

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1603

By Senator Steineger

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9 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION concerning endorsement of the
10 Unified Greeley County government.

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12 WHEREAS, The voters of Greeley County and the City of Tribune
13 agreed to unify the governments of the city and county in November,
14 2007; and

15 WHEREAS, The leaders of Greeley County and the City of Tribune
16 were seeking ways to provide more efficient and effective delivery of
17 public services; and

18 WHEREAS, The people of Greeley County and the City of Tribune
19 were seeking new ways to deal with the challenges of a shrinking popu-
20 lation, a balancing of rural and urban needs, a loss of jobs and a continuing
21 need to provide quality public services; and

22 WHEREAS, A unified city and county government had been part of
23 an ongoing discussion for over five years; and

24 WHEREAS, The people of Greeley County and the City of Tribune
25 determined a unified government was a creative solution to help address
26 new challenges: Now, therefore,

27 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas, the House of Rep-*
28 *resentatives concurring therein:* That the Legislature endorses the Uni-
29 fied Greeley County and congratulates the people of Greeley County and
30 the City of Tribune for their creative approach to delivery of county and
31 city services; and

32 *Be it further resolved:* That the Secretary of State is directed to send
33 enrolled copies of this resolution to each of the five members of the new
34 Unified Greeley County governing body.