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**CITY OF LEAD RESOLUTION # 2025-06**

**A RESOLUTION IN OPPOSITION TO HCR 6010**

The City Commission of the City of Lead, a municipal corporation, meeting in regular session on March 3, 2025, pursuant to SDCL 9-19, motion was made by \_\_\_\_ seconded by \_\_\_\_, that the following resolution be adopted:

**WHEREAS**, HCR 6010 calls for an interim legislative committee to evaluate economic development, mining and residential development in the Black Hills and to recommend regulatory provisions, and

**WHEREAS**, municipal, county, state and federal regulations already regulate these issues through laws, comprehensive plans, ordinances, zoning procedures, mine permitting, conditional use permits, public elections and more, and

**WHEREAS**, overregulation could hurt small businesses, Black Hills industries, and local job opportunities, and

**WHEREAS**, strong local control on all of these topics is already in place, and

**WHEREAS**, there are no considerations for who will be on the committee and there is no guarantee of local Black Hills representation, and

**WHEREAS**, a committee should not be funded by the taxpayers of South Dakota in order to regulate the Black Hills, and

**WHEREAS**, HCR 6010, if passed, could result in new regulations that could contradict current regulations at the federal, state and local level, and

**WHEREAS**, residents and local officials in the Black Hills want to preserve the beauty and history of the Black Hills and they work hard every day to balance economic development and environmental protection, among other priorities, and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Commission of Lead, that the City of Lead strongly opposes HCR 6010 and asks for opposition from all South Dakota legislators.

Those voting aye: \_\_\_\_

Those voting nay:

Motion carried.

Dated this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 2025

CITY OF LEAD:

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Ron Everett, Mayor

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Robin Lucero, Interim City Administrator

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