Sample Resolution **–** Blanket Police Officer

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes 353.64, Subdivision 2, permits the governing body of a governmental subdivision to declare that a position is that of a police officer and that the person who holds said position on a part-time basis is to be covered by the Police and Fire retirement plan if the following employment duties and qualification requirements are met.

1. The position requires a license by the Minnesota peace officer standards and training board and the employee is so licensed;
2. The primary (over 50%) duty of the position is to enforce the general criminal laws of the state;
3. The position charges the employee with the prevention and detection of crime;
4. The position gives this employee the full power of arrest, and
5. The position is assigned to a designated police or sheriff's department.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the (name of governing board) hereby declares that the position of (name of job) in the (name of sheriff or police department) satisfies all of the requirements listed above and declares its desire to provide all future employees holding said part-time law enforcement position with coverage under the Police and Fire plan; AND

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this governmental unit will provide a copy of this resolution to PERA each time it provides Police and Fire membership to a person who is hired to said part-time position and will indicate the name of the employee eligible for such coverage.

STATE OF MINNESOTA COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I, (name of clerk) , clerk of (name of governmental subdivision) , do hereby certify that this is a true and correct transcript of the resolution that was adopted at a meeting held on the day of , 20 ; the original of which is on file in this office. I further certify that members voted in favor of this resolution and that members were present and voting.

Signed: Date: