RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Town of Notasulga, Alabama, is a township located in Macon County, Alabama. The town is aware of certain proposed legislation which would, among other things, increase the occupational tax levied by Macon County, Alabama, as well as certain increases in gas and rental tax; and

WHEREAS, the town of Notasulga, Alabama, would not receive any of the funds raised by the proposed increase in taxes; and

WHEREAS, since 1819, the Supreme Court of the United States has found the attempt by one government to control the measures of another to be "repugnant to the principles upon which this country was founded"; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and council of the Town of Notasulga, Alabama, believe that any additional taxes levied upon the citizens of Notasulga, Alabama, would impede economic development as well as burden citizens of the Town who will receive no additional services for the tax increases; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Notasulga, Alabama, believes that the county business license fee for townships with small populations should be exempt; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Notasulga, Alabama, objects to the levy of any additional taxes on the citizens and businesses located inside the corporate limits of Notasulga, Alabama, by Macon County, Alabama; and

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the mayor and council members of the Town of Notasulga, Alabama, to formally request the Alabama State Legislature to not authorize the imposition of any new county taxes on the citizens of Notasulga, Alabama, who would be forced to pay such taxes.