A concurrent resolution to amend and reenact subsection 8 of section 12 of article IX of the Constitution of North Dakota, relating to the state hospital.

**STATEMENT OF INTENT**

This measure removes the requirement that one of the state’s public institutions must be a state hospital located in Stutsman County in the city of Jamestown.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CONCERNED PEOPLE OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE CONCURRING THEREIN:

That the following proposed amendment to subsection 8 of section 12 of article IX of the Constitution of North Dakota is agreed to and must be submitted to the qualified electors of North Dakota at the general election to be held in 2018, in accordance with section 16 of article IV of the Constitution of North Dakota.

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 8 of section 12 of article IX of the Constitution of North Dakota is amended and reenacted as follows:

8. A state hospital for the insane at the city of Jamestown, in the county of Stutsman. And the legislative assembly shall appropriate twenty thousand acres of the grant of lands made by the Act of Congress aforesaid for other educational and charitable institutions to the benefit and for the endowment of said institution, and there A facility to provide services for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities shall be located at or near the city of Grafton, in the county of Walsh, an institution for the feebleminded, on the grounds purchased by the secretary of the interior for a penitentiary building.