

**RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE ELECTED OFFICIALS
FOR WORKER COMPENSATION COVERAGE**

WHEREAS, the State of South Dakota worker compensation statutes 62-1-3(2) exempt elected and appointed officials from benefits payable in the event of an injury while performing duties for a governmental entity; and

WHEREAS, the statute allows the governing body to “elect to treat officials of the subdivision as employees for the purposes of this section [62-1-3(2)]; and

WHEREAS, this resolution is applicable only to the offices of Mayor and City Councilman and the state exemption remains for all other appointed boards (such as, but not limited to, Library, Airport, Civic Center, et al);

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the City of Rapid City recognizes the elected offices of Mayor and City Councilman as employees for the purpose of providing benefits payable under state worker compensation statutes and all other members of appointed City boards and commissions are exempt from coverage under the state worker compensation statutes.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2002.

CITY OF RAPID CITY

Jerry Munson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Finance Officer

(SEAL)