*** RESOLUTION NO. 07-013 ***

BY COMMISSIONER: Pihlman  

ADOPTED: February 13, 2007

WHEREAS, Carlton County undertakes various public projects which employ a number of skilled and unskilled workers, and which projects will entail the utilization of the construction industry in an area having multiple labor contracts and employer associations; and

WHEREAS, the Carlton County Board of Commissioners has deemed that it is in the public interest that the various public projects progress and be completed in an expeditious and efficient manner free of disruption and delay of any kind.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Carlton County Board of Commissioners does hereby authorize and approve the entering into of a Project Labor Agreement by and between the various contractors engaged in the construction of the various projects and the Duluth Building Trades Council on behalf of its affiliated Local Unions.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Carlton County Board of Commissioners does require the adherence to said Project Labor Agreements for all county projects in excess of $150,000 (this amount shall be adjusted annually by the Consumer Price Index).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that it is the intent of these Project Labor Agreements to give first priority to the skilled and unskilled workers who reside in Carlton County for all such projects covered by said agreement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall be reviewed annually for the purpose of considering whether to continue the necessity of being bound by said project labor agreements. The effective date of this agreement shall be March 1, 2007.

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Upon motion by Pihlman, seconded by Tan, and carried, the above resolution was adopted.

Yea votes: Aanerud, Bodie, Pihlman, Brenner and Tan
Nay votes: None
Absent: None

I, Paul G. Gassert, Auditor of the County of Carlton, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 13th day of February, 2007. and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.
WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE in Carlton, Minnesota, this 13th day of February, 2007.

Paul G. Gassert
Carlton County Auditor/Treasurer