

**Fifty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 7, 2003**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3013
(Representative Weisz)
(Senator Trenbeath)

A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the laws of this state concerning abandonment and vacation of sections of routes of the state highway system.

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of the Legislative Assembly to review existing laws to ensure that the laws address the problems the laws are intended to rectify; and

WHEREAS, it becomes necessary from time to time for the Department of Transportation to abandon sections of routes of the state highway system; and

WHEREAS, current law does not provide sufficient guidance regarding the process for abandoning a section of a route of the state highway system; and

WHEREAS, current law does not provide sufficient guidance regarding whether the Department of Transportation has continuing jurisdiction or authority over the abandoned section of a route of the state highway system;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

That the Legislative Council study the laws of this state concerning abandonment and vacation of sections of routes of the state highway system; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Legislative Council report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2003,
at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State