Sixtieth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3059

Introduced by

Representative Wrangham

Senator Triplett

1 A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the exercise of extraterritorial

2 zoning authority by cities.

WHEREAS, North Dakota Century Code Section 40-47-01.1 authorizes cities to extend
their zoning regulations from one mile to as far as four miles outside the corporate limits of a
city; and

6 **WHEREAS**, the extension of a city's zoning authority to unincorporated territory outside

7 the corporate limits of a city was recently extended by the Legislative Assembly and the

8 appropriateness of this action should be reviewed; and

9 WHEREAS, extraterritorial zoning by cities affects people living outside the corporate

10 limits of a city but does not provide these people meaningful involvement in the determination of

11 a city to extend the application of these city's zoning regulations to unincorporated territory

12 outside the corporate limits of a city;

## 13 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 14 OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

15 That the Legislative Council study the exercise of extraterritorial zoning authority by16 cities; 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 Sixty-first Legislative Assembly.