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RESOLUTION

Resolution offered by Supervisor Richard Phelan.

Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Oneida County, Wisconsin

WHEREAS, the mining of minerals and the subsequent products produced is a necessity in today's society and has resulted in an increased standard of living for all Wisconsin citizens; and

WHEREAS, the mining of minerals in Wisconsin and other states in our nation lessens our reliance on foreign governments for natural resources; and

WHEREAS, mining will be an important and contributing factor to the continued revitalization of northern Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin mining regulations are some of the most stringent in the country and ensure an appropriate balance between environmental protection and economic development; and

WHEREAS, a state-imposed moratorium on mining removes local decision-making authority on a local issue.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Oneida County Board of Supervisors opposes a state-imposed moratorium on mining; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to Governor Tommy G. Thompson, DOA Secretary James R. Klauser, Senator Roger Breske, Representative James Holperin, and the Wisconsin Counties Association.

Dated this 4th day of April, 19 91.

Offered and passage moved by Richard Phelan Supervisor

Seconded by J. Busch Supervisor

Fred Jeller

19 Ayes
0 Nays
1 Absent

As Amended:-

AMENDMENT: ADD TO MAILING LIST:
D.N.R. SECRETARY
WI. LAND CONSERVATION BOARD