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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, Currently, access from Illinois Route 173 (IL-173) to Interstate 94 (I-94) in Lake County is available only for vehicles traveling South; there is no entrance point for vehicles that wish to travel North; and

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WHEREAS, Full-access between IL-173 and I-94 would create an economic corridor in Lake County where competition is strong, especially between Illinois and Wisconsin; and

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WHEREAS, Access and connectivity to transportation improves economic growth and would increase Illinois' ability to compete with Wisconsin; therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge the Illinois Department of Transportation and the Illinois State Toll Highway Authority to construct a full-access interchange at IL-173 and I-94; and be it further

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RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the Secretary of the Illinois Department of Transportation and the Executive Director of the Illinois State Toll Highway Authority Board of Directors.

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