HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 19

Rep. Hall offered the following resolution:

- 1 A resolution to amend the Standing Rules of the House of
- 2 Representatives.
- 3 Resolved by the House of Representatives, That Rule 52 of the
- 4 Standing Rules of the House of Representatives is hereby amended to
- 5 read as follows:
- 6 "Appropriations.
- 7 Rule 52. (1) No appropriations bill or conference report
- 8 containing enhancement grants a legislatively directed spending
- 9 item shall be brought for a vote without proper disclosure of the
- 10 sponsor and the intended recipient, and a description of the grant
- 11 legislatively directed spending item in a form and manner
- 12 established by the House by resolution.
- 13 (2) An appropriations bill or conference report shall not be
- 14 brought for a vote if it contains a legislatively directed spending

- 1 item for which the intended recipient is a municipality, including
- 2 any official, department, or board of a municipality, that actively
- 3 maintains any rule, policy, or ordinance that would subvert
- 4 immigration enforcement in any way or that refuses to comply with
- 5 federal immigration enforcement measures.
- 6 (3) No appropriations bill or conference report containing a
- 7 legislatively directed spending item for which the intended
- 8 recipient is a municipality shall be brought for a vote unless the
- 9 municipality has submitted the following information to the House:
- 10 (a) The municipality's rules, policies, and ordinances
- 11 related to federal immigration law and immigration enforcement
- 12 measures. This includes, but is not limited to, any rules,
- 13 policies, and ordinances regarding U.S. Immigration and Customs
- 14 Enforcement, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement detainer
- 15 requests, and the municipality's intent to work with federal
- 16 authorities or actively harbor or shield illegal aliens from
- 17 federal enforcement authorities or operations.
- 18 (b) An official letter from the municipality, signed by the
- 19 municipality's chief executive officer, the municipality's duly
- 20 elected board, or an individual who is legally authorized to act on
- 21 behalf of the municipality, certifying the following:
- 22 (i) The municipality's rules, policies, and ordinances do not
- 23 include language that requires, encourages, or supports subverting
- 24 immigration enforcement in any way or refusing to comply with
- 25 federal immigration enforcement measures.
- 26 (ii) The municipality will comply with federal immigration
- 27 law.
- 28 (4) As used in this rule:
- 29 (a) "Legislatively directed spending item" means an

- 1 appropriation that authorizes or obligates a specific amount of
- 2 money for a contract or other expenditure with a grant, loan, or
- 3 other economic assistance or incentive to a specific person,
- 4 organization, unit of local government, or project or activity in a
- 5 unit of local government, other than through a formula-driven or
- 6 competitive award process.
- 7 (b) "Municipality" means a county, city, village, or
- 8 township.".