

would pass over said road, instead of passing over the circuitous route now traveled, by Spirit Lake and Sioux City, Iowa; and that said road would pass over a fine rolling country, free from impracticable obstructions, well watered, and nearly every acre of which is susceptible of cultivation, and your memorialists will ever pray.

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## ORGANIC ACT.

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### CHAPTER 70.

#### A MEMORIAL PRAYING CONGRESS TO AMEND SECTION SECOND OF THE ACT PROVIDING A TEMPORARY GOVERNMENT FOR THE TERRITORY OF DAKOTA.

*To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress assembled :*

Amendment of  
Organic Act,  
asked for.

Your memorialists, the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Dakota, would most respectfully represent to your honorable bodies that section 2nd of the act providing a temporary government for the territory of Dakota confers unlimited veto power upon the governor of said Territory; and your memorialists earnestly pray that the aforementioned section be so amended as to give the legislature the power to pass laws by the usual two thirds majority.

Delegate in-  
structed.

Sec. 2. That our delegate be and is hereby instructed to bring this subject to the immediate notice of congress.

APPROVED January 3, 1863.