

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 112

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1 A Concurrent Resolution urging the United States  
2 Congress to authorize construction of the  
3 Lewis and Clark rural water system.

4 WHEREAS, the Lewis and Clark rural water system was  
5 envisioned and organized to supply a safe and adequate  
6 drinking water supply to 180,000 residents of  
7 northwestern Iowa, southeastern South Dakota, and  
8 southwestern Minnesota; and

9 WHEREAS, five communities and two rural water  
10 systems in northwest Iowa, representing 24,000  
11 residents of Iowa, joined the Lewis and Clark rural  
12 water system in hope of solving existing problems  
13 relating to inadequate supplies and poor quality of  
14 drinking water; and

15 WHEREAS, the 1993 Session of the Iowa General  
16 Assembly enacted legislation authorizing federal,  
17 state, and local governments to cooperate in managing  
18 and administering rural water districts; and

19 WHEREAS, federal legislation authorizing  
20 construction of the Lewis and Clark rural water system  
21 and federal, state, and local government cost-sharing  
22 to assist project sponsors in building the project has  
23 been introduced in the United States Congress; NOW  
24 THEREFORE,

25 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THE  
26 SENATE CONCURRING, That the 1996 Session of the Iowa  
27 General Assembly is committed to supporting the Lewis  
28 and Clark rural water system and urges congressional

1 approval of federal legislation authorizing the  
2 construction of the Lewis and Clark rural water  
3 system.

4 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this  
5 resolution be sent by the Chief Clerk of the House of  
6 Representatives to the members of Iowa's congressional  
7 delegation.

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