

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE  
MICHIGAN EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS  
PRESERVATION ACT**

WHEREAS, the Federal Communications Commission issued the 1985 declaratory ruling PRB-1 which states that local zoning authorities cannot preclude amateur radio service communications, but must reasonably accommodate those facilities and enact the "minimum practicable regulation to accomplish the state or local authority's legitimate purpose." This ruling is now a federal regulation [47 C.F.R. Section 97.15(b)].

WHEREAS, even though PRB-1 is federal law, many zoning boards and municipalities are unaware of its existence, often making the process of getting antennas approved difficult, and in a number of cases, leading to lawsuits that are time consuming and expensive for all parties.

WHEREAS, the American Amateur Radio League, Michigan Section, has sponsored the PRB-1 Project to get PRB-1 codified into Michigan Law as the Michigan Emergency communications Preservation Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Blossomland Amateur Radio Association, with address of P.O. Box 175, St. Joseph, MI 49085. Hereby encourages and support the passing of a MICHIGAN Emergency Communications Preservation Bill into Michigan Law.

The members and officers of the Blossomland Amateur Radio Association adopted this resolution at a regular meeting held on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2009.

**CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY**

The undersigned hereby certifies that she is the duly elected and qualified Secretary of the Blossomland Amateur Radio Association, and that the foregoing is a true and correct record of resolution duly adopted by the Blossomland Amateur Radio Association on Thursday, June 18, 2009.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have executed my name as Secretary on this 18<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2009.

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