes on record expecting Mn. Dot to submit a Safe And Rational plan for the relocation of U.S. Highway 53.