ITEM 139-110-R0508  Energy Conservation Resolution

THAT: The Board of Regents of Higher Education adopts a resolution supporting Governor Schweitzer’s energy conservation initiatives and encouraging the campuses of the Montana University System to take steps to comply with those initiatives.

EXPLANATION: The Governor has issued his 30 MPG Initiative, which reflects the intent of SB 449 mandating increased fuel efficiency for certain types of vehicles owned by state agencies, and his 20 x 10 Initiative, which asks state agencies to reduce their energy consumption by 20% by the year 2010. The proposed resolution notes MUS energy measures already implemented, supports these state initiatives, and encourages the campuses of the Montana University System to work to meet the objectives of these new initiatives.

ATTACHMENTS: Proposed Energy Conservation Resolution