

MOTION FOR A RESOLUTION OPPOSING A VOTER PHOTO ID REQUIREMENT:

I move that **NAME** adopt the following resolution:

Resolution opposing a photo ID requirement before they are allowed to vote.

Whereas requiring a photo ID voters at the polls is unnecessary because there is no evidence of anyone in Minnesota ever impersonating a voter, the only thing a photo ID might prevent; and

Whereas a photo ID requirement voters would be costly to implement for both state and local governments, including the cost of educating election officials and the public; providing free government-issued IDs to those without one, along with easy access to obtain these IDs; and developing and staffing a provisional ballot system; and

Whereas a photo ID requirement would be create barriers, affecting many elderly, disabled, low-income, young and minority voters;

Therefore be it resolved that **NAME** oppose all efforts to impose a photo ID requirement on citizens in Minnesota before allowing them to vote, be these efforts legislative or through a constitutional amendment.

NAME could be a faith-based congregation, a nonprofit board, a political party, a union, or a community group.