

S.F. No. 906, as introduced - 87th Legislative Session (2011-2012) [11-2658]

2.1 WHEREAS, military spending priorities at the national level negatively impact budgets
2.2 and quality of life at all levels of government and society; and

2.3 WHEREAS, our nation desperately needs to better balance its approach to security to
2.4 go beyond military defense and include the economic, social, and environmental needs of our
2.5 communities, state, and nation; NOW, THEREFORE,

2.6 BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota that it urges Senators
2.7 Klobuchar and Franken, and Representatives Walz, Kline, Paulsen, McCollum, Ellison,
2.8 Bachmann, Peterson, and Cravaack as well as Congressional Leadership, other members of
2.9 Congress, and President Barack Obama to shift federal funding priorities from war and the
2.10 interests of the few, to meeting the essential needs of us all.

2.11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota is
2.12 directed to prepare copies of this memorial and transmit them to the President of the United States,
2.13 the President and the Secretary of the United States Senate, the Speaker and the Clerk of the United
2.14 States House of Representatives, and Minnesota's Senators and Representatives in Congress.