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RESOLUTION NO. 129-14

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE CITY OF SIOUX FALLS' LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES FOR THE 2015 STATE LEGISLATIVE SESSION.

WHEREAS, the City Charter states that the Sioux Falls City Council is the policy making and legislative body of the City of Sioux Falls.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF SIOUX FALLS, SD:

1. That the Sioux Falls City Council, in conjunction with the South Dakota Municipal League, opposes any legislation that would inhibit municipalities from providing services requested by citizens in whatever form the citizens approve and opposes any legislation that restricts local control over taxation and spending.
2. The Sioux Falls City Council supports legislation allowing municipalities alternative publication options.
3. The Sioux Falls City Council opposes any legislation that would reduce, remove, repeal, or reallocate the municipal sales tax, liquor tax reversion, or any other municipal revenues to any other unit of government or that would expand the power to impose a sales and use tax to any other unit of government.
4. The Sioux Falls City Council supports legislation that expands affordable housing opportunities in South Dakota.
5. The Sioux Falls City Council supports legislation to raise the threshold for requiring a performance bond to \$50,000.
6. The Sioux Falls City Council strongly encourages the legislature to direct that any available water development funds be used to support completion of the Lewis & Clark Regional Water System in South Dakota.
7. The Sioux Falls City Council supports legislation appropriating funds from the state Omnibus Water Fund for the purpose of providing advance of federal funds on a zero interest reimbursable basis for construction for Lewis & Clark Rural Water System facilities in South Dakota.

Date adopted: 12/02/14 .

Mike T. Huether
Mayor

ATTEST:
Lorie Hogstad
City Clerk